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Dataset version 5.4.4 to 5.4.5

This is to let you know that we are adding new items to four of the volatile fields in the BCIS-CCAD dataset. This is simply a library update and does not involve a change in the structure of the dataset.

I have also altered the drug eluting stent descriptors, as they had become illogical and unwieldy. CCAD will accept both the old and new descriptors.

The additions are highlighted in yellow:

3.17	Drug based stents	0	None	
		1	Taxus liberte (Boston Scientific)	
		2	Cypher (including cypher select) (Cordis)	
		3	Achieve	
		4	Dexamet (Abbott)	
		5	Endeavor (Medtronic)	
		6	CoStar (Conor)	
		7	Janus (Sorin)	
		8	Xience V (Abbott)	
		9	Lekton Magic (Biotronik)	
		10	Promus (Boston Scientific)	
		11	Coroflex Please (Braun)	
		12	Genous (Orbus Neich)	
			13	BioMatrix (Biosensors)
			14	Endeavor Resolute (Medtronic)
			15	Nobori (Terumo)
			16	Titan-2 (Hexacath)
			17	Pico Elite (AMG)
			18	Taxcor (Eurocor)
			19	Yukon (Translumina)
			20	Axxion (Biosensors)
			21	Infinium (SMT)
			22	Millennium matrix (SMT)
			23	Apollo (Intek)
			24	Euca TAX (CEEA Medical)
	99	Unlisted		

5.10	Drug therapy PreOp	0	None
		1	Aspirin
		2	Ticlopidine
		3	Clopidogrel
		4	Heparin

5	Warfarin
6	Nitrates (iv or buccal)
7	Bivalirudin
8	Prasugrel
99	Unlisted

3.25	Arterial management	0	Manual pressure / clamp
		1	FemoStop / Radistop / TR Band
		2	Angioseal
		3	Vasoseal
		4	Perclose
		5	Duett
		6	Direct suture
		7	Starclose
		8	Clo-Sur P.A.D. (Medtronic)
		9	Prostar
99	Unlisted		

3.20	Procedural device(s) used	0	None
		1	Directional atherectomy
		2	Rotational atherectomy
		3	Cutting balloon
		4	Laser wire
		5	Laser angioplasty
		6	Intracoronary drug delivery
		7	Intramyocardial laser
		8	Intramyocardial injection
		9	Tornus
99	Unlisted		

A full history of the dataset changes can be found on the web site, along with a complete spreadsheet of the new version **5.4.5**

What should I do?

1. The commercial vendors of databases are all being informed of this modification, and I am sure will be able to add these items, or instruct you as to how to do it yourselves.
2. The Lotus Notes database will be updated to include these shortly.
3. If you are using my database, then you can make the change yourself by clicking the button on the front page menu 'default menus and drop down lists', and then selecting the appropriate volatile fields and typing in the changes. The items will then appear in the database drop down menus

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