

Appointment—client type, code AA

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Appointment client type code
Synonymous names:	APP_CLIENT_TYPE_CODE
METEOR identifier:	643515
Registration status:	WA Health, Standard 01/06/2017
Definition:	The code that represents the type of patient, based on the health care setting the patient is attached to at the time of the appointment.
Data Element Concept:	Appointment—client type
Value Domain:	Appointment client type code AA

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	String
Format:	AA
Maximum character length:	2

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	CC	Continuing care
	ED	Emergency Department
	EX	External
	IP	Inpatient
	OP	Outpatient
	PH	Primary Health
Supplementary values:	UN	Unknown
	NS	Not specified

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	<p>This data element is used to determine a non-admitted patient service event when the client type is coded as OP (Outpatient), UN (Unknown) or NS (Not specified).</p> <p>All other codes for this data element are out of the scope of a non-admitted patient service event.</p> <p>Those records in the NAPAAWL DC that do not have a client type of OP (Outpatient), UN (Unknown) or NS (Not specified) are excluded from counts of non-admitted patient service events.</p>
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Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes [Appointment—client type, code AA](#)
[WA Health](#), Standard 19/03/2015

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection \(NAPAAWL DC\) 2016-17](#)
[WA Health](#), Standard 30/05/2017