CDISC Implementation Committee

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Agenda

- NCI Requirement
- Project Updates
- NCI CDISC Harmonization WG Update
- NCI CDISC Best Practices
- LPO Questions

NCI Requirement

January 2020

 All CTEP IND studies activated on/after 1/1/2020 shall be CDISC compliant.

Project Updates

CDISC Mailbox

ncicdiscsupport@nih.gov

CDISC Wiki

- CDISC Webinars, Recording and Slides Posted
- LPO FAQs
- CDISC LPO Impact Analysis Feedback Posted
- CDISC Harmonization WG Meeting Materials

Project Updates

- LPO Support Webinars/Sessions
 - October 1st, 2019 CDISC SME Session
 - Session: 2:00-4:00pm ET
 - Pre-planned agendas based on requests the week before
 - October 15th, 2019 CDISC SME Session
 - Session: 2:00-4:00pm ET
 - Pre-planned agendas based on requests the week before
- Enrollment Form
 - Theradex is working on making their Enrollment Form for CDISC compliant. Once completed this will be shared with the community.

LPO Harmonization Update

- Created an internal process flow to handle requests for CDSIC Harmonization alternate question text
- Reviewed communication plan
- WG Members confirmed roadmap content. High priority items
 - RECIST
 - iRECIST
 - Screening
 - LPO specific
- Reviewed the tool being used to harmonize the content from the roadmap
- Reviewed RECIST Oncology Domains
- Reviewed 11 Use Cases for LPO workflows and addressed next steps
 - Alternate question texts
 - Data Dictionary with meaningful names



LPO Discussion Items

"PRO" Fragment

- PRO is being used for PROTOCOL
 - Could be confused with Patient Reported Outcomes
 - PROT, PRT

How can we access the library of available CDASH compliant questions?

- The Global Library includes all of the available CDASH-conformant questions from CDASHIG V2.0 and SDTMIG V3.3.
- Refer also to the GLIB ALS Release Notes at the top of page 10 in the Comments/Instructions for creating compliant questions for tests that have CDISC terminology published for Test Codes and Test Names.

• Are we able to modify permissible values for existing CDASH compliant questions?

- You can modify response values in three ways:
 - CDASH allows the use of synonyms to display questions on the EDC form. The value that is stored in the database should always conform to the published CDISC Submission Values.
 - If you only need a subset of the values from the data dictionary, you can subset the list to include only those values that you need for the study.
 - If the relevant CDISC codelist is Extensible, you can add values (provided the ones your add are not synonymous with already published values in that codelist)

NCI CDISC Best Practices

- Regarding data dictionary names: If a length issue is identified, a character can be removed from in front of the PID details of the data dictionary name (applicable to both the CTSU Standard Forms v7.0 ALS and the GLIB v1.0 ALS), as confirmed during the Focus Group meeting discussion.
- Regarding your prior email with the table details for both the CTSU Standard Forms ALS and the GLIB ALS: We are in the process of creating a table that illustrates allowable updates for both ALS documents as per details from the Focus Group meeting discussion and other updates provided via committee slides and release note documentation.
- Regarding the CTSU Standard Forms: At this time, the CTSU Standard Forms v7.0 should continue to be used as provided to maintain standardization across the LPOs, again with the few previously identified exceptions. CTSU sincerely appreciates the time you've invested in reviewing the v7.0 ALS, and for providing additional feedback for the CTSU Standard AE form. Your ideas for improving this form are under consideration, and your suggested changes will be added by CTSU to a requirements tracker for consideration in future releases of the CTSU Standard Forms ALS.

LPO Use Case Dictionary Names

The CM form can help illustrate why the Alliance would like to modify the dictionary names is to make them more "meaningful." We feel the dictionary names provide in the ALS do not provide any guidance to what the actually being collected.

- CDISC_CDASH_CON_PID6400801_V1_0F
- CDISC_CDASH_CON_PID6400807_V1_0F
- CDISC_CDASH_CON_PID6401008_V1_0F
- CDISC_CDASH_CON_PID6401063_V1_0F
- Potential naming convention options:
 - 1) caDSR Value Domain Short Name + VD PID + Version #
 - 2) CDISC Submission value for the Controlled Terminology List + caDSR VD PID + Version #

Confirmed: Value domains curated for CDISC CDASH v2.0 content used the CDISC submission value for the Controlled Terminology List as the VD Short Name

VD PID	VD Version	VD Long Name	VD Short Name	EVS Code	CDISC CDASH Codelist Name
6400801	1.0	CDISC CDASH Concomitant Medication Dose Units Terminology Type	CMDOSU	C78417	CDISC CDASH Concomitant Medication Dose Units Terminology
6400807	1.0	CDISC CDASH Concomitant Medication Dose Form Terminology Type	CMDOSFRM	C78418	CDISC CDASH Concomitant Medication Dose Form Terminology
6401008	1.0	CDISC CDASH Concomitant Medication Dosing Frequency per Interval Terminology Temporal Frequency	CMDOSFRQ	C78419	CDISC CDASH Concomitant Medication Dosing Frequency per Interval Terminology
6401063	1.0	CDISC CDASH Concomitant Medication Route of Administration Terminology Type	CMROUTE	C78420	CDISC CDASH Concomitant Medication Route of Administration Terminology

Proposal

- LPOs have the option to update the VD long name + PID to the VD short name + PID
- This update would need to be managed directly in Rave, the OCI does not import the VD short name

LPO Support Questions (1)

LPO Question	Response	LPO Feedback
ADVERSE_EVENT_PID2179504_V3_0F dictionary, attached to AE_AEREL (relationship to study medication) was using "codes" for the coded values, but are actually character strings '1' based on the format. The other is YES_NO_PENDING_PID5273111_V1_0F, attached to AEPERF. But I guess I could see that since this field is not submitted via SDTM, maybe it's not as critical to follow the rules??? There is no standard codes list provide by CDISC for the relationship field, but how the dictionary is designed doesn't seem very "CDASH compliant" or programmer friendly as the coded data will appear numeric, when it's actually character	We harmonized two existing CDEs to CDISC based on CDISC SME and CBIIT feedback. Two existing CDEs were confirmed for use as per CBIIT review, CDISC-compliant variables (field OIDs) were created/verified per CDISC SME review, these variables were added as alternate names to the CDEs, the datatypes for these variables were specified as per CDISC requirements (character); the dictionary values for these 2 CDEs are acceptable (one variable does not have CT/the sponsor can attach a DD, the other was non-extensible/required a customized variable).	

LPO Status Updates

NCI/Group	Seed Study Status	Road blocks/Concerns
Alliance	Taking existing standard forms and seed study and comparing them with both ALS files. Some building has been started, moving forward and making progress.	
Theradex	Built 40 form sin caDSR and working on pulling those intro Rave. Moving ahead.	Lab module, need to have another meeting
NRG	Held a lessons learned meeting, working on a path forward.	
SWOG	Started first study build, all forms created as PDFs and doing an SDTM mapping and controlled term. Not in Rave yet, but working on database structure.	
ECOG-ACRIN	10 standard forms into seed study.	
CCTG	Continued to work on the CCTG global library of mock forms and working to make that CDISC compliantstarting preliminary work to map to SDTM, moving forward with building seed study.	
COG	13 forms and looking through forms to identify which are 1 to 1 mapping, forward mapping and backwards mapping to see if any require CDASH domains and variables to questions. Have not started study build at this time.	

Next Steps

Next Meeting is October 23rd 2019, from 2-3pm

Appendix

CDISC Harmonization Workflow NCI CBIIT: CDEs for EC Forms Overview CDISC Implementation Workflow CTSU Change Matrix eCRF Build Scenarios LPO I.A.: Beta Release GLIB

CDISC Harmonization Workflow v06/25/2019

- 1) LPO submits new supplemental question details to CDISC Project team via ALS file within 15 business days of question implementation.
- CDISC Project team adds the new supplemental question to the CDISC LPO Supplemental Question Listing¹.
- 3) CDISC Project team prepares and submits the supplemental questions (partial or no match) to the CDISC Harmonization Working Group (WG).
- 4) CDISC Harmonization WG reviews, standardizes and harmonizes the supplemental question/s.
- 5) CDISC Project team prepares a supplemental questions review request for submission to CDSIC.
- 6) CDISC Project team submits and tracks review requests to CDISC.

Footnotes

- 1. The CDISC LPO Supplemental Question Listing is a document created and maintained by the NCI CDISC Project team. This document will specify:
 - a. Supplemental questions that have been recently created and implemented by an LPO for a specific protocol;
 - b. Supplemental questions that have been harmonized/ standardized by the CDISC Harmonization **WG** and submitted by the CDISC Project team to CDISC for review.

NCI CBIIT: CDEs for EC Forms Overview

1. EC CDEs – Inclusion/Exclusion Criteria

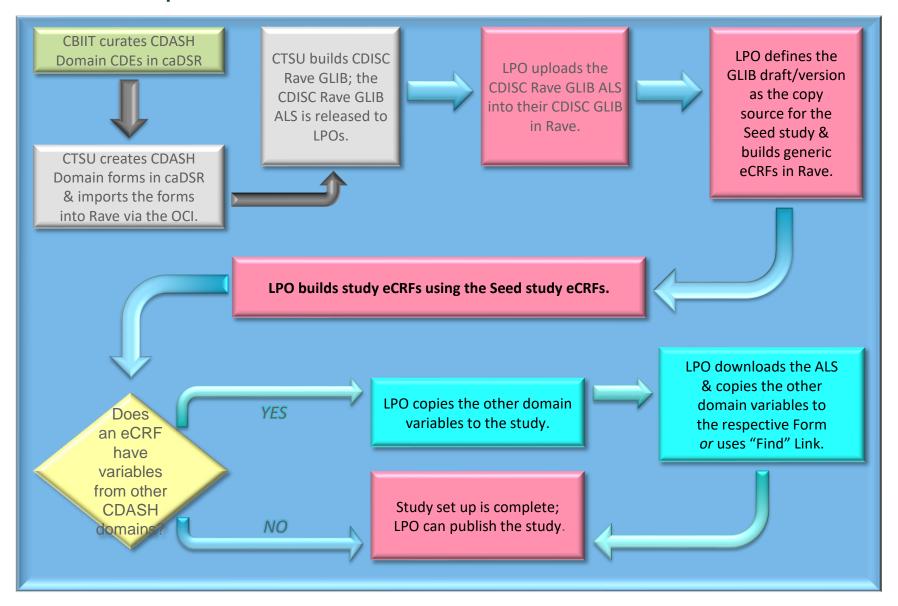
- CDASH does not provide a variable for individual inclusion/exclusion questions
- Continue to curate these CDEs using your current process

TI -	TI – Examples for Trial Inclusion/Exclusion Criteria Dataset					
This example shows records for a trial that had two versions of inclusion/exclusion criteria. Rows 1-3 show the two inclusion criteria and one exclusion criterion for version 1 of the protocol. Rows 4-6 show the inclusion/exclusion criteria for version 2.2 of the protocol, which changed the minimum age						
	entry from 21 to 18. Row STUDYID DOMAIN IETESTCD IETEST IECAT TIVERS				TIVERS	
1	XYZ	TI	INCL01	Has disease under study	INCLUSION	1
2	XYZ	TI	INCL02	Age 21 or greater	INCLUSION	1
-	2112	11	INCLUZ	Age 21 of greater	INCLUSION	1
3	XYZ	TI	EXCL01	Pregnant or lactating	EXCLUSION	1
				0 0		1 2.2
3	XYZ	TI	EXCL01	Pregnant or lactating	EXCLUSION	1 1 2.2 2.2

2. EC CDEs – Supplemental Qualifiers Domain Questions

- NCI CBIIT team will curate CDEs for the LPOs requesting assistance please submit request(s) to the NCI CDISC Mailbox
- Will curate only EC Forms where questions are not already curated CDASH or Inclusion/Exclusion
- For curation we will need CDISC details LPOs provide map to SDTM:
 - Variable label
 - Variable name
 - Data format
 - List of values (if enumerated)

CDISC Implementation Workflow



CDISC Rave Global Library: CTSU Change Matrix

Rave Attribute	caDSR/ OCI Attribute	CTSU CDISC Global library	Change Management	
Form Name	caDSR Form Long Name (e.g., DEMOGRAPHICS)	CDASH Domain Name (e.g., DEMOGRAPHICS)	<no as="" cadsr="" change:="" same=""></no>	
Form OID	caDSR Form Long Name (e.g., DEMOGRAPHICS)	2 letter CDASH Domain Name (e.g., DM)	Update by CTSU	
Variable OID	Short Name of the CDE (e.g., RACE)	CDASH/SDTM Variable Name (e.g., RACE)	<no as="" cadsr="" change:="" same=""></no>	
Field Name	caDSR CDE Long Name + PID + MajorV + MinorV (e.g., Race PID6343384_V1_0)	Variable Label + PID + MajorV + MinorV (e.g., Race PID6343384_V1_0)	<no as="" cadsr="" change:="" same=""></no>	
Field OID	2 letter domain prefix + CDASH/ SDTM variable (e.g., RACE)	2 letter domain prefix + CDASH/SDTM Variable Name (e.g., RACE)	<no as="" cadsr="" change:="" same=""></no>	
Field Label	Question Text (e.g., Which of the following five racial designations best describes you? (More than one choice is acceptable.))	Question Text or Variable label (e.g., Which of the following five racial designations best describes you? (More than one choice is acceptable.))	Update by CTSU **Specify the Variable label for Field Labels without question text **	
Data Dictionary Name	caDSR Value Domain Long Name + PID + MajorV (e.g., CDISC_SDTM_RACE_PID6343345_V1_0F)	caDSR Value Domain Long Name + PID + MajorV	<no as="" cadsr="" change:="" same=""></no>	
Data Dictionary Values- User Data String	Permissible Value Meaning (PVM) (e.g., Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander)	NCI preferred term (e.g., Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander)	<no as="" cadsr="" change:="" same=""></no>	
Data Dictionary Values- Coded Data String	Permissible Value (PV) (e.g., NATIVE HAWAIIAN OR OTHER PACIFIC ISLANDER)	Submission Value (e.g., NATIVE HAWAIIAN OR OTHER PACIFIC ISLANDER)	<no as="" cadsr="" change:="" same=""></no>	
Format- Date	char - \$11	dd MMM yyyy	Update by CTSU	
Format- Time	char - \$10	24 hr HH:nn:ss	Update by CTSU	
Format- Char (W/ Dictionary)	char (may be either the max length of dictionary value or extendable value;; e.g., \$100)	char (may be either the max length of dictionary value or extendable value; e.g., \$100)	<no as="" cadsr="" change:="" same=""></no>	
Format- Char (W/O Dictionary)	char -\$200	char -\$200	<no as="" cadsr="" change:="" same=""></no>	
Format- Numeric	num	num	<no as="" cadsr="" change:="" same=""></no>	
Control Type	(e.g., DropDownList)	DATE/TIME update	Update by CTSU	
SAS Label	n/a	Variable Label from SDTM; if no SDTM variable, use CDASH variable label	Update by CTSU	
Auto-Query for Required data entry	n/a	SDTM -Required & Expected Variables CDASH - HR and R/C	Update by CTSU	
Auto-Query for future Date	n/a	Set flag in the CDISC Rave GLIB ALS	Update by CTSU **Applicable to all dates**	

eCRFs Build Scenarios (1)

Rave eCRFs may have different build scenarios:

- 1) Variables from a single domain
- 2) Variables from multiple domains
- Custom variables that do not map to CDASH/SDTM
- 1) Single Domain: All variables in an eCRF are from a single domain.

Example: Concomitant Medication (CM) domain

- Set the CDISC Global library as the copy source for the study.
- Identify the Domain variables needed for the CRF.
- Use copy wizard to select and copy the variables from the domain identified for eCRF build.
- Multiple eCRFs can be built using the same domain by changing the FORM OID during the copy process.

eCRFs Build Scenarios (2)

2) Multiple Domains: Variables in an eCRF are from more than one domain.

Example: an Exposure form with variables from the EX and AE domains

- Follow the steps specified in the "eCRFs Build Scenarios: Single Domain" slide to build an Exposure form with variables from the EX domain.
- Using the copy wizard, copy the required variables from the AE domain to the study draft.
- Add AE domain variables to an Exposure form:

Option 1

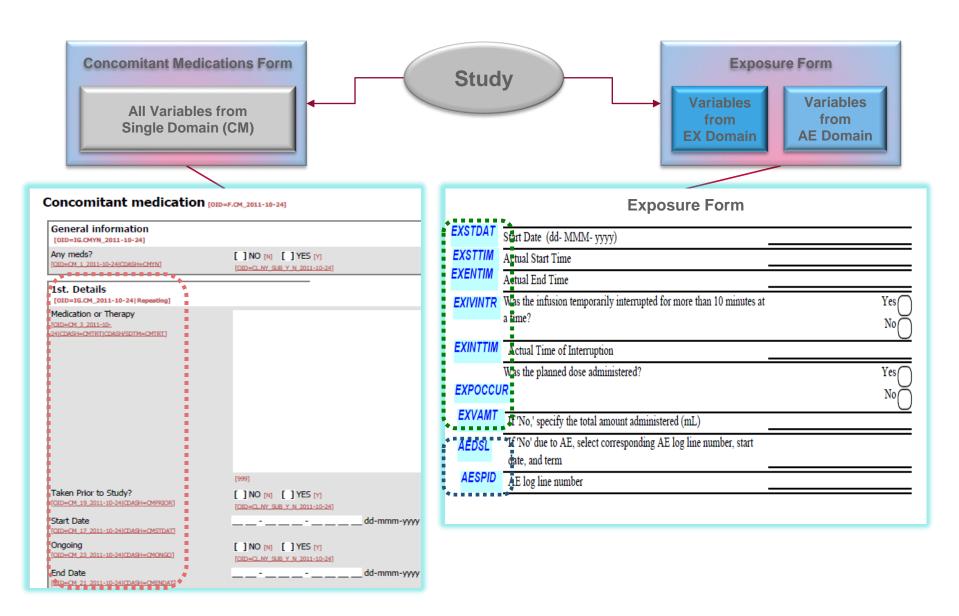
- Open the Exposure form; click add a new variable.
- Use the "Find" link on the variable definition screen to select the AE variable; click Apply to copy.

Note: the "Find" link brings only the Variable OID, Format and Data/Unit dictionary, not the associated Field attributes.

Option 2

- Download the ALS for the selected domains.
- Copy and paste the AE domain variables to the Exposure Form.
- Upload the ALS into Rave.

eCRFs Build Scenarios (3-Examples)



LPO Impact Analysis: Beta Release GLIB (1)

#	Document	LPO Findings/ Recommendations/ Questions	Decision
1	GLIB ALS	04/18/2019: I'm assuming a new release of the Controlled Terminology (CT) will be released prior to July. I wanted to confirm the final ALS release will contain the most up-to-date information. KL With the final release in July, will the GLIB and other ALS files be updated using the newest CDASH and SDTM controlled terminology packages?	CTSU will do an impact analysis (for CT Packages released by CDISC before July 2019) to understand the potential impact to our timeline. The intent it to provide documents as current as possible to CDISC releases/ updates; this must be done in consideration of the implementation timelines.
2	GLIB Release Notes: Section 3.2 Standard Conventions – Table 6	This table states that we cannot modify the Field OID. However, on the Variable Naming NVS webinar (3/28), Shannon presented several instances where it is expected and best practice to rename field OIDs in Rave for data collection purposes. In addition, the guide provides examples in 6.3 where it is OK/expected to change the field OIDs thus conflicting with the table. Please confirm Table 6 will be updated to reflect this.	 05/02/2019 CDISC Integration FG: LPOs can not change the field OIDs on Standard Forms LPOs can change the field OIDS on Non-Standard forms if they have a strong reason to do so. "Standard Forms" applies to the CTSU Standard Forms ALS, "Non-Standard Forms applies to variables not specified in the CTSU Standard Forms ALS.
3	GLIB Release Notes: Section 3.2 Standard Conventions – Table 7	Given the needed updates to the Field OID to be specific (see situations/comment from 2), the SAS label should be modified for Rave data collection to ensure our programmers using CDASH Rave outputs can correctly identify the fields using the OIDs and Labels. Therefore, the SAS Label should be allowed to be modified when the Form OID is changed. (When data is transformed into SDTM format, the SAS Label can also be updated)	Maintain the same SAS label as in the CDISC GLIB for consistency across LPOs.
4	GLIB ALS	In the ALS, the Field name is the Variable Label + PID. Why the Variable Label? At the Alliance, we find having the Field Name match the Field OID + PID is much easier for specification writing, debugging and general viewing. (Medidata help guides state that in most cases, the Field name is the same as the Field OID.) As far as we understand, the Field Name isn't used for anything site facing or outputs. If the global ALS will not be changed, can the Alliance modify this?	No changes to the Rave Field Names in the CDISC GLIB ALS and CDISC CTSU Standard Forms ALS; the default naming convention will remain as-is, "the caDSR Long Name of the CDE + PID details". LPOs can use "the caDSR Long Name of the CDE + PID details" or choose to use "the caDSR Short Name of the CDE + PID details" as the Rave field name as needed. If the LPO chooses to use "the caDSR Short Name of the CDE + PID details" for the Rave field name, they are responsible for this update in Rave.

LPO Impact Analysis: Beta Release GLIB (2)

#	Document	LPO Findings/ Recommendations/ Questions	Decision
5	GLIB Release Notes: Table 6	For the User Data String, Table 6 states we must use the NCI Preferred term. However, CDISC training has stated we can use the NCI Preferred Term or CDISC Synonym. Please clarify which is correct.	LPOs can decide to use the NCI Preferred Term or the CDISC Synonym for the User Data String in Rave. If LPOs decide to use the CDISC Synonym instead of the NCI Preferred Term, they will be responsible for related study build activities and mapping activities for SDTM submission. The 'CDISC GLIB Release Notes' document will be updated to provide details for use of the CDSIC Synonym versus the NCI Preferred Term. The CDISC GLIB ALS will remain as is, no changes will be made to the User Data String and NCI Preferred Terms.
6	GLIB ALS	Why is the Data Dictionary Name not modifiable? Some dictionaries will be used across several fields; however, different sub-sets of responses will be needed for the questions. i. Rave does not allow us to subset the dictionary choices at the field level – a separate dictionary must be created ii. Example: NY. Sometimes Unknown or Not Applicable are not valid responses for a question iii. The Alliance would be open to a standard naming convention in this situation.	If authoring a form directly in Rave: LPOs should use the vetted CSC Data Elements Work Group (DEWG) naming convention (caDSR Value Domain Long Name + PID + MajorV + MinorV + _0F) for dictionary names and append an integer when subsetting a dictionary. If building a form in the caDSR/ using the OCI to import the form into Rave: the OCI will append an integer to the dictionary name when a dictionary is reused/ subsetted. Dictionary Names have been reverted to No changes will be made to the CDISC GLIB ALS. The CDISC GLIB Release Notes will be updated to include this naming convention for subsetted dictionary names.
7	GLIB ALS	When the GLIB is updated/versioned, can we get a detailed change log with the future releases?	A change log will be provided in the release notes for each updated GLIB release.

LPO Impact Analysis: Beta Release GLIB (3)

#	Document	LPO Findings/ Recommendations/ Questions	Decision
#		LFO Findings/ Recommendations/ Questions	
8	NCI/CDISC Best Practices Document	04/18/2019: In this section, it talked about all of these documents needed to be provided. I'm curious if there is any guidance to expected/required format and/or the level that we have to have prepared for CTEP-IND trials. We do not submit data directly to the FDA; I'm curious if we have to have annotated CRFs, and all these other documents that are listed for all trials. And if the trial has intent to submit to FDA, can we negotiate with our pharma partner on these. KL Section 4.3: What does this mean for us as LPO's? We are not translating all of these statements into what actions need to be done on Alliance trials. (Maybe the training is still coming?)	All CTEP IND studies activated on/after 1/1/2020 must be CDISC compliant. CDISC Compliance is highly recommended for studies that activate prior to the 2020 date. The CDISC SME to provide additional feedback at the "Overview of FDA Submission Process" Webinar on May 22nd, 2019.
9	NCI/CDISC Best Practices Document	Could a real life example/demo of the described best practices for the Eligibility Checklist Forms be provided? We're not following the workflows, when to curate/not curate, etc.	The CBIIT caDSR team presented the curation support/ process for eligibility criteria at the December Committee Meeting and an overview of this process at the April Committee Meeting.
10	NCI/CDISC Best Practices Document	Does NCI/CTEP submit data to FDA on NCTN trials? If so, study by study or aggregated across studies?	No decision required, NCI does not submit to the FDA.
11	NCI/CDISC Best Practices Document	Throughout the entire document, please be specific what CDISC compliant means. CDASH, SDTM, ADaM, etc. a. Additionally, our understanding from previous meetings is that the requirement is to be CDASH compliant only. We understood that it is up to the LPOs discretion and negotiations with the Pharma partner on SDTM programming. Please be specific in the document about whether we are referring to CDISC-CDASH or CDISC-SDTM.	The FDA requirement is SDTM. the NCI requirement is CDASH. CDASH compliance makes SDTM compliance easier to achieve. CDISC PM to review and update the NCI CDISC Best Practices document as needed to ensure clear communication of the NCI requirement for CDASH compliance.

