Electronic Healthcare Record (EHR) with Terminology in Semantic Web

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Background

- Worked on RDF representation of FHIR in HL7 ITS WorkGroup
- SNOMED ontology indicates that Coded Element is not the optimal binding
- Continued to seek a Semantic Web optimum
- Developed executable on an Open Data
 Platform which supported Semantic Web
- The Ontology of an EHR can execute

HL7 RDF Instance

(from HL7 FHIR RDF in turtle)

```
[a fhir:AllergyIntolerance;
fhir: AllergyIntolerance.code [
 fhir:CodeableConcept.coding [a http://snomed.info/id/409137002;
  fhir:Coding.system [fhir:value "http://snomed.info/sct"];
  fhir:Coding.code [fhir:value "409137002"];
  fhir:Coding.display [fhir:value "No Known Drug Allergy
           (situation)" ]
```

Verbatim RDF interpretation of FHIR with terminology type added

SNOMED OWL released by IHTSDO

- http://snomed.info/id/409137002 rdf:type owl:Class;
- rdfs:label "No Known Drug Allergies";
- rdfs:subClassOf <http://snomed.info/id/138875005>.

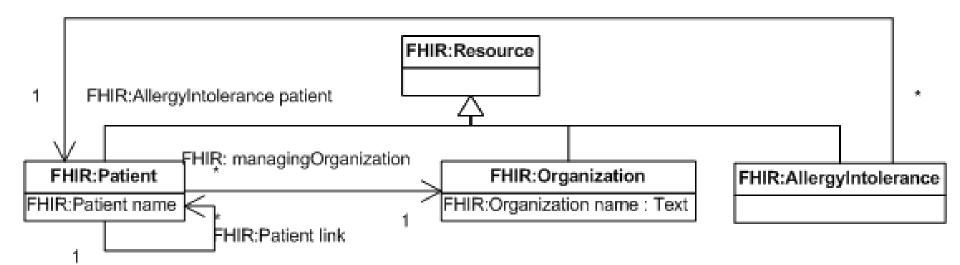
138875005 is the root SNOMED concept

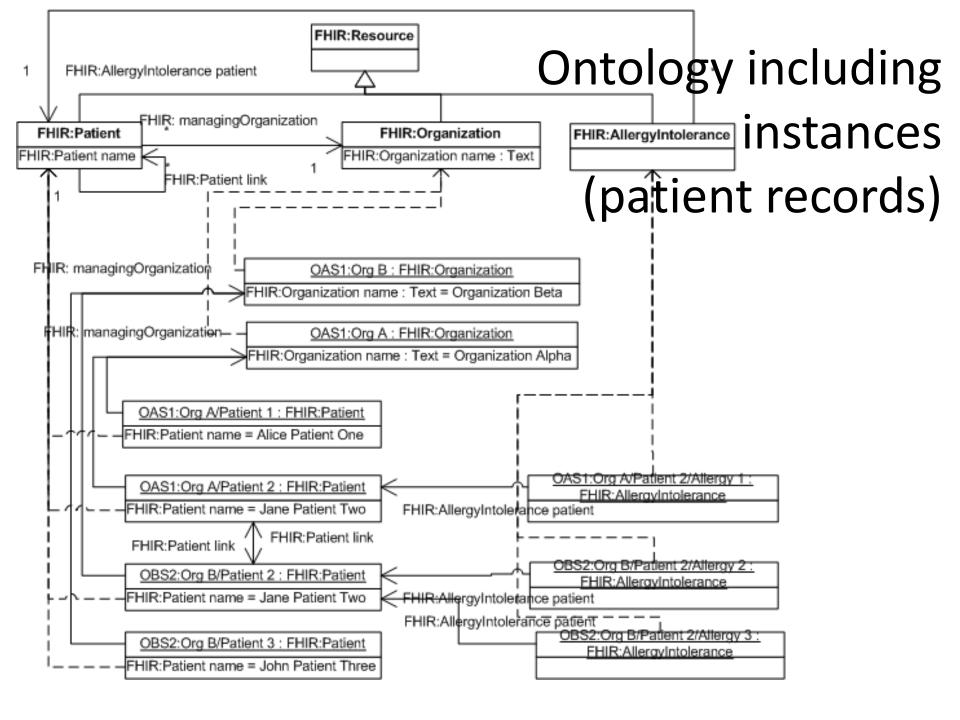
Binding Simplification

- [a fhir:AllergyIntolerance; a http://snomed.info/id/409137002;
- other properties
-];

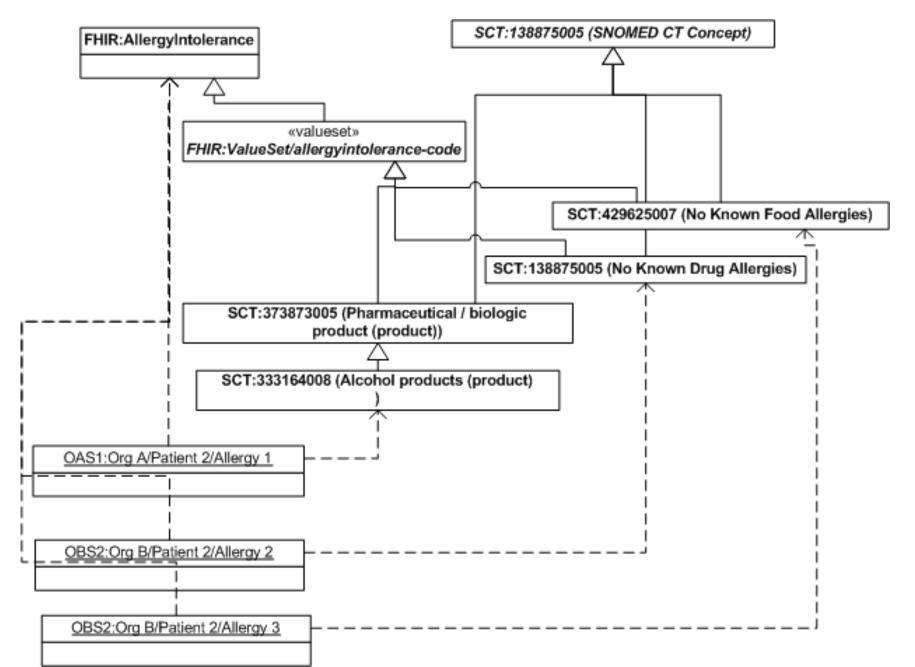
This breaks with the verbatim representation

Example FHIR Ontology (T-box)





Binding to Terminology



Proof of Concept

- Semantic Web platform (Semantic MediaWiki) executes the Ontology
- Model is translated into SMW PSM
 - Classes are Categories, Subcategories
 - Associations/Attributes are Properties
- Templates define the visual presentation including run-time embedded queries (SPARQL like)
- Forms are developed for Health structured data capture
- Took < 1 week to implement

Conclusion

- Open Data Platform allows a Model to become executable
- Implements some of the OMG MDA concepts
- Semantic MediaWiki (SMW) was a successful start
- Platform needs to be hardened
- Platform is not Health Domain specific and is widely used
- Development productivity is accelerated

Links

- https://www.semantic-mediawiki.org/wiki/Semantic MediaWiki
- https://wikiapiary.com/wiki/Semantic statistics
 - There are 1,858 wikis on WikiApiary that use Semantic MediaWiki to store more than 1,111,264,536 values for 1,249,149 properties. For 1682 of them statistical information is collected
- http://wiki.cancer.org.au/australia/Guidelines
 - Wiki-based clinical practice guidelines will ultimately improve the standard and consistency of clinical practice according to the best and most recent scientific evidence available. It is a service provided by Cancer Council Australia to inform clinical practice.
- http://www.wikidoc.org/index.php/Main Page
 - WikiDoc is an open source website that allows an international community of healthcare professionals to add and edit medical content in a process termed co-creation. WikiDoc is designed to facilitate collaborative authoring

Demonstration