

The Omaha System

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Formal name of the code system	The Omaha System
Short name or abbreviation of the code system name	Omaha
Technical identifier/s of the code system (OIDs, URNs etc)	<p>OID: 2.16.840.1.113883.6.49 URL: https://www.omahasystem.org/</p>
Scope /domain statement for the code system (Official or from HTA)	<p>The Omaha System is a comprehensive practice and documentation tool used by nurses, other healthcare providers, and students from the time of client admission to discharge in the home health setting. The system includes 1) a Problem Classification Scheme used during assessment; 2) an Intervention Scheme; and 3) a Problem Rating Scale for Outcomes. These components provide a structure for documenting client needs and strengths, relating clinician interventions, and measuring client outcomes in a simple, yet comprehensive, manner. When the three components are used together, the Omaha System offers a way to link clinical data to demographic, financial, administrative, and staffing data. The most recent publication of Omaha System is 2005 and a new version is currently being drafted.</p>
Link to information about the code system - including how to obtain the content	https://www.omahasystem.org/
Arrangement or agreements with HL7 for use of content	
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Process to request content change	The update process requires a multi-step, triangulated approach and includes the presentation of user-submitted suggestions at the biennial Omaha System International Conference. In addition to that process, a 12-member international board of directors reviews and revises Omaha System on an ongoing basis using the results of current research, expert opinion and user experience and feedback
Other useful Information	
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