

# Appointment—client type, code AA

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Appointment client type code
<b>Synonymous names:</b>	APP_CLIENT_TYPE_CODE
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	555000
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">WA Health, Standard 19/03/2015</a>
<b>Definition:</b>	The code that represents the category of patient, based on the health care setting the patient is attached to at the time of the appointment.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Appointment—client type</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Appointment client type code AA</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code	
<b>Data type:</b>	String	
<b>Format:</b>	AA	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	2	
<b>Permissible values:</b>	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
	CC	Continuing care
	ED	Emergency Department
	EX	External
	IP	Inpatient
	OP	Outpatient
	PH	Primary Health
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	NS	Not specified

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	This data element is used to determine a <a href="#">non-admitted patient service event</a> when the client type is coded as OP (Outpatient).  All other codes for this data element are out-of-scope for the purposes of determining a <a href="#">non-admitted patient service event</a> .  Those records in the NAPAAWL DC that do not have a client type of OP (Outpatient) are excluded from reports of non-admitted activity data.
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### Relational attributes

<b>Related metadata references:</b>	Has been superseded by <a href="#">Appointment—client type, code AA</a> <a href="#">WA Health, Standard 01/06/2017</a>
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**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection \(NAPAAWL DC\) 2013-14](#)  
[WA Health](#), Standard 19/03/2015

[WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection \(NAPAAWL DC\) 2014-15](#)  
[WA Health](#), Standard 24/04/2015