



# Patient Safety Component

## How to Add and Analyze Custom Procedure and Events

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# Goals for Today

- This training will provide an overview of NHSN Custom Reporting
- After the completion of this training, you will be able to:
  - Create a Custom Procedure
  - Produce a Custom Event
  - Locate reports available for data analysis
  - Perform analysis of procedure and SSI event data
  - Save custom analysis reports

# NHSN Defined Procedures and Events – Patient Safety

January 2023

Procedure-associated Module  
SSI Events

Table 1. Surgical Site Infection Criteria

Criterion	Surgical Site Infection (SSI)
	<b>Superficial incisional SSI</b>
	Must meet the following criteria:
	Date of event occurs within 30 days following the NHSN operative procedure (where day 1 = the procedure date)
	<b>AND</b>
	involved a superficial incision
	<b>AND</b>
	patient has at least <u>one</u> of the following:
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. purulent drainage from the superficial incision.</li> <li>b. organism(s) identified from an aseptically-obtained specimen from the superficial incision or subcutaneous tissue by a culture or culture based microbiologic testing method which is performed for purposes of clinical diagnosis or treatment (for example, not Active Surveillance Culture/Testing [ASC/AST]).</li> </ul>

**NHSN Defined Events**

January 2023

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Table 2. Surveillance Periods for SSI Following Selected NHSN Operative Procedure Categories. Day 1 = the date of the procedure.

30-day Surveillance			
Category	Operative Procedure	Category	Operative Procedure
AAA	Abdominal aortic aneurysm repair	LAM	Laminectomy
AMP	Limb amputation	LTP	Liver transplant
APPY	Appendix surgery		
AVSD	Shunt for cardiac surgery		
BILI	Bile duct, gallbladder surgery		
CEA	Carotid endarterectomy	PRST	Prostate surgery
CHOL	Gallbladder surgery	REC	Rectal surgery
COLO	Colon surgery	SB	Small bowel surgery
CSEC	Cesarean section	SPLE	Spleen surgery
CR	Craniotomy	THOR	Thoracic surgery

**NHSN Operative Procedure Categories**

# NHSN Defined Procedures and Events

- What if your facility wants to report and analyze data for procedures that are not an NHSN defined procedure?
- Answer – Create a custom procedure that fits your reporting needs in NHSN.

# Custom Procedure, Events and Fields

- NHSN custom data tools are surveillance resources that allow a facility to tailor its data collections needs
  - Use of these tools is **optional** and must be defined by the facility
- The facility should define their own criteria prior to creating custom options

Custom procedure	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Not an NHSN procedure</li><li>• Not included in Monthly Reporting Plan</li><li>• Off-plan reporting</li></ul>
Custom event	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• No NHSN Event criteria</li></ul>
Custom field	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Not an NHSN variable</li><li>• May be added to an NHSN defined procedure</li></ul>
There is not benchmarking available for custom created procedures. SIRS can not be calculated	

# Creating a New Procedure – Radical Cystectomy (RC)

- Cystectomy is a procedure that removes the bladder for treatment of invasive bladder cancer
- An incision is made through the abdomen to remove the bladder and, potentially, other organs and affected tissue
- A 2016 Mayo clinic study found that 12.7% of patients that underwent an RC procedure were diagnosed with a postoperative SSI infection within 30 days

# Custom Options Function (PSC)

- Accessed from the NHSN Facility side menu by access custom forms
- The page provides instructions and options for new variables, procedures and events that you can add

NHSN Home

- Alerts
- Dashboard ▶
- Reporting Plan ▶
- Patient ▶
- Event ▶
- Procedure ▶
- Summary Data ▶
- COVID-19 ▶
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- Analysis ▶
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  - Customize Forms
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  - Add/Edit Component
  - Locations
  - Surgeons
  - Direct Enroll
- Group ▶
- Tools ▶
- Logs ▶
- Dynamic Forms ▶



## Custom Options

**Instructions**

- To **Add** a record, fill in the form with the required fields and any desired optional values. Then click on the **Add** button.
- To **Find** a record, click on the **Find** button. One or more fields can be filled in to restrict the search to those values.
- To **Edit** a record, perform a **Find** on the desired record. Click on the desired record to fill in its values into the form and edit the values. To save the changes, click on the **Save** button.
- To **Delete** one or more records, perform a **Find** on the desired record(s). Check the corresponding box(es), then click on the **Delete** button.
- Press the **Clear** button to start over with a new form.

**Custom Form**

1. To create a custom form, select one of the Custom choices from the Form Type drop down list.
2. Enter a code and description for the custom form type into the Form and Description fields, respectively.
3. Enter labels for any custom fields you wish to have displayed on the screen.

**Custom Field Labels**

1. To label custom fields for any existing form, select the Form Type and Form from the drop down lists.
2. If one of the Summary Data forms is selected, it may be customized by location by selecting a value from the Your Location Code drop down list.
3. Enter labels for any custom fields you wish to have displayed on the screen. To reorder labels on the screen, click on a row in the Mandatory fields to "Add" or "Edit" a record marked with \*

Form Type \* :

Form \* :

Description \* :

Status \* :

**Define Custom Fields**

Add Row	Label	Type	Status
Delete			

**Find** **Add** **Clear**

# Selecting the Appropriate Form

## 1) Selecting form type

- a) CDC-Defined options are for adding new variables to existing CDC events and Procedures (example: COLO procedure, SSI event)
- b) Custom indicates you want to create a new procedure category or event type that does not exist in the PSC
- c) We want to add a “Custom-PS-Procedure” and “CDC-Defined-PS-Event” for this presentation.

Form Type \*: Custom - PS - Procedure

Form \*:

Description \*:

Status \*:

Define Custom

Add Row

Delete

Label	Type	Status

Find Add Clear



# Creating a New Procedure

- 2) Enter a Form: User defined code to assign your procedure
- 3) Enter a description: Detailed name of the procedure you are creating
- 4) Keep status “Active” for procedures

The image shows a screenshot of a web application interface for creating a new procedure. It features three identical form panels stacked vertically. Each panel contains the following fields:

- Form Type \***: A dropdown menu with the selected value "Custom - PS - Procedure".
- Form \***: A text input field containing the value "CYST".
- Description \***: A text input field containing the value "RADICAL CYSTECTOMY (RC)".
- Status \***: A dropdown menu with the selected value "Active".

At the bottom of the interface, there are three buttons: "Find", "Add", and "Clear". The "Add" button is highlighted with a red rectangular border.

Remember to click to Add Button

# Creating a New Procedure (cont.)

- Quality check to see if the new procedure category can be used

The screenshot shows the NHSN 'Add Procedure' form. On the left is a navigation menu with 'Procedure' selected, and a sub-menu with 'Add', 'Find', and 'Incomplete' options. A red arrow points from the 'Add' option to the 'Add Procedure' form. The form has two sections: 'Patient Information' and 'Procedure Information'. The 'Patient Information' section includes fields for Facility ID (DHQP MEMORIAL HOSPITAL (ID 10018)), Patient ID, Secondary ID, Last Name, Middle Name, Gender, and Ethnicity. The 'Race' section has checkboxes for American Indian/Alaska Native, Black or African American, White, Asian, and Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander. The 'Procedure Information' section includes a dropdown for NHSN Procedure Code (CYST - RADICAL CYSTECTOMY (RC)), radio buttons for ICD-10 PCS and CPT Code, and a Procedure Date field with a calendar icon and a 'Link/Unlink to Event' button. A second red arrow points from the 'Procedure Information' section to a zoomed-in view of the 'NHSN Procedure Code' dropdown, which shows 'CYST - RADICAL CYSTECTOMY (RC)' selected.

- Follow the same steps to manually add individual procedure records

<https://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/pdfs/training/2022/SSI-Reporting-508.pdf>

# Creating a New SSI Event (PSC)

- Similar process as creating a new procedure
  - For events additional details are added to an already existing event form (SSI event)
- For this presentation, a new field will be added to indicate if urine leakage was responsible for an Intra-abdominal infection that can be linked to the newly created procedure Radical Cystectomy (RC)

# Creating a New SSI Event (cont.)

Start on the [“Customize Forms”](#) page:

- 1) Select the form type for the new field – CDC – Defined-PS - Event
- 2) Assign the new field to an existing form
- 3) Enter a description that clearly describes the field
- 4) Ensure the status is set to active.

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Form Type \*:

Form #:

Description \*:

Status \*:

**Define Custom Fields**

Add Row	Delete	Label	Type	Status
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**Find** **Add** **Clear**

Form Type \*:

Form #:

Description \*:

Status \*:

Form Type \*:

Form #:

Description \*:

Status \*:

# Creating a New SSI Event (cont.)

- 5) Add a label to the field. This will be the label that appears on the form.
- 6) Select the type of variable (alpha-numeric, numeric, or date)
- 7) Save the newly created field

Form Type \*:

Form \*:

Description \*:

Status \*:

**Multiple Fields can be added to the new custom variables created**

Define Custom Fields			
	Label	Type	Status
<input type="checkbox"/>	URINE LEAK SSI	Alphanumeric	Active
<input type="checkbox"/>			

# Creating a New SSI Event (continued)

Check to see if the new field is added to the event form

**NHSN Home**

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- Tools
- Dynamic Forms
- Logout

### Add Event

Mandatory fields marked with \*  
Fields required for record completion marked with \*\*  
Fields required when in Plan marked with >

#### Patient Information

Facility ID \*: DHQP MEMORIAL HOSPITAL (ID 10018) v  
Patient ID \*: [ ] [Find] [Find Events for Patient]  
Secondary ID: [ ]  
Last Name: [ ]  
Middle Name: [ ]  
Gender \*: [v]  
Ethnicity: [v]  
Race:  American Indian/Alaska Native  Asian  
 Black or African American  Native Hawaiian/Other Pacific Islander  
 White

#### Event Information

Event Type \*: SSI - Surgical Site Infection v  
NHSN Procedure Code \*: [ ]  
Select button for system used  
 ICD-10 PCS [ ]  Outpatient Procedure \*: [ ]  
 CPT Code [ ]  
Procedure Date \*: [ ] 19 [Link to Procedure]  
MDRO Infection Surveillance \*: [ ]  
Location: [ ] v  
Date Admitted to Facility >: [ ] 19

#### Event Information

Event Type \*: SSI - Surgical Site Infection v  
NHSN Procedure Code \*: [ ]  
Select button for system used  
 ICD-10 PCS [ ]  Outpatient Procedure \*: [ ]  
 CPT Code [ ]  
Procedure Date \*: [ ] 19 [Link to Procedure]  
MDRO Infection Surveillance \*: [ ]  
Location: [ ] v  
Date Admitted to Facility >: [ ] 19

#### Event Details

Specific Event >: [ ] v  
Infection present at the time of surgery \*: [ ] v  
Detected >: [ ] v  
Secondary Bloodstream Infection >: N - No  
COVID-19 \*: [ ] v  
Died \*\*: [ ] v  
Discharge Date: [ ] 19  
Pathogens Identified >: N - No If Yes, specify below ->

#### Custom Fields

URINE LEAK: [ ]

- Follow the same steps to manually add individual event records  
<https://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/pdfs/training/2022/SSI-Reporting-508.pdf>

# Import Custom Procedure File

- Option to add multiple procedure records at once
- Data must be imported with a *header row* and the *header names* must match the *variable names* as they appear in the template file
- Must be uploaded via .csv file
- Required fields must be completed in order to upload the file successfully
  - CPT codes are not required for custom procedures, but encouraged

patID	gender	dob	Medicare ID	Proc Code	Proc CPTC	Proc Date	Proc DurationHr	Proc DurationMin	Sw Class	asa	scope	Surgeon Code	anesthesia	Ht Feet	Ht Inches	Wt English	diabetes	custom1
001534	F	5/24/53	2345671M	CSY		2/15/22	5	37	cc	2	Y	5698	Y	5	2	147	N	Y
004558	M	9/16/43	3456892M	CSY		5/9/22	6	7	cc	2	Y	7623	Y	6	0	197	y	Y


**Follow the same steps to import .csv files for the patient safety component**


<https://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/pdfs/ps-analysisresources/ImportingProcedureData.pdf>

# Resources for Importing Custom Files

- Found on the PSC – SSI website
  - Instructions on how to import SSI event data
  - ([Importing Patient Safety Procedure Data \(cdc.gov\)](https://www.cdc.gov/importing-patient-safety-procedure-data/))
- Import template file to add procedures to
  - Provides example of how data is entered in a .csv file format

## Supporting Materials

[NHSN Organism List \(All Organisms, Common Commensals, MBI Organisms, and UTI Bacteria\) – June 2022](#)   
[XLS – 560 KB]

[Sample Procedure Import File](#)  [XLSX – 25 KB]

[How to Import Patient Safety Procedure Data, January 2020](#)   
[PDF – 400 KB]

patID	gender	dob	Medicare ID	Proc Code	Proc CPTC	Proc Date	Proc Duration Hr	Proc Duration Min	Sw Class	asa	scope	Surgeon Code	anesthesia	Ht Feet	Ht Inches	Wt English	diabetes	custom1
001534	F	5/24/53	2345671M	CSY		2/15/22	5	37	cc	2	Y	5698	Y	5	2	147	N	Y
004558	M	9/16/43	3456892M	CSY		5/9/22	6	7	cc	2	Y	7693	Y	6	0	197		Y



# Create and Add Custom Procedure Wrap-Up

- ✓ Custom procedures and events are great tools to use for facilities that perform procedures outside of the NHSN defined procedure categories.
- ✓ Custom procedures are not NHSN defined procedure categories and cannot be part of in-plan reporting.
- ✓ Multiple fields can be added to existing forms (SSI Events, Procedure Forms, etc.).
- ✓ Custom procedures can be added individually or imported via a .csv file.
- ✓ Records for custom procedures and events can be analyzed in NHSN Analysis Reports.

# How to Access and Run Analysis Reports in the Patient Safety Component (PSC)

# Running Analysis Reports in PSC

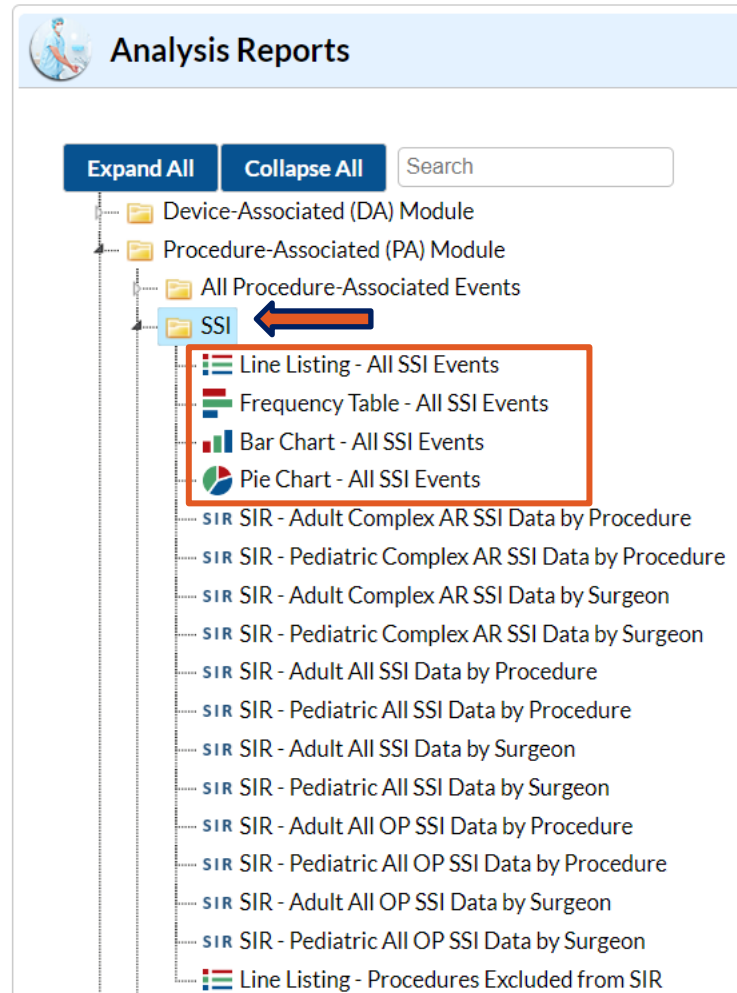
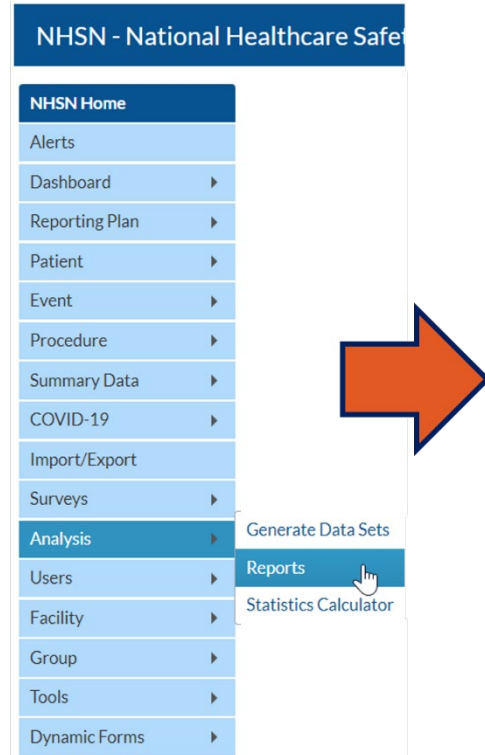
Before running any analysis reports for NHSN component, make sure your data set is current, and generate a new data set if needed.

The screenshot shows the NHSN Home navigation menu on the left, with 'Generate Data Sets' highlighted under the 'Analysis' category. The main content area is titled 'Generate Data Sets (Patient Safety)'. It features a 'Reporting Data Sets' section with a gear icon and a time period selection interface. The 'Beginning' and 'Ending' fields are set to 'mm/yyyy 1'. A 'Clear Time Period' button is visible. A blue button labeled 'Generate Reporting Data Sets' is circled in orange. A yellow box displays the last generated date and time: 'Last Generated: March 7, 2022 10:04 AM to include data beginning 06/2018 and ending 03/2022'. Two large orange arrows point from the navigation menu and the 'Generate Reporting Data Sets' button towards the main content area.

The guide for generating data sets can be found at [Generate Datasets\\_PSC \(cdc.gov\)](https://www.cdc.gov/patient-safety/patient-safety-component/generate-datasets)

# Accessing PSC Analysis Reports in NHSN

- Each **Report** option will have a drop-down menu for selection of specific report types



# Additional Analysis Reports

- Additional reports can allow you to create line listings, frequency tables, and graphs based on report type
- You can also create custom reports to save as a template for future use

The screenshot displays the 'Analysis Reports' interface. At the top, there is a search bar and two buttons: 'Expand All' and 'Collapse All'. Below this is a hierarchical tree of report categories. The 'Advanced' category is highlighted with a blue background and is enclosed in an orange rectangular box. This box contains a sub-tree of data levels: Patient-level Data, Event-level Data, Procedure-level Data, Summary-level Data, Plan Data, Pathogen-level Data, Facility-level Data, Vendor Information, Data Quality, Historical COVID-19 Module Reports, and Custom Reports. The 'Custom Reports' category is further highlighted with a blue rectangular box, which contains a sub-item 'My Custom Reports'. Below the 'Advanced' category is the 'Published Reports' category, which is also highlighted with a blue rectangular box. An orange arrow originates from the 'Advanced' category and points to the sub-tree of data levels. A blue arrow originates from the 'Custom Reports' category and points to the 'Published Reports' category.

Analysis Reports

Expand All Collapse All Search

- Device-Associated (DA) Module
- Procedure-Associated (PA) Module
- HAI Antimicrobial Resistance (DA+PA Modules)
- Antimicrobial Use and Resistance Module
- MDRO/CDI Module - LABID Event Reporting
- MDRO/CDI Module - Infection Surveillance
- MDRO/CDI Module - Process Measures
- MDRO/CDI Module - Outcome Measures
- CMS Reports
- TAP Reports
- Baseline Set 1
- Baseline Set 2
- Advanced
  - Patient-level Data
  - Event-level Data
  - Procedure-level Data
  - Summary-level Data
  - Plan Data
  - Pathogen-level Data
  - Facility-level Data
  - Vendor Information
  - Data Quality
  - Historical COVID-19 Module Reports
  - Custom Reports
    - My Custom Reports
- Published Reports

# Analysis Report Examples

# Scenario No.1

- The health department has reported an increase in the incidence of Bladder cancer in the most recent cancer report for the state. Facility A wants to see how many Radical Cystectomy (RC) procedures the hospital performed since monitoring of the procedure started.
- How can you find this information?
  - Create a custom report using the procedures data set
  - All the report types will help you answer this question

**New Report**

Show descriptive variable names ([Print List](#))

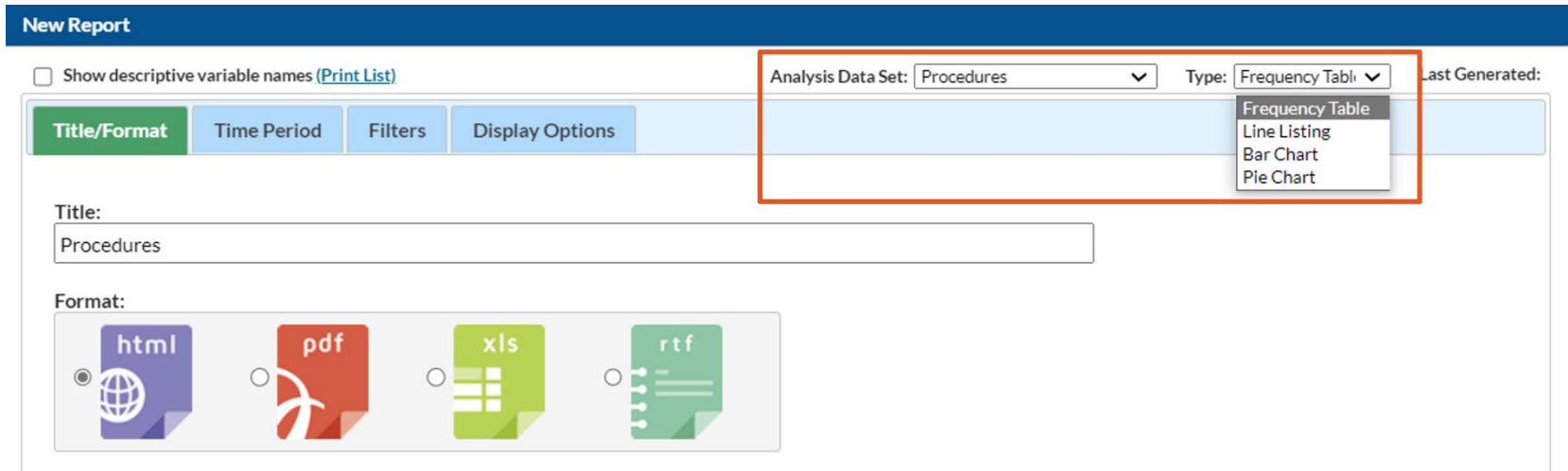
Analysis Data Set: Procedures ▾ Type: Frequency Table ▾ Last Generated:

**Title/Format** Time Period Filters Display Options

Title:  
Procedures

Format:

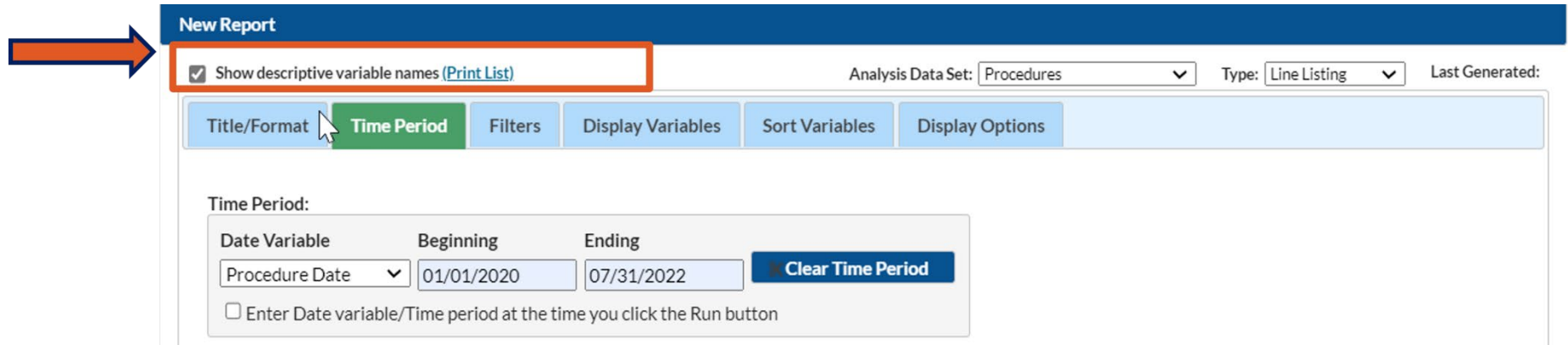
html  pdf  xls  rtf



How to modify a Report: [How to Modify a Report \(cdc.gov\)](#)

# Example No. 1 – Modify the Report Time Period

- Time period July 2020 through July 2022 (two years of data)



New Report

Show descriptive variable names ([Print List](#))

Analysis Data Set: Procedures Type: Line Listing Last Generated:

Title/Format **Time Period** Filters Display Variables Sort Variables Display Options

Time Period:

Date Variable	Beginning	Ending	
Procedure Date	01/01/2020	07/31/2022	<a href="#">Clear Time Period</a>

Enter Date variable/Time period at the time you click the Run button

- Show descriptive variable names + variable labels on the report
  - ProcDateYQ = procedure date year quarter
- Date variable: Search by procedure date because procedure carries the risk of infection



# Example No. 1 – Add a Procedure Code Filter

- The NHSN application allows the user to filter on one or more variables to with in the analysis data set.

The screenshot displays the 'New Report' configuration interface. At the top, there is a blue header bar with the text 'New Report'. Below this, a row of controls includes a checked checkbox for 'Show descriptive variable names (Print List)', a dropdown menu for 'Analysis Data Set' set to 'Procedures', a dropdown menu for 'Type' set to 'Line Listing', and a 'Last Generated:' label. A horizontal navigation bar contains several tabs: 'Title/Format', 'Time Period', 'Filters' (which is highlighted in green), 'Display Variables', 'Sort Variables', and 'Display Options'. Below the navigation bar, there are 'Additional Filters:' buttons for 'Show' and 'Clear'. The main area shows a filter rule structure with 'AND' and 'OR' operators. A specific rule is highlighted with an orange border and an orange arrow pointing to it from the left. This rule consists of a dropdown menu for 'Procedure Code', a dropdown menu for 'equal', and a dropdown menu for 'CYST - RADICAL CYSTECTOMY - RC', followed by a 'Delete' button. There are also 'Add group' and 'Add rule' buttons on the right side of the filter structure.

- For this example, the procedure data set is filtered for “CYST” procedures only.

# Example No. 1 - Line Listing Report Output

- Provides a list of all CYST procedures
  - Several variables can be added to the report based on user preference

## National Healthcare Safety Network Procedures

As of: August 29, 2022 at 12:01 PM

Date Range: PROCEDURES procDate 01/01/2020 to 07/31/2022

Procedure Code=CYST

Facility Org ID	Patient ID	Procedure Date	Procedure Code	Procedure Code Description	Gender	Age on Proc Date
10018	MD-11000	02/24/2021	CYST	CYST	M	65
10018	MD-15000	07/05/2020	CYST	CYST	M	74
10018	MD-23000	05/16/2021	CYST	CYST	M	72
10018	MD-25000	10/11/2020	CYST	CYST	M	64
10018	MD-2000	11/02/2020	CYST	CYST	M	66
10018	MD-3000	07/21/2022	CYST	CYST	M	67
10018	MD-5000	12/18/2021	CYST	CYST	M	64
10018	MD-6000	09/12/2020	CYST	CYST	M	50
10018	MD-16000	06/17/2022	CYST	CYST	M	76
10018	MD-21000	07/08/2020	CYST	CYST	M	70
10018	MD-9000	02/15/2022	CYST	CYST	M	61
10018	MD-10000	11/14/2021	CYST	CYST	M	81
10018	MD-12000	10/29/2020	CYST	CYST	M	51
10018	MD-13000	03/28/2022	CYST	CYST	M	67
10018	MD-18000	08/02/2021	CYST	CYST	M	74

# Example No. 1 – Frequency Table

- Provides a summary of the CYST procedures based on user input
  - This provides the number of CYST procedures preformed in each year (2020 – 2022)

National Healthcare Safety Network  
Procedures  
As of: August 29, 2022 at 12:13 PM  
Date Range: PROCEDURES procDateYr 2020 to 2022  
if (((procCode = "CYST" ) ))

gender=F

Frequency	Table of procDateYr by procCode		
	procDateYr	procCode	
		CYST	Total
	2020	3	3
	2021	16	16
	2022	6	6
	<b>Total</b>	25	25

gender=M

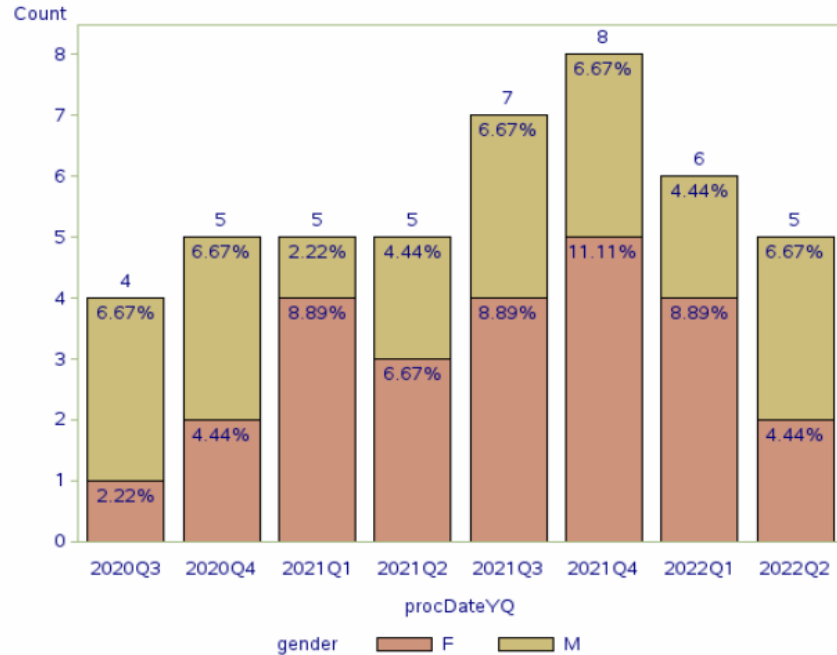
Frequency	Table of procDateYr by procCode		
	procDateYr	procCode	
		CYST	Total
	2020	6	6
	2021	9	9
	2022	6	6
	<b>Total</b>	21	21

# Example No. 1 – Bar Chart

- Provides a graphic summary of the CYST procedures based on user input
  - This provides a bar chart summary of male and female CYST procedures by quarter (2020 – 2022)

Quick Reference Guide for Bar Charts  
- <https://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/pdfs/ps-analysis-resources/BarCharts.pdf>

National Healthcare Safety Network  
Procedures  
As of: August 29, 2022 at 12:21 PM  
Date Range: PROCEDURES procDateYQ 2020Q1 to 2022Q2  
if ((procCode = "CYST"))



Data contained in this report were last generated on August 29, 2022 at 9:36 AM to include data beginning June 2018 through July 2022.

# Saving a Custom Report

**New Report**





Show descriptive variable names ([Print List](#))      Analysis Data Set: Procedures      Type: Frequency Table      Last Generated:

**Title/Format**    Time Period    Filters    Display Options

Type: Frequency Table  
Line Listing  
Bar Chart  
Pie Chart

Title:

Format:

► Run    **Save...**    Export...    Close

Every report can be customized and saved for future use by clicking on the Save button

## Scenario No.2

- After reviewing your data for CYST procedures, you want to know how many has an SSI event linked to the procedure.
- How can you find this information?
  - Create a custom report using the SSI\_Events data set
  - All the report types can help you answer this question

**New Report**

Show descriptive variable names ([Print List](#))

Analysis Data Set: SSI\_Events Type: Line Listing Last Generated:

Frequency Table  
Line Listing  
Bar Chart  
Pie Chart

**Title/Format** Time Period Filters Display Variables Sort Variables Display Options

Title:  
SSI\_Events

Format:

html pdf xls rtf

How to modify a Report: [How to Modify a Report \(cdc.gov\)](#)

# Example No. 1- Line Listing Report Output

- Provides a list of all patients that had an CYST procedure linked with an SSI event
  - Several variables can be added to the report based on user preference

## National Healthcare Safety Network

### SSI\_Events

As of: August 29, 2022 at 1:18 PM

Date Range: SSI\_EVENTS procDateYr 2020 to 2022

if (((procCode = "CYST" )))

Procedure Code=CYST

Patient ID	Gender	Event ID	Procedure Code	Procedure Year	Procedure Date	Event Date	Days: Procedure to Event	Event Type	Abscess?	Pain or tenderness?
MD-12000	M	111555	CYST	2020	10/29/2020	11/15/2020	18	SSI	Y	Y
MD-24000	M	111556	CYST	2021	07/09/2021	08/01/2021	24	SSI	Y	Y
MD-5000	M	111554	CYST	2021	12/18/2021	01/04/2022	18	SSI	Y	Y
MD-40000	F	111557	CYST	2022	01/28/2022	02/11/2022	15	SSI	Y	Y
MD-50000	F	111558	CYST	2022	06/21/2022	07/05/2022	15	SSI	Y	Y

## In Summary

- Reports such as line listings, frequency tables and graphical charts can be used to analyze patterns in the data
- Additional analysis reports are available for analyzing numerator and denominator data
- Analysis reports to provide insight into trends for prevention initiatives



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