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Changes to eCDOP/NCMD portal and statutory data collection forms

Notification form changes

- In the **Child's details** section, the field **Gender** has been changed to **Sex**.
- The question **Did the child have a learning disability?** has been added, for children aged 4 years or older.
- The question **Was this child known to be a smoker?** will only appear for children aged 10 years or older.

Reporting form changes

- Extra explanatory text has been added to the free text box: **Factors intrinsic to the child (including the pregnancy)**. The added text is: *Consider whether the mother was vaccinated against COVID-19 during pregnancy, or whether the child was vaccinated in deaths where this was relevant.*
- The question **Was this child known to CAMHS?** has been changed to **Was this child known to Mental Health Services (child and adolescent or adult mental health services)?** .

Supplementary reporting form: Suicide or Self-Harm changes

- The question **What was the gender of the child registered at birth?** has been changed to **What was the sex of the child registered at birth?** .

Analysis form changes

- There is now a dropdown list of groups and subgroups for the contributory factors (see separate **Contributory Factors: Guidance for CDOPs** document), and pre-populated factor rules (in eCDOP, and soon to be released in the NCMD portal).
- Explanatory text for each Domain and Category of Death has been added to eCDOP, for consistency with the statutory form.