School of Health Information Science Seminar:

Toward Digital Health Equity in BC: Introduction to the BC GSSO HIS Standard & Guidance

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The Government of British Columbia (BC) Ministry of Health has produced this gender, sex, and sexual orientation (GSSO) health information systems (HIS) standard and guidance to support inclusive, equitable, and quality healthcare in BC. Our aim with this Standard and Guide is to support a consistent approach to the ongoing modernization of GSSO information practices in BC healthcare, and to support improved delivery of provincial health programs and services by providing a framework, concepts, definitions, and guidance for the selection of technical artefacts such as concepts from controlled medical vocabularies/health terminology standards and code values from health information exchange standards which are used to share data between HIS; supporting quality, affirming and culturally safe care and improved health outcomes through evidence-based design and implementation guidance; modernizing principles, policies, processes, and information practices that include defining, collecting, organizing, exchanging, and using GSSO concepts in HIS; promoting the integration of a wide range of social services; Illustrating how modernized gender and sex information practices can help a wide range of users within healthcare meet their information needs; clarifying practices for consistent representation, collection and use of gender and sex health information; and outlining minimum (common), expanded and exceptional GSSO data collection standards.

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