

## Schedule of PHIN VADS Updates to Frequently Used Code Systems

PHIN VADS Code System	Code System Source	Update Period	Additional Information
<a href="#">LOINC</a>	Regenstrief Institute	March June September December	The whole code system is updated  *Update period reflects scheduled and past intermittent code system updates and hot fixes.
<a href="#">SNOMED</a>	NLM	January April July October	The whole code system is updated
<a href="#">RxNorm</a>	NLM	January April July September	A subset of this code system will be updated (Brand Name, Semantic Clinical Drug, Brand Name Pack, and Generic Pack)
<a href="#">ICD-10 CM</a>	CMS / CDC NCHS	January April July October	The whole code system is updated
<a href="#">ICD-10 PCS</a>	CMS	January April July October	The whole code system is updated
<a href="#">NUCC Provider Codes</a>	NUCC	January April July October	The whole code system is updated
HL7 version 2.x code systems	HL7	June	The whole code system is updated
<a href="#">County</a>	GNIS	March June September December	The whole code system is updated

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<a href="#">U.S. Board on Geographic Names (USGS - GNIS)</a>	GNIS	March June September December	Only the Populated Places subset is updated
<a href="#">ISO 693-3 Language Codes</a>	SIL International	January	ISO 693-3: largely overlaps with ISO 639-2 but includes several less-known languages. Created with computer systems in mind.
<a href="#">Country</a>	ISO	June December	The whole code system is updated
<a href="#">Lab Test (PHLIP)</a>	APHL	March	The whole code system is updated
<a href="#">Lab Result (PHLIP)</a>	APHL	March	The whole code system is updated

*\*Abbreviations: Association of Public Health Laboratories (APHL); Centers for Disease Control (CDC); Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS); Geographic Names Information System (GNIS); Health Level Seven (HL7); International Organization for Standardization (ISO); National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS); National Library of Medicine (NLM); National Uniform Claim Committee (NUCC)*

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