
Payment type

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Identifying and Definitional Attributes

Data Dictionary: NHADD
Knowledgebase ID: 000882 Version number: 1
Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT
Registration Authority: NHDAMG Admin status: SUPERSEDED
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Definition: The type of benefit, pension or allowance that is received by the client or their partner.
Context: Used in the assessment of eligibility for Commonwealth Rent Assistance. This payment is available to recipients of income support payments except those receiving:
- Austudy; and
- Youth allowance if the client is not entitled to the higher living away from home rate of payment.
Payment type can also be an indicator of the need and circumstances of individuals and is sometimes used in the assessment of income equity.

Relational and Representational Attributes

Datatype: Alphabetic
Representational form: CODE
Representation layout: CCC
Minimum Size: 2
Maximum Size: 3
Data Domain: AGE Age Pension
AUS Austudy
BVA Bereavement Allowance
CAR Carer Payment
DSP Disability Support Pension
FAH FTB(A) Only at more than minimum rate
FBH FTB(B) Only at more than minimum rate
FBL FTB(B) at minimum rate (plus FTBB)
FP* Partner of Family payment recipient

NMA	Newstart Mature Age Allowance
NNS	Non-payment Spouse of Newstart Recipient
NPS	Non-payment Spouse of Pensioner
NSA	Newstart Allowance
NSC	Crisis Payment-Newstart
PG*	Non-payment Spouse of PPP (Parenting Payment Partnered - includes PGL, PGN, PGP, PGY)
PGC	Crisis Payment-Parenting
PGL	Parenting allowance - Low Income earner
PGN	Parenting payment - partner of Newstart recipient
PGP	Parenting payment - partner of Pensioner
PGY	Parenting payment - partner of YAL customer
PNC	Crisis Payment-Pension
PPS	Parenting Payment Single (formerly sole parent pension)
PTA	Partner Allowance
SKA	Sickness Allowance
SPL	Special Benefit
WDA	Widow Allowance
WFA	Wife Pension Age
WFD	Wife Pension DSP
WID	Widow Pension
YAL	Youth Allowance

Guide For Use: PG* and FP* are derived payment type codes that indicate the person does not receive an income support payment or more than base rate FTB but is the partner of a person who receives either Parenting Payment Partnered (PG*) or FTB (FP*). Whilst the individual is not eligible for CRA, their partners may be. These codes are used to assist FaCS in compiling the data set. Parenting Payment Partnered (PPP) is the proper name for the payment type but the Commonwealth housing data set including CRA uses a series of sub-codes which indicate the conditions under which the payment is made (i.e. PGL, PGN, PGP and PGY).

Related metadata: relates to the data element Income source version 2

Administrative Attributes

Source Document: FaCS 2003. Unpublished. Draft performance indicators for Commonwealth Rent Assistance.

Source Organisation: Commonwealth Department of Family and Community Services.

Data Element Links

Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element

Data Agreements which include this Data Element
