



STS Adult Cardiac Surgery Database v2.9

Edits and Checks

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Definition of Consistency Check: Notification of a potentially needed change within your data. These checks report inconsistencies or possible inconsistencies between two or more data elements on the record. The **data are not altered** at the Data Warehouse, but the Participant should review their data and correct the inconsistencies if needed. Participants will be notified of these inconsistencies in their data via the participant-specific data quality report.

Definition of Consistency Edit: A change was made to your data and requires your attention. A standard rule for editing the data is to make information consistent. These changes ensure that each data item is consistent with the other data on the record. The **data are altered** at the Data Warehouse and Participants will be notified of any of these edits performed on their data via the participant-specific data quality report.

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