Appointment—service provider profession, code AAA

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Appointment providers profession code |
| Synonymous names: | APP\_PROVIDER\_PROFESSION\_CODE |
| METEOR identifier: | 501244 |
| Registration status: | [WA Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/5), Standard 19/03/2015 |
| Definition: | The clinical specialty of the health care provider that is delivering the service to a patient at an appointment, as represented by a code. |

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| Data element concept attributes | |
| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Data element concept: | [Appointment—service provider profession](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/501209) |
| METEOR identifier: | 501209 |
| Registration status: | [WA Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/5), Standard 19/03/2015 |
| Definition: | The clinical specialty of the health care provider that is delivering the service to a patient at an appointment. |
| Object class: | [Appointment](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/496875) |
| Property: | [Service provider profession](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/501202) |

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| Value domain attributes | |
| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Value domain: | [Service provider profession code AAA](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/501222) |
| METEOR identifier: | 501222 |
| Registration status: | [WA Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/5), Standard 19/03/2015 |
| Definition: | A set of alphabetic characters that identifies the clinical specialty of a health care provider. |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | String | |
| Format: | AAA | |
| Maximum character length: | 3 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | AUD | Audiologist |
|  | CAR | Cardiology |
|  | CPS | Clinical Psychologist |
|  | CTS | Cardiothoracic |
|  | DEN | Dentist |
|  | DER | Dermatology |
|  | DIA | Diabetes Educator |
|  | DIT | Dietitian |
|  | END | Endocrinology |
|  | ENT | Ear Nose Throat |
|  | ENU | Enrolled Nurse |
|  | GAS | Gastroenterology |
|  | GEN | Genetics |
|  | GER | Gerontology |
|  | GES | General Surgery |
|  | GPM | General Medicine |
|  | GPR | General Practitioner |
|  | GYN | Gynaecology |
|  | GYO | Gynae Oncologist |
|  | HAE | Haematology |
|  | HLO | Health Liaison Officer |
|  | HPO | Health Promotion Officer |
|  | HWK | Health Worker |
|  | HYP | Hyperbaric Medicine |
|  | IMA | Immunology and Allergy |
|  | IMM | Immunology |
|  | INF | Infectious Medicine |
|  | INV | In Vitro |
|  | LTS | Liver Transplant |
|  | MAT | Maternal Medicine |
|  | MED | Medical Officer |
|  | MDW | Midwife (Non Nurse) |
|  | NUP | Nurse Practitioner |
|  | MIC | Microbiology |
|  | NEO | Neonatology |
|  | NEP | Nephrology Dialysis |
|  | NES | Neurosurgery |
|  | NEU | Neurology |
|  | NSP | Not Specified |
|  | NUC | Nuclear Medicine |
|  | NUR | Nurse |
|  | OBS | Obstetrics |
|  | OCC | Occupational Therapist |
|  | ONC | Oncologist |
|  | OPH | Ophthalmology |
|  | ORA | Oral Surgery |
|  | ORP | Orthoptics |
|  | ORT | Orthopaedics |
|  | OTO | Otolaryngology |
|  | PAE | Paediatric Medicine |
|  | PAI | Pain Management |
|  | PAL | Palliative Medicine |
|  | PAT | Pathology |
|  | PED | Paediatrician |
|  | PAS | Pastoral Care |
|  | PHA | Pharmacist |
|  | PHS | Physician |
|  | PHY | Physiotherapist |
|  | PLA | Plastic Reconstruction |
|  | POD | Podiatrist |
|  | PRO | Prosthetics and Orthotics |
|  | PSG | Psychology |
|  | PSY | Psychiatry |
|  | RAD | Radiology |
|  | RAO | Radiation Oncology |
|  | RAT | Radiotherapy |
|  | REH | Rehabilitation Medicine |
|  | RNU | Registered Nurse |
|  | SOC | Social Worker |
|  | SPC | Speech Therapist |
|  | THA | Therapy Assistant |
|  | URO | Urology |
|  | VAS | Vascular |
| Supplementary values: | NSP | Not specified |
|  | UNK | Unknown |



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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | This data element is used to determine a [non-admitted patient service event](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/400604).  All codes in the value domain are in-scope for this purpose, with the exception of PAS (Pastoral Care) and PSY (Psychiatry). |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Appointment—service provider profession, code AAAA](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/607300)  [WA Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/5), Standard 01/06/2017 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection (NAPAAWL DC) 2013-14](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/490816)  [WA Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/5), Standard 19/03/2015  [WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection (NAPAAWL DC) 2014-15](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/605977)  [WA Health](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/5), Standard 24/04/2015 |