Goal: Restructure Nutrition-Related Content of International SNOMED CT Release

- Driver = Current structure is not well organized, often without context. Need for international standardization of concepts.
- Focus = Starting with Diagnosis. Once Diagnosis is complete, following up with Intervention and then Assessment
- Considerations
 - Content must be appropriate for the international edition, taking into consideration the input of a broad set of stakeholders
 - Content must be compliant with SNOMED editorial standards.
- Deprecation (concept retirement) rules of thumb; all deprecated concepts must include an explanation:
 - If duplicate, then the concept that it is duplicate to and whether you want to add it as a synonym.
 - If ambiguous, what are the two MAY BE A concepts that it might refer to. Example "Deficiency state" may refer to nutritional or mental aspects.
 - If erroneous, what concept is the correct concept.
 - If none of the above, then "no reason stated".

NCPT Relationship to SNOMED CT

NCPT	SNOMED CT
Assessment	Observable Entity*
Diagnosis	Finding, Disorder,
	Situation with Explicit Context
Intervention	Procedure (Regimes and
	Therapies)
Monitoring/Evaluation	Procedure
	Observable Entity*

^{*}There is uncertainty about the current status of Observable entities that requires clarification