# Non-Admitted Data Collection
Data Dictionary

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# Abbreviations

| | |
|---|---|
| ABS | Australian Bureau of Statistics |
| AHPRA | Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency |
| AIHW | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| CEO | Chief Executive Officer |
| DoH | Department of Health |
| DVA | Department of Veterans Affairs |
| HACC | Home and Community Care |
| ID | Identifier |
| IHACPA | Independent Health and Aged Care Pricing Authority |
| METeOR | Metadata Online Registry |
| MCC | Multidisciplinary Case Conference |
| NADC | Non-Admitted Data Collection |
| NMDS | National Minimum Data Set |
| PAS | Patient Administration System |
| RHCA | Reciprocal Health Care Agreement |
| SACC | Standard Australian Classification of Countries 2016 |
| UMRN | Unit Medical Record Number |
| WA | Western Australia |
| webPAS | Web-based Patient Administration System |

# 1.    Purpose

The purpose of the Non-Admitted Data Collection Data Dictionary is to detail the data elements captured in the Non-Admitted Data Collection (NADC).

The *Non-Admitted Data Collection Data Dictionary* is a related document under *MP 0164/21 Patient Activity Data Policy*.

This data dictionary is to be read in conjunction with this policy and other related documents and supporting information as follows:

- *Non-Admitted Patient Activity Data Business Rules*
- *Non-Admitted Data Collection Data Specifications*
- *Patient Activity Data Policy Information Compendium*.

# 2.    Background

The use of non-admitted patient data by the WA health system is dependent on high quality data that are valid, accurate and consistent.

For the purposes of this document, the terms "patient", "client" and "person" are used interchangeably. Within many non-admitted settings the term "client" is being increasingly adopted to reflect that some services are not focused solely on treating health conditions but aim to empower individuals through collaboration. However, it is acknowledged that the term "patient" is generally the preferred term in a hospital setting.

# 3.    Recording of data

Data that are submitted to the NADC must be recorded in accordance with the Data Definitions (Section 4).

Please note there are multiple source (feeder) systems that submit non-admitted patient activity data to the Non-Admitted Data Collection. The permitted values identified in this document consider all relevant feeder systems; inclusion of a value in the permitted values list does not imply it is permitted or available in all source systems.

# 4.    Data definitions

The following section provides specific information about data elements captured in the NADC, including definitions, permitted values, guide for use, whether or not an element is mandatory, and operational examples.

All information relating to data elements in this data dictionary is specific to the NADC and caution should be taken if these data elements are compared with those of other data collections.

Where relevant, related national definitions have been referenced. The Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW) is acknowledged for services provided in relation to the Metadata Online Registry (METeOR), Australia's repository for national metadata standards for the health, community services, early childhood, homelessness, and housing assistance sectors, which is owned by the AIHW.

Note the requirement status for each data element. Data elements can be either Mandatory, Conditional or Optional. An explanation is provided below.

**Mandatory**

These data elements must be included in the data record that is submitted to the NADC.

**Conditional**

These data elements are only mandatory if certain criteria are met.

**Optional**

These data elements are available for submission to the NADC, but are not mandatory.

# Appointment - Account Number

| Definition: | A unique identifier for an appointment assigned by the source information system. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Field name: | APPOINTMENT_ACCOUNT_NUMBER |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |

## Guide for use

The Appointment Account Number must be a unique number for each episode of service.

Appointment Account Numbers may not be unique across different feeder systems. Care should therefore be taken when using the data element.

This Appointment Account Number is permanent for the record and is not re-used irrespective of the appointment status, outcome or attendance.

When an appointment is made, it must be linked to a registered referral.

The Appointment Account Number enables the patient-level non-admitted activity to be matched to associated data in the Department of Health WA costing system.

## Appointment - Arrival Time

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|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The time the patient arrived for the appointment. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_CLIENT_ARRIVAL_TIME |
| **Data type:** | Datetime |
| **Format:** | HH:MM:SS |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the patient arrived for their appointment and the source system collects this data element then this must be provided, otherwise it will be blank.

# Appointment - Attendance

| Definition: | The nature of the patient's attendance at the appointment. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Source data element(s): | See guide for use (webPAS) |
| Field name: | APPOINTMENT_ATTENDANCE_CODE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |
| Description field name: | APPOINTMENT_ATTENDANCE_DESC |
| Description data type: | String |
| Description format: | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ATT | Attended | The patient attended the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DNA | Did Not Attend | The patient did not attend the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DNW | Did Not Wait | The patient arrived for the appointment but left before being seen. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MCC | Multidisciplinary Case Conference | The appointment was a multidisciplinary case conference not involving the patient. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NCE | Non-client event | The appointment did not involve the patient and was not a multidisciplinary case conference. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Derivation Logic

For webPAS data, This data element is derived using the following sequential logic.

**Appointment Attendance = 'DNA' (Did not attend)**

**Include** records where:
- [Appointment Processing Status] is 'Rescheduled'
- AND [Appointment Outcome] is not 'PLN' (Patient left not seen)

**Appointment Attendance = 'DNW' (Did not wait)**

**Include** unassigned records where:
- [Appointment Processing Status] is 'Rescheduled'
- AND [Appointment Outcome] is 'PLN' (Patient left not seen)

**Appointment Attendance = 'MCC' (Multidisciplinary case conference)**

**Include** unassigned records where:
- [Appointment Delivery Mode] is 'MCC' (Multidisciplinary case conference)

**Appointment Attendance = 'NCE' (Non-client event)**

**Include** unassigned records where:
- AND [Appointment Type] is 'NCE' (Non-client event)

**Appointment Attendance = 'DNW' (Did not wait)**

**Include** unassigned records where:
- [Appointment Outcome] is 'PLN' (Patient left not seen)

**Appointment Attendance = 'ATT' (Attended)**

**Include** unassigned records where:
- [Appointment Processing Status] is 'Attended'

**Appointment Attendance = 'DNA' (Did not attend)**

**Include** unassigned records where:
- [Appointment Processing Status] is 'Did Not Attend'

**Include** unassigned records where:
- [Appointment Non-Attendance Reason] is not NULL
- AND [Appointment Non-Attendance Reason] is not blank

**Appointment Attendance = 'UNK' (Unknown)**

**Include** unassigned records where:
- [Appointment Outcome] is 'UNK' (Unknown)

**Appointment Attendance = 'NSP' (Not specified)**

**Include** all remaining unassigned records.

# Guide for Use

**Condition:** This data element is Mandatory if the source system is not webPAS.

# Appointment - Cancellation

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The reason the scheduled appointment was cancelled. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Source data element(s):** | Cancellation Reason (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_CANCELLATION_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | APPOINTMENT_CANCELLATION_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ATU | Assisted transport unavailable | The appointment was cancelled by the hospital as there was no assisted transport available to bring the patient to the hospital. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CCA | Clinic cancelled | The appointment was cancelled by the clinic for an unspecified reason. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CLC | Crisis - Legislative cancellation | The clinic was advised by a government agency to cancel the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CLR | Clinical request | The healthcare provider advised the appointment is to be cancelled due to a clinical reason. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COH | Crisis - Hospital | A crisis at the hospital meant the appointment could not proceed. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COP | Crisis - Patient | A personal crisis meant the patient could not attend. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COQ | Crisis - Patient In Quarantine | The patient is in quarantine. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CUR | Currently in hospital | The patient is a current hospital inpatient. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DEC | Deceased | The patient has died since the appointment was booked. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ERR | User error | The appointment was created in error. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| IND | Industrial action | The appointment was cancelled by the hospital due to Industrial actions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PCO | Patient convenience | The patient advised prior to the appointment date they were not attending the event. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| TNR | Treatment no longer required | The patient advised they no longer require care. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Historical Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|-----------|------------|----------|
| BET | States better | The patient advised they no longer require treatment. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| CLU | Clinician unavailable | The clinician was unable to attend the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| DNN | No notification received | The patient did not receive notification of the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| ISF | Illness self or family | The patient or a family member is ill. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| MOV | Moved away | The patient has moved residence, making the booked appointment impractical. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| NCO | Non contactable | The health service is unable to contact the patient. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| OTH | Treated other public hospital | The patient was treated at another public hospital and no longer requires the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| PRI | Treated privately | The patient was treated by a private healthcare provider and no longer requires the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| RES | Test results unavailable | The appointment requires test results to proceed, and the test results are not available. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| RFC | Referral closed | The referral has been closed. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| TIA | Treatment no longer appropriate | The hospital has determined that treatment of the patient is no longer appropriate. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| TRA | Transport unavailable | The patient relies on transport to the appointment, and the transport is not available. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| URG | Urgent patient | An urgent appointment for a different patient was booked over the person's appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| URT | Urgent test results | The patient's appointment was cancelled due to the receipt of urgent test results that required earlier intervention. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** This data element is conditional on the appointment being cancelled otherwise leave blank.

This data element is used to determine why the appointment was cancelled and where the responsibility lies.

# Appointment - Cancellation Date

| Definition: | The date on which the scheduled appointment was cancelled. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | APPOINTMENT_CANCELLATION_DATE |
| Data type: | Date |
| Format: | YYYY-MM-DD |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** This data element is mandatory if a scheduled appointment is cancelled otherwise it will be blank.

# Appointment - Care Type

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The category of care provided to the patient at the appointment. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Care Type (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_CARE_TYPE_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | APPOINTMENT_CARE_TYPE_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ACU | Acute | Active and short-term treatment for a severe injury or episode of illness, an urgent medical condition, or during recovery from surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GER | Geriatric Evaluation and Management | Optimising the function and independence of people with complex conditions associated with ageing. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MEN | Specialist Mental Health | Treatment, rehabilitation, and community support of people with a mental disorder or psychiatric disability. These activities are delivered from a service or facility that is readily identifiable as both "specialised" and "serving a mental health care function". A service is not defined as a specialised mental health service solely because its clients include people affected by a mental disorder or psychiatric disability. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTH | Other | The type of care being provided does not appropriately fall within the definition of any of the other permitted values. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PAL | Palliative | Optimising the quality of life for people with active, progressive, and advanced life-limiting illnesses. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PSY | Psychogeriatric | Improving the health, function, behaviour, and quality of life of people with age-related organic brain impairment and significant associated behavioural or psychiatric disturbance. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| REH | Rehabilitation | Improving a person's functional status, independence, and quality of life where they have impairment or a functional limitation. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

# Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/679528

# Appointment - Client Type

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The healthcare interaction category of the patient at the time of the appointment. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Patient Type (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_CLIENT_TYPE_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | APPOINTMENT_CLIENT_TYPE_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| CC | Continuing Care | The patient is receiving long or short term health care outside of the hospital. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ED | Emergency Department | The patient is receiving urgent hospital-based medical care for an illness or injury which may be life threatening and require immediate attention. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| EX | External | Previously used by the Department of Pulmonary Physiology at Sir Charles Gairdner Hospital to indicate external private patients. | 1600-01-01 | 2024-06-30 |
| IP | Inpatient | The patient is currently admitted to a hospital bed. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NS | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OP | Outpatient | The patient is receiving hospital-based health care without being admitted to a bed and not in an Emergency Department. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PH | Primary Health | The patient is receiving entry level care which is usually the person's first encounter with the health system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

This data element is used to determine the healthcare interaction category of a non-admitted patient service event when the Appointment Client Type is coded as 'OP' (Outpatient).

Records that do not have an Appointment Client Type of 'OP' (Outpatient) are excluded when counting attended appointments or non-admitted patient service events.

If the client is admitted as a privately-funded patient at a private hospital at the time of receiving a publicly-funded outpatient clinic service, they can be assigned an Appointment Client Type of 'OP' (Outpatient) for that appointment.

If the client is in active emergency attendance at the time of receiving a publicly-funded outpatient clinic service, they must be assigned an Appointment Client Type of 'ED' (Emergency Department) for that appointment.

# Appointment - Date

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The date on which the appointment is scheduled. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_DATE |
| **Data type:** | Date |
| **Format:** | YYYY-MM-DD |

## Guide for use

For safety, when a non-admitted patient commenced an appointment before midnight and the patient is still in the hospital after midnight, this is recorded as two appointments. The date on which the service commenced must be recorded for the first appointment and the date after midnight for the second appointment.

The Appointment type for the appointment after midnight must be recorded as a Chart only or Non-client event to ensure that it is excluded from reports of non-admitted activity.

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/680434

# Appointment - Delivery Mode

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The method of communication between a patient and a healthcare provider during the appointment. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Service Delivery Mode (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_DELIVERY_MODE_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | APPOINTMENT_DELIVERY_MODE_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| CLP | Client Present | The healthcare provider delivers the service in the physical presence of the client (i.e., in the same room). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ELE | Electronic (e.g. Email, SMS) | The healthcare provider delivers the service via electronic mail, or other electronic messaging services, including instant messaging. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GCP | Group Client Present | The healthcare provider delivers the service in the physical presence of the client (i.e., in the same room) as part of a group session involving multiple clients. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HOM | Home Visit | The healthcare provider delivered care in the physical presence of the client in their place of residence. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MCC | Multidisciplinary Case Conference - patient not present | A meeting or discussion is held concurrently between healthcare providers, arranged in advance, to discuss a non-admitted patient in detail and to coordinate care without the patient being present. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTH | Other | The appointment was delivered via a means not covered by any other category, or there was no interaction between the healthcare provider and the patient. (E.g. Chart review only) | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| POS | Postal service | The healthcare provider delivers the service via postal (including courier) services. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SLF | Self-administered treatment | The health service was delivered via a means that does not involve direct interaction with a healthcare provider (however is under the care or review of the healthcare provider) such as home-based procedures and remote home-based diagnostic monitoring | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | (telemonitoring) that the patient self-administers without assistance from a healthcare provider. | | |
| TEL | Telephone | The healthcare provider delivers the service using a telephone. This includes teleconference. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| THC | Telehealth Support Clinician | Used at the receiving end of a telehealth appointment and applies when a clinician is needed to support a client at their telehealth appointment (e.g. a nurse needs to measure blood pressure or conduct a clinical assessment that enables the clinician at the provider end to undertake the appointment).<br><br>In this scenario, the telehealth activity can be recorded at both the clinic where the consultation service is being provided and at the client's location where the support clinician is providing health care to the client. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| THH | Telehealth at non-WA Health Site | Used when the clinician at the provider end is located at any WA health site and the client is located at a non-WA health location (e.g. client's home or workplace, GP surgery, community resource centre or prison). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| THS | Telehealth at WA Health Site | Used when a client attends a WA Health site to use the facilities (e.g. consulting room, computer monitor, camera and microphone). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| VID | Video Conference | The clinician and the client interact using visual-enabled telecommunication devices. | 1600-01-01 | 2023-06-30 |

# Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/732562

# Appointment - Delivery Setting

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | An indicator to identify if the healthcare provider delivered the event on or off the hospital site. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_DELIVERY_SET_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X |
| **Description field name:** | APPOINTMENT_DELIVERY_SET_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| N | Off the hospital campus of the healthcare provider | The clinician was not physically present at a hospital site when health care was provided. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| Y | On the hospital campus of the healthcare provider | The clinician was physically present at a hospital site when health care was provided. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

Value N (Off the hospital campus of the healthcare provider) includes:

- community health or day centre or other community facility
- general practice surgery or clinic
- residential aged care facility
- private residence
- other hospital.

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/730444

# Appointment - Diagnosis Code

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | Up to 4 diagnoses or procedure codes describing care related to the patient's appointment. |
| **Requirement status:** | Optional |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_DIAGNOSIS_CODE_N |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

Permitted values are determined by the classification used. Please refer to the Appointment Diagnosis Type data item for a list of classifications.

## Guide for use

There are currently 4 appointment diagnosis code N fields. (N) represents a numeric range from 1 to 4 (e.g. appt_diagnosis_code_1, appt_diagnosis_code_2).

# Appointment - Diagnosis Type

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | Coding standard used to describe up to 4 conditions or procedures that relates to the appointment care (Appointment – Diagnosis Code). |
| **Requirement status:** | Optional |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_DIAGNOSIS_TYPE_N |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| HIC | Health Issue Code | The Health Issue Code is the classification system used to assign the diagnosis code. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ICD10AM | ICD 10th Edition Australian Modified | The International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, Tenth Revision, Australian Modification was the classification system used to assign the diagnosis code. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ICD9CMA | ICD 9th Edition Clinical Modification (AU) | The International Classification of Diseases, Ninth Revision, Clinical Modification Australia was the classification system used to assign the diagnosis code. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MDC | Major Diagnostic Category | The Major Diagnostic Categories of the International Classification of Diseases, Ninth Revision was the classification system used to assign the diagnosis code. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

There are currently four appointment_diagnosis_type_N fields. (N) represents a numeric range from 1 to 4 (e.g. appointment_diagnosis_type_1, appointment_diagnosis_type_2).

# Appointment - Event Type

| Definition: | A text description further detailing Appointment Type. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | APPOINTMENT_EVENT_TYPE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |

## Permitted Values

| Text | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|
| Admitted Patient | This event is for an Inpatient. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| Chart Review | This event is a chart only. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| Continuing Care MPS | This event is part of continuing care at a multi-purpose site. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| Outpatient | This event is for an outpatient. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| Primary Health | This event is for primary health. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

This is required in the webPAS load processing routine to identify and retain a single Outpatient record when duplicate appointments are created due to multiple contacts being recorded in the Contacts screen.

Only provided by WA Country Health Service (WACHS).

# Appointment - First Offered Date

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The date of the first available appointment offered by a healthcare provider to a patient following receipt of a referral. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_FIRST_OFFERED_DATE |
| **Data type:** | Date |
| **Format:** | YYYY-MM-DD |

## Guide for use

A first offered date can be recorded even if the appointment is not accepted or does not occur due to cancellation, rescheduling, or non-attendance.

**Condition:** If the patient has been offered an initial appointment, this data element is mandatory.

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/596502

# Appointment - Funding Source

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The principal funding or payment source for the appointment. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Source data element(s):** | Funding Source (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_FUNDING_SOURCE_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | APPOINTMENT_FUNDING_SOURCE_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| AHA | Australian Health Care Agreement | Refers to Medicare eligible patients who are presenting to a public hospital outpatient department for whom there is no third-party arrangement or public patients attending a non-admitted service in a private hospital funded by state or territory health authorities. This excludes inter-hospital contracted patients and overseas visitors who are covered by Reciprocal Health Care Agreements but elect to be treated as public non-admitted patients and Medicare eligible patients who choose not to register with Medicare and self-fund the non-admitted service. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COR | Correctional Facility | Refers to prisoners who attend a non-admitted service where the Department of Justice is responsible for the payment. These patients are treated as a public patient although the funding source is Correctional Facility. Illegal immigrants do not come under this funding source; they are coded as DET (Detainee). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DET | Detainee | Refers to patients who are deemed as ineligible immigrants detained in an Immigration Detention Centre. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| REC | Reciprocal Overseas | Australia has Reciprocal Health Care Agreements (RHCA) with Belgium, New Zealand, Finland, Norway, Italy, Sweden, Ireland, Slovenia, Malta, United Kingdom, and Netherlands. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/679815

# Appointment - Healthcare Provider - Code

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The unique identifier, provided by a governing body, of the healthcare professional who delivered the service. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_HCP_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |

## Guide for use

Many healthcare professionals are governed by the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA). For a list of assigned AHPRA identifiers, refer to the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency - Register of practitioners.

**Condition:**

If the healthcare professional has a provider number from AHPRA or another governing body, then this data element is mandatory.

## Appointment - Healthcare Provider - Name

| Definition: | The name of the individual healthcare professional who provided health care to the patient. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | APPOINTMENT_HEALTHCARE_PROVIDER_NAME |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(100) |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** A value must be provided if an AHPRA registration number was provided as a value for data element [Appointment – Healthcare Provider – Code].

AHPRA registered healthcare professionals are available at the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency - Register of practitioners.

# Appointment - Non-Attendance Reason

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The reason the patient did not attend the appointment. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Source data element(s):** | Non-Attendance Reason (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_NONATTEND_REAS_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | APPOINTMENT_NONATTEND_REAS_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| APE | Currently in hospital | The patient was either admitted or was attending an outpatient appointment at a different hospital. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ATU | Assisted transport unavailable | The patient was unable to attend the appointment as hospital assisted transport was not available. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COH | Crisis - Hospital | A crisis at the hospital meant the appointment could not proceed. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COP | Crisis - Patient | A personal crisis meant the patient could not attend. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COQ | Crisis - Patient In Quarantine | The patient was in quarantine. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DEC | Deceased | The patient has died since the appointment was booked. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DNN | DNA – no reason | Patient did not attend their appointment and gave no notice. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DNR | DNA – reason | The patient did not attend the appointment and provided notice. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| TNR | Treatment no longer required | The patient advised the clinic that care is no longer required. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Historical Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| DRN | Did not Receive Notification | The patient was not aware an appointment was booked because they were not notified of the booking. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| FGT | Forgot | The patient forgot to attend the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| GNR | Gives No Reason | The patient did not provide any reason why they did not attend the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| ISF | Illness Self or Family | The patient or a family member was ill. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| PDA | Person Did Not Attend | There is no known reason why the patient did not attend the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| SBE | States Better | The patient advised they no longer require treatment. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| TPR | Treated Privately | The patient was treated by a Private healthcare provider and no longer requires the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| TRU | Transport Unavailable | The patient relies on transport to the appointment, and the transport was not available. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the appointment was not attended then this data element is mandatory, otherwise leave blank.

# Appointment - Outcome

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The result of the event indicating the next step to be taken. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Outcome (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_OUTCOME_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | APPOINTMENT_OUTCOME_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ADM | Admit to Ward | The patient was admitted from the appointment as required urgent treatment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ARV | Arrived | The patient arrived for the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CAN | Cancelled | This event was cancelled. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CON | Chart Only | This event was a chart only. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COU | Counselling of relatives | This event was for counselling of relatives. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DEC | Deceased in Clinic | The patient died during the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DIE | Deceased | The patient is deceased. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DIS | Discharge From Clinic | The patient does not require any further treatment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PAE | Patient Arrived in Error | The patient arrived to an appointment that was not booked. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PDA | Patient Did Not Attend | The patient did not attend the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PRI | Private Referral | The patient requires a referral to a private specialist. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RAS | Ref Another Specialty | The patient requires treatment from another specialty at this site. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| REA | Reappoint | The patient requires another appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RED | Refer to ED | The patient requires urgent treatment and was sent to the Emergency Department at this site. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| REV | Further Review | The patient requires further review at this site. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RGP | Referred back to GP | The patient has finished treatment and is referred back to their General Practitioner for ongoing care. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ROH | Refer Other Hospital | The patient has been referred to another site for treatment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| RTW | Return To Ward | The patient is an inpatient and returned back to the ward after the event. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RWL | Refer IP Waitlist | The patient has been referred to the waitlist for surgery or procedure. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

Activity with an Appointment Outcome of 'NSP' (Not Specified) or 'UNK' (Unknown) will be out of scope as a non-admitted service event.

# Appointment - Payment Classification

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The expected principal source of funds for payment of the account for the appointment, as represented by a code. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Claim Type (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_PAY_CLASS_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | APPOINTMENT_PAY_CLASS_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ADF | Australian Defence Force | For patients who are members of the Australian Defence Forces and are injured at work. Patients who are also members of overseas defence forces should be coded to Ineligible, unless they are involved in joint armed forces exercises and are covered under a special health cover agreement with the Department of Defence. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| AHA | Australian Health Care Agreement | For Medicare eligible patients who are presenting to a public hospital outpatient department for whom there is no third-party arrangement or public patients attending a non-admitted service in a private hospital funded by state or territory health authorities. This excludes inter-hospital contracted patients and overseas visitors who are covered by Reciprocal Health Care Agreements but elect to be treated as public admitted patients and Medicare eligible patients who choose not to register with Medicare and self-fund the non-admitted service event. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CIS | Catastrophic Injury Support Scheme | A no-fault scheme managed by the Insurance Commission of Western Australia for patients who experience serious personal injuries as a result of a motor vehicle accident in Western Australia. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COM | Compensable Other | For patients who are entitled to claim compensation under public liability, common law or medical negligence. Includes compensation from a sporting club or association, or other party where the latter are responsible for payment of the admission episode. Foreign shipping company employees have their hospital | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| | | and medical charges covered by the employing shipping company. Other Compensation excludes patients covered under Workers Compensation, Motor Vehicle Third Party Personal claims, Department of Defence, DVA, or Travel Insurance claims. | | |
| COR | Correctional Facility | For prisoners and other patients attending a non-admitted service event in a hospital where the Department of Justice is responsible for the payment of the non-admitted episode. These people are treated as a public patient although the funding source is Correctional Facility. Illegal immigrants do not come under this funding source; they should be assigned to Detainee. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DET | Detainee | For patients who are deemed as ineligible immigrants detained in an Immigration Detention Centre. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| EMV | Other States Motor Vehicle Insurance Trust | For patients involved in a motor vehicle accident and whose personal injury claims for hospital and medical charges are covered by a Motor Vehicle Third Party Insurance in a State other than Western Australia. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| FOD | Foreign Defence | For patients who are members of Foreign Defence and funded through the Commonwealth. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| INE | Ineligible | For patients who are not eligible for the Australian Health Care Agreement, patients from countries who do not have Reciprocal Health Care Agreements with Australia (these patients may be covered by private travel insurance), Foreign Defence Force personnel (unless injured during a joint exercise), or any other ineligible patient not covered by a funding source listed above. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MBS | Medicare Benefits Scheme | Medicare eligible patients in scope of collection for whom services are billed to Medicare. Includes both bulk-billed patients and patients with out-of-pocket expenses. This value is not applicable for admitted patients. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTH | Other | The payment classification does not appropriately fall within the definition of any of the other permitted values. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OVS | Overseas Student | For overseas students covered by Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OVV | Overseas Visitor | For overseas visitors covered by Overseas Visitors Health Cover (OVHC). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PVT | Private Insured | Non-admitted patients who are funded by private health insurance, including travel insurance for Medicare eligible patients. If patients receive any funding from private health insurance, this option is to be recorded, regardless of whether it is the majority source of funds. Excludes overseas visitors for whom | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | travel insurance is the major funding source. | | |
| REC | Reciprocal Health Care Agreement | Australia has Reciprocal Health Care Agreements (RHCA) with a number of countries. Please refer to Services Australia's Reciprocal Health Care Agreements for more information. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SHI | Shipping | For seafarers employed on certain Australian trade or commerce ships covered by the Australian Government Seacare scheme. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNI | Private Uninsured | For patients who are self-funding the cost of health care services provided to them. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| VET | Department of Veteran Affairs | Refers to patients eligible for Veterans' Affairs beneficiary and whose hospital and medical charges are covered by the DVA. These include payment by DVA for public hospital treatment of DVA gold cardholders for all conditions or payment of public hospital treatment of DVA white cardholders for specific war/conflict-related conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| WAM | Western Australian Motor Vehicle Insurance Trust | For patients involved in a motor vehicle accident and whose personal injury claims for hospital and medical charges are covered by Motor Vehicle Third Party Insurance. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| WCC | Workers Compensation | Refers to patients injured at their place of work where their employer's workers compensation insurance will pay for hospital and medical charges incurred. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Derivation logic

Some values for [Appointment - Payment Classification] are modified before being stored against the record within NADC. The following sequential logic sets out the modifications.

**[Appointment - Payment Classification] = 'OTH' (Other)**

> **Include** records where:
> - [Establishment] is one of:
> o '101' (Royal Perth Hospital)
> o '107' (Perth Children's Hospital)
>   - AND [Clinic Category] is 'RSH' (Research)

**[Appointment - Payment Classification] = 'DET' (Detainee)**

> **Include** records where [Person - Residency Status] is 'DET' (Detainee)

**[Appointment - Payment Classification] = 'AHA' (Australian Health Care Agreement)**

> **Include** records where [Appointment - Funding Source] is 'AHA' (Australian Health Care Agreement).

**[Appointment - Payment Classification] = 'COR' (Correctional Facility)**

**Include** records where [Appointment - Funding Source] is 'COR' (Correctional Facility).

**[Appointment - Payment Classification] = 'REC' (Reciprocal Health Care Agreement)**

**Include** records where [Appointment - Funding Source] is 'REC' (Reciprocal Health Care Agreement).

## Guide for use

This is a mandatory item.

The source of funding should be assigned based on a best estimate of where the majority of funds come from, except for private health insurance, which should be assigned wherever there is a private health insurance contribution to the cost. This data element is not designed to capture information on out-of-pocket expenses to patients (for example, fees only partly covered by the Medicare Benefits Schedule).

If a charge is raised for accommodation or facility fees for the appointment, the intent of this data element is to collect information on who is expected to pay, provided that the charge would cover most of the estimated expenditure for the service event.

If the charge raised would cover less than half of the expenditure, then the funding source that represents the majority of the expenditure should be reported.

If there is an expected funding source followed by a finalised actual funding source (for example, in relation to compensation claims), then the actual funding source known at the end of the reporting period should be recorded.

The expected funding source should be reported if the fee has not been paid but is not to be waived.

The major source of funding should be reported for nursing-home type patients.

Not all of the above codes may be represented in the establishment's Patient Administration System.

Funding Source is independent of the patient's Insurance Status (i.e. a patient with private health insurance can have a Funding Source election of either public or private).

All qualified and unqualified newborns must have the same Funding Source as their mother.

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| A patient is seen in an Outpatient Clinic with a work-related injury, where the company is responsible for payment. | WCC (Workers' Compensation) |
| A patient is seen in an Outpatient Clinic for treatment of an injury sustained in a motor vehicle accident, where the Insurance Commission of WA is responsible for payment. | WAM (WA Motor Vehicle Insurance Trust) |
| A patient is seen in an Outpatient Clinic after falling and injuring her back in the local supermarket and is making a public liability insurance claim. | COM (Compensable Other) |

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/780491

# Appointment - Preferred Date

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The date preferred by the patient for their scheduled non-admitted service to an outpatient clinic. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_PREFERRED_DATE |
| **Data type:** | Date |
| **Format:** | YYYY-MM-DD |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** This data element must be provided if able to be collected by the source system, otherwise report as blank.

# Appointment - Processing Status

| Definition: | A description of the stage a scheduled appointment has reached at the time of reporting. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Optional |
| Field name: | APPOINTMENT_PROCESSING_STATUS |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |

## Permitted Values

| Value | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|
| Attended | The patient attended the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| Blank | The value of this data item is not known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| Booked | A future appointment has been booked. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| Cancelled | The appointment was cancelled prior to the booked time. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| Did Not Attend | The appointment was not cancelled but the patient did not attend. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| Rescheduled | The appointment was rescheduled prior to the booked time. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

This data element is reported by webPAS and is used to derive data element [Appointment - Attendance].

# Appointment - Program

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The specialist service or healthcare model that delivers the care provided at the outpatient event, as represented by a code. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_PROGRAM_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | APPOINTMENT_PROGRAM_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| BRE | Breast Services | Diagnostic and surgical services to people experiencing breast problems. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CHD | Child Development | Assessment, early intervention, and treatment services to children with developmental delay or difficulty that impacts on function, participation, and/or parent-child relationships. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CPH | Community Physiotherapy Service | An out-of-hospital program for people following an inpatient, outpatient, or rehabilitation in the home (RITH) care which aims to assist patients to regain or optimise function and independence to improve their quality of life and better manage their condition. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CRE | Community Rehabilitation | Rehabilitative, aged care, and specialist services to assist in the improvement of functional capacity independence. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DAE | Diabetes Education | In-person and online educational services to enable and improve self-management of diabetes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DIS | Disability | A service aiming to improve health outcomes for people with disability. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DTU | Day Therapy Unit | Provides a range of comprehensive services for older people or geriatric, acute and rehabilitation services. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| EME | Emergency Department | Urgent hospital-based medical care for an illness or injury which may be life threatening and require immediate attention. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HAE | Haematology | Diagnosis and treatment of blood, bone marrow, lymphatic diseases, and disorders of blood clotting. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HNV | Health Navigator | Support services to help people better manage a chronic health condition. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ICS | Integrated Cancer Service | Oncology, haematology, and support services for people with cancer. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MED | Medical | General medical services typically provided by a medical practitioner, | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | nurse practitioner, or endorsed midwife practitioner. | | |
| NAP | Not Applicable | There is no specific program associated with the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NDS | National Disability Insurance Scheme | Services implemented by the National Disability Insurance Agency which provide support to people with a significant and permanent disability and their families and carers to improve their quality of life. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ONC | Oncology | Specialised treatment and supportive care for people with cancer. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PAL | Palliative Care | Services aimed at optimising the quality of life for people with active, progressive, and advanced life-limiting illnesses. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PAR | Post-Admission Rehabilitation | Improving a person's functional status, independence, and quality of life following an episode of admitted care. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| REM | Renal Medicine | Diagnosis, treatment, care, and support for people with acute and chronic kidney disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SCL | Stroke Clinic | Hospital-based rehabilitation services for people who have survived a stroke. This is often necessary to assist the brain in re-learning skills that have been affected by a stroke. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SCO | Stroke Community | Community-based rehabilitation services for people who have survived a stroke. This is often necessary to assist the brain in re-learning skills that have been affected by a stroke. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SUR | Surgical | Provision of minor surgical procedures that do not require the person to be admitted to hospital. These services may require the use of a specialised procedural suite and/or anaesthesia services | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| TRC | True Care True Culture | A midwife home-visiting service for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| VGE | Visiting Geriatrician | Geriatricians visiting patients in their Residential Aged Care Facilities (RACF) to provide assessment and advice. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| VGS | Visiting Geriatrician Support Service | Geriatricians visiting patients in their Residential Aged Care Facilities (RACF) to provide assessment and advice. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** Not all feeder systems will be able to provide this field, if collected in the source system the value must be provided. If not collected, the value must be blank.

# Appointment - Reason for Reschedule

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The reason why the appointment date or time was changed. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Source data element(s):** | Reason for Reschedule (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_RESCHEDULE_REAS_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | APPOINTMENT_RESCHEDULE_REAS_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ATU | Assisted transport unavailable | The hospital rescheduled the appointment as assisted transport was not available. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CLC | Crisis - Legislative Changes | This appointment was rescheduled as there were legislation changes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CLR | Clinical request | The healthcare provider advised the clinic that the appointment is to be rescheduled due to a clinical reason. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CLU | Clinician Unavailable | This appointment was rescheduled as the clinician advised they were not available. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COH | Crisis - Hospital | This appointment was rescheduled as the hospital was experiencing a crisis and could not provide service. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COP | Crisis - Patient | This appointment was rescheduled as the patient advised they were experiencing a crisis. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COQ | Crisis - Patient In Quarantine | This appointment was rescheduled as the patient advised they were in quarantine. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ERR | User Error | This appointment was rescheduled as the clerk made a mistake entering the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| IND | Industrial action | The appointment was rescheduled due to internal or external industrial action. | 1800-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| INP | Currently in hospital | This appointment was rescheduled as the patient was an inpatient. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PTC | Patient Convenience | This appointment was rescheduled as requested by the patient. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Historical Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| DRN | Did Not Receive Notification | This appointment was rescheduled as the patient did not receive notification of the appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| EIA | External Industrial Action | This appointment was rescheduled as there was external industrial action prohibiting the hospital providing service. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| EXE | Executive Decision | This appointment was rescheduled as the decision was made from executives. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| IIA | Industrial Action | This appointment was rescheduled as the site had industrial actions prohibiting the hospital providing service. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| INU | Interpreter Unavailable | This appointment was rescheduled as the interpreter was not available. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| ISF | Illness Self or Family | This appointment was rescheduled as the patient advised they were ill or unavailable to attend due to caring for a relative who was ill. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| RUN | Rooms Unavailable | This appointment was rescheduled as the clinic location was unavailable. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| SLC | Slot Change | This appointment was rescheduled due to a change to the clinic profile. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| STE | Student Exams | This appointment was rescheduled due to patient attending mandatory exams. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| TRU | Test Results Unavailable | This appointment was rescheduled due to the patient test results were unavailable. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| TUN | Transport Unavailable | This appointment was rescheduled due to hospital transport service was unavailable. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| URG | Urgent Patient | This appointment was rescheduled due to the patient advising urgent care is required. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |
| UTR | Urgent Test Results | This appointment was rescheduled due to urgent test results received by the clinician. | 1600-01-01 | 2025-06-18 |

# Guide for use

This data element is used to determine why the appointment was rescheduled and where the responsibility lies.

**Condition:** A value is required for this data element if the appointment was rescheduled otherwise leave blank.

# Appointment - Reschedule Count

| Definition: | The number of times an appointment has been rescheduled. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | APPOINTMENT_RESCHEDULE_COUNT |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N(10) |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** A value must be provided for this data item if the appointment was rescheduled otherwise value must be blank.

# Appointment - Seen Time

| Definition: | The time the patient commences being seen by a healthcare provider for the appointment. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | APPOINTMENT_CLIENT_SEEN_TIME |
| Data type: | Time |
| Format: | HH:MM:SS |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the patient was seen for their appointment and the source system collects this data element, then a value must be submitted, otherwise value must be blank.

# Appointment - Session Type

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The setting in which the appointment was delivered. The setting is based on whether the patient was present at the appointment, the number of patients who received care at the appointment and the type of care provided. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_SESSION_TYPE_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | APPOINTMENT_SESSION_TYPE_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| GRP | Group | This appointment session is within a group setting. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| IND | Individual | This appointment session is for an individual only. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MCC | Multidisciplinary Case Conference | This appointment setting is a multidisciplinary case conference - patient not present. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NCE | Non-client event | This appointment is for a chart only, the patient is not present. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

This data element is used to determine a non-admitted patient service event when the session type is coded as IND (Individual), GRP (Group) or MCC (Multidisciplinary case conference).

Appointment records that do not have a session type of IND (Individual), GRP (Group) or MCC (Multidisciplinary case conference) are excluded from reports of non-admitted activity.

Appointment records coded as NCE (Non-client event) do not have a patient present and do not meet the definition of a non-admitted patient service event.

This data element is also used to derive the group session indicator. Records with a value of GRP for the appointment session type code will be assigned a value of 1 (Yes) for the group session indicator. All other records will be assigned a value of 2 (No) for the group session indicator.

If [Appointment Delivery Mode] is 'MCC' (Multidisciplinary case conference) then [Appointment Session Type Code] is set to code MCC.

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/730453

# Appointment - Status

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The current processing status of the scheduled appointment record. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Appointment Status (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_STATUS_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | APPOINTMENT_STATUS_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| CA | Cancelled Appointment | This appointment has been cancelled. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| FU | Future Appointment | This appointment is booked in the future. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PP | Part Processed | This appointment has only been processed partially or the patient has been reported as arrived and the outcome is unknown. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PR | Processed | This appointment has been processed. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RS | To Be Rescheduled | This appointment is pending reschedule. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UN | Unprocessed/Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

# Appointment - Time

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The time of the scheduled appointment. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_TIME |
| **Data type:** | Time |
| **Format:** | HH:MM:SS |

## Guide for use

This data element does not necessarily reflect the time the client was seen.

# Appointment - Type

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The nature of the appointment as it relates to the clinical service and their interactions with the client for this referral. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Visit Type (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | APPOINTMENT_TYPE_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | APPOINTMENT_TYPE_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| FOL | Follow-up | This is a follow up appointment or subsequent appointment for this referral. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NCE | Non-Client Event/Chart Only | Refers to an appointment time that a clinician has set aside to review a patient's chart, without the patient being present. This type of appointment does not meet the criteria for a non-admitted patient service event since there is no interaction between the clinician and the patient. Appointments with a Delivery Mode of MCC (Multidisciplinary case conference (patient not present) are the exception to this rule and are in the scope of a non-admitted patient service event. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NEW | New | This is the patient's first appointment for this referral. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTH | Other | The appointment type does not appropriately fall within the definition of any of the other permitted values. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

# Appointment - Updated Date

| Definition: | The date/time an appointment is updated prior to the attended appointment. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | APPOINTMENT_UPDATE_DATETIME |
| Data type: | Datetime |
| Format: | YYYY-MM-DD HH:MM:SS |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** This data element is mandatory if the appointment was subsequently updated from the original Appointment Date, otherwise leave blank.

# Clinic - Category

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The specialty of the clinic providing the appointment. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Clinic Type (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | CLINIC_CATEGORY_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | CLINIC_CATEGORY_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ABH | Aboriginal Health | Provision of culturally appropriate and secure health services to the Aboriginal community. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ACA | Aged Care Assessment | Assessment, management, and treatment of older people. Generally targeted at those over 65 (45 for indigenous population). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ADO | Adolescent Medicine | Provision of a range of services to adolescents with complex health needs including eating disorders, chronic fatigue syndrome, pain syndromes, and somatisation. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ALI | Allied Health | Provision of services to support a patient's medical care across many fields, usually in conjunction with other healthcare providers. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| AMA | Acute Medical Assessment | Investigation and planning of services for people following an emergency attendance. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| AMP | Amputee | Assessment and supply of essential consumable items to support people with amputations. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ANA | Anaesthetics | The review of patients who are scheduled to undergo or have undergone general anaesthesia. This is a state of drug-induced non-responsiveness characterised by absence of response to any stimulus, loss of protective airway reflexes, and depression of respiration and disturbance of circulatory reflexes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ANT | Antenatal | Management and assessment for patients who are pregnant or require post delivery care. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| APY | Adult Psychology | Treatment for adults with disorders or conditions for adults that affect human behaviour, memory, learning, human development, and the processes determining how people think, feel, behave, and react. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| AUD | Audiology | Assessment and management of hearing, balance, and related disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| BRE | Breast Service | Diagnostic and surgical services provided to patients experiencing breast problems. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| BUR | Burns | Treatment and rehabilitation of burns patients. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CAR | Cardiology | Management, assessment, and treatment of heart related conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CHI | Child Psychiatry | Assessment, diagnosis, management, and treatment of children with mental, behavioural, and conduct disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CHP | Child Protection Medicine | Medical, forensic, social work, and therapeutic services for children and their families when there is a concern that a child has or may have suffered from child abuse. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CMB | Cardiometabolic | Services aimed at the prevention of conditions including heart attacks, strokes, diabetes, insulin resistance, and non-alcoholic fatty liver disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CMN | Community Nursing | Nursing and personal care services provided in a patient's home by qualified nurses. Services include medication, wound care, hygiene, showering, and dressing. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COL | Colorectal Surgery | Management and treatment of disorders of the rectum, anus, and colon. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COM | Communicable Disease | Management and treatment of infectious diseases. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CON | Continence Enuresis | Management of paediatric bladder dysfunction. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COT | Continence | Management of bladder and bowel dysfunction. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CPY | Child Psychology | Treatment of disorders or conditions for children that affect human behaviour, memory, learning, human development, and the processes determining how people think, feel, behave, and react. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CRE | Cardiac Rehabilitation | Support, exercise, and education services aimed at strengthening the heart for patients recovering after a heart event, procedure, or diagnosis of a heart condition. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CTE | Cardiology Technical Service | Monitoring of long-term patients with heart conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CTS | Cardiothoracic Surgery | Treatment and management of cardiac, aortic, and lung conditions excluding transplantation. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DAA | Drug And Alcohol | Diagnosis, treatment, and management of people who overuse and or are dependent on substances that are harmful to the body. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DAE | Diabetic Education | In-person and online educational services to enable and improve self-management of diabetes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DEN | Dental | Provision of oral health services. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| DER | Dermatology | Management, treatment, assessment, and diagnosis of patients suffering from skin conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DIA | Diabetes | Treatment and education for individuals, and their carers, with diabetes and other endocrine disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DIE | Dietetics | Provision of advice and nutrition guidelines in relation to therapeutic diets for people including guidance on individual dietary requirements. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DIS | Dialysis | Provision of haemodialysis and peritoneal dialysis services to people with acute and chronic kidney disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| EME | Emergency Medicine | Urgent hospital-based medical care for an illness or injury which may be life threatening and require immediate attention. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| END | Endocrinology | Management, education, review, and treatment of all types of conditions affecting the organs and structures whose function is to secrete into the blood or lymph a substance (hormone) that has a specific effect on another organ or part. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ENT | Ear Nose Throat | Consultation, diagnosis, planning investigation, and treatment for people with ear, nose, and/or throat conditions pre- and/or post-surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| FRM | Forensic Medicine | Coronial post-mortem services for WA under the direction of the State Coroner | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GAS | Gastroenterology | Consultation, management, treatment, and education for all types of diseases of the stomach and intestine. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GDS | Gender Diversity Service | Assessment and care of people experiencing gender diversity issues. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GEN | Genetics | Diagnosis, management, and treatment of hereditary and/or genetic disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GER | Gerontology | Assessment, management and treatment of older people with complex health care needs, often with more than one condition. Generally targeted at those over 65 (45 for Indigenous patients). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GES | General Surgery | Consultation, assessment, diagnosis, review, and treatment of patients requiring general surgical procedures and those requiring post-surgical management. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GHP | General Health Psychology | Promoting health, restoring emotional wellbeing, and avoiding the worsening of symptoms for the prevention of mental illness. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GNU | General Nursing | Nursing and personal care services provided by qualified nurses. Services include medication, wound care, hygiene, showering, and dressing. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GPM | General Medicine | Assessment, management, diagnosis, and/or research of general medical conditions, where people are not required to attend a specialist medical | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| | | consultation clinic, or such clinics do not exist. | | |
| GYN | Gynaecology | Assessment, review, diagnosis, and treatment of problems/disorders affecting the female reproductive organs. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HAE | Haematology | Assessment, diagnosis, planning, management, follow-up screening, and testing of patients with diseases of the blood. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HAN | Hand Surgery | Surgical and non-surgical treatment of conditions and problems that may take place in the hand or upper extremity including injury and infection. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HEP | Hepatobiliary | Treatment of diseases pertaining to the liver and biliary system including hepatic, biliary and pancreatic surgery, and the management of liver and bile duct trauma as required. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HIT | Hospital In The Home | Provision of post inpatient care to people in their own home. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HLK | Home Link | Provision of acute nursing care at home or in a dedicated clinic to support early discharge from hospital. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HYP | Hyperbaric Medicine | The delivery of 100 per cent oxygen at pressures greater than atmospheric (sea level) pressure to a patient in an enclosed chamber. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ICS | Integrated Cancer Service | Oncology, haematology, and support services for people with cancer. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| IMM | Immunology | Treatment of disorders affecting the structure and function of the immune system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| INF | Infectious Medicine | Treatment of diseases due to organisms ranging in size from viruses to parasitic worms. These may be contagious in origin, result from nosocomial organisms, or be due to endogenous microflora from the nose and throat, skin, or bowel. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| LIV | Liver Service | Workup and transplantation of people with acute and chronic liver disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| LYM | Lymphoedema Service | Diagnosis, treatment, and management of accumulation of excess fluid in the body due to damage to the lymphatic system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MET | Metabolic Medicine | Treatment and management of people whose body cannot properly turn food into energy. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MFC | Multidisciplinary Foot Ulcer | Specialty clinic for the management of complex foot wounds. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MMH | Midland Mental Health | A specialist mental health service in Midland, Western Australia. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MPG | Midland Psychiatric Geriatric | A specialist mental health service in Midland, Western Australia for older people. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MTO | Major Trauma Outcome | Management of health issues relating to the experience of major trauma. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NEO | Neonatology | Care for infants who are born preterm and babies requiring specialist treatment in their first months of life. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| NES | Neurosurgery | Preoperative and postoperative consultation, treatment, diagnosis, and rehabilitation of disorders that affect any portion of the nervous system including the brain, spinal column, spinal cord, peripheral nerves, and extra-cranial cerebrovascular system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NEU | Neurology | Assessment, diagnosis, and management of disorders of the nervous system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NGE | Neurogenetic | Testing and investigation of neurological and neuromuscular phenotypes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NIS | Neurological Intervention | Endovascular treatment for intracranial (brain) aneurysms and neuraxial (brain and spinal) vascular malformations. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NTE | Neurology Technical Service | Diagnosis, monitoring of new and long-term patients with disorders of the nervous system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NUC | Nuclear Medicine | The safe use of radioactive materials for diagnosis and treatment of various diseases. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OBS | Obstetrics | Assessment and management of people during pregnancies and post-birth. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OCC | Occupational Therapy | Assessment, treatment, and implementation of occupational therapy procedures and equipment for patients suffering from various mental and physical conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ONC | Oncology | Assessment, management and treatment of malignancy and neoplasm related conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OPH | Ophthalmology | Consultation, assessment, review, treatment, and management of conditions relating to eye disorders and vision, and services associated with surgery to the eye. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OPT | Optometry | Measurement of visual refractive power and the correction of visual defects with lenses or glasses. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ORA | Oral Surgery | Diagnosis and treatment of facial trauma and diseases affecting the mouth, jaws, face and neck. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ORP | Orthoptics | Diagnosis and management of disorders of eye movements and associated vision problems; performance of investigative procedures appropriate to disorders of the eye and visual system; and rehabilitation of patients with vision loss. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ORT | Orthopaedics | Consultation associated with surgery to preserve and restore the function of the skeletal system, its articulations, and associated structures. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTC | Orthotics | The fitting of orthotic devices which apply external forces to the body for the purpose of support and alignment, reducing pain, or enhancing mobility. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTT | Orthopaedic Trauma | Treatment and management of severe deformities of bones or muscles. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| PAE | Paediatric Medicine | Management, review, and treatment of all types of medical conditions affecting infants, children and adolescents. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PAI | Pain Management | The review of patients that suffer from chronic and persistent pain. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PAL | Palliative Medicine | Optimisation of the quality of life of a patient with an active and advanced life-limiting illness. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PAS | Paediatric Surgery | Management, review, and treatment of all types of surgery on infants, children and adolescents. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PHA | Pharmacy | Review and advice on medicine usage. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PHY | Physiotherapy | Assessment and treatment of people (with all types of medical conditions) requiring physiotherapy, such as musculoskeletal disorders, fractures and orthopaedic conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PIC | Peripherally Inserted Central Catheter Services | A service dedicated to the insertion of a long narrow tube into a large vein to give medication directly into the blood stream. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PLA | Plastic Surgery | Restoration, reconstruction, correction, or improvement in the shape and appearance of body structures that are defective, damaged, or misshapen as a result of injury, trauma, disease or congenital defects. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| POD | Podiatry | Diagnosis and treatment of specific foot and lower limb conditions, including the management and treatment of people with general and specific podiatry conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PRE | Pre-Admission and Pre-Anaesthetic | The screening and assessment of a patient to ensure fitness prior to undergoing surgery or a procedure to identify patient risk factors. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PSG | Psychogeriatrics | Improving the health, function, behaviour, and quality of life of people with age-related organic brain impairment and significant associated behavioural or psychiatric disturbance. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PSY | Psychiatry Adult | Assessment, diagnosis, management, and treatment of adults with mental, behavioural, and conduct disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PUP | Pulmonary Physiology | Investigation and management of sleep-related disorders including snoring, sleep apnea, sleep hypoventilation, chronic or recurrent respiratory failure, narcolepsy, and related conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PYO | Psychiatry Youth | Assessment, diagnosis, management, and treatment of children with mental, behavioural, and conduct disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RAD | Radiology | Use of imaging such as x-rays, ultrasound, MRI, and CT scans to diagnose and treat diseases. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RAO | Radiation Oncology | Consultation and maintenance of patients who may need to be or have been treated using x rays, radioactive substances, and other forms of radiant | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| | | energy to lyse or destroy tumour cells and correct other abnormalities | | |
| REH | Rehabilitation Medicine | Improving a patient's functional status, independence, and quality of life where they have impairment or a functional limitation. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| REM | Renal Medicine | Diagnosis, treatment, care, and support for people with acute and chronic kidney disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RES | Respiratory Medicine | Assessment, investigation, treatment, and management of patients with diseases of the lung, pleural cavity, bronchial tubes, trachea, upper respiratory tract, and of the nerves and muscles of breathing. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RET | Rehabilitation Technology | Supporting a patient's rehabilitation by providing technology to optimise functional independence and prepare for safe, effective, and reliable discharge into the community. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RHE | Rheumatology | Assessment, treatment, management and, rehabilitation of people with diseases of the joints, muscles, and bones. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RIT | Rehabilitation In The Home | Hospital substitution services for rehabilitation in a patient's home to facilitate early supported discharge from hospitals. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RSH | Research | Use of scientific methods with the aim to produce knowledge about human diseases, the prevention and treatment of illnesses, and the promotion of health. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SAM | State-wide Aboriginal Mental Health | Provision of specialist mental health services to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SLP | Sleep | Medical specialist and allied health services for initial assessment and overall management of broad range of primary and secondary sleep disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SOW | Social Work | Generalised and specific counselling and education for peoples experiencing a variety of conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SPP | Speech Pathology | Assessment, treatment, review, and ongoing management of people with various speech, language, and swallowing difficulties. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SPS | Spinal and Scoliosis | Management of scoliosis/spinal deformity and degenerative spinal conditions | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| STM | Stomal Therapy | Management, education, and assistance to people adjusting to living with either a permanent or temporary stoma, be it a colostomy, ileostomy, or urostomy | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| URO | Urology | Consultation, diagnosis, treatment, and follow-up of people suffering from diseases of the urinary tract and urogenital system and those who have had prostatectomy or other urological surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| VAS | Vascular Surgery | Consultation, management, investigation, review, and assessment of patients following surgery in which diseases of the vascular system, or arteries and veins are managed by medical therapy, minimally invasive catheter procedures, and surgical reconstruction | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| VTE | Vascular Technical Service | Monitoring of long-term patients with vascular disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| WOU | Wounds Dressings Management | Assessment, implementation, and management of complex wounds requiring an in-depth knowledge of contemporary wound care practices and products. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| YCS | Youth Cancer Service | Oncology, haematology, and support services for children with cancer. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

This data element is the fundamental grouping structure under which all clinics are organised within the source information systems. The WA Health system further maps Clinic Categories to Specialty groupings for performance and reporting purposes.

This data item is also used to exclude activity that is classified as admitted activity for national reporting purposes. Appointment records with a clinic category code of HITH or HIT (Hospital in the Home) are out of the scope of a non-admitted patient service event.

# Clinic - Healthcare Provider - Code

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The unique identifier, provided by a governing body, of the healthcare professional who is assigned to the clinic. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | CLINIC_HCP_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |

## Guide for use

Many healthcare professionals are governed by the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA). For a list of assigned AHPRA identifiers, refer to the [Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA) - Register of practitioners.](#)

**Condition:** If the healthcare professional has a provider number from AHPRA or another governing body then this data element is mandatory.

# Clinic - Healthcare Provider - Name

| Definition: | The name of the healthcare provider allocated to the clinic. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | CLINIC_HCP_NAME |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(100) |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** This data element is to reflect the Healthcare Provider who delivered the service. Where applicable, a list of registered healthcare professionals is available at the [Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA) - Register of practitioners.](Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA) - Register of practitioners.)

# Clinic - Identifier

| Definition: | A unique identifier for the clinic through which health care was provided to a non-admitted patient in a non-admitted setting. This identifier is assigned by the source information system in the preferred format. |
|---|---|
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Clinic (webPAS Clinic Maintenance) |
| **Field name:** | CLINIC_IDENTIFIER |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |

## Guide for use

The Clinic Identifier is assigned by the health information system that supplies data. The identifier will be unique in certain circumstances, depending on which health information system the clinic is created in.

# Clinic - Multidisciplinary Indicator

| Definition: | A yes or no value indicating whether the appointment occurred in a multidisciplinary clinic. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Source data element(s): | Multidisciplinary Clinic (webPAS) |
| Field name: | CLINIC_MULTIDISCIPLINARY_CODE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |
| Description field name: | CLINIC_MULTIDISCIPLINARY_DESC |
| Description data type: | String |
| Description format: | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| N | No | The clinic does not meet the definition of a multidisciplinary team. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| Y | Yes | The clinic meets the definition of a multidisciplinary team. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

In WA a clinic is defined as multidisciplinary when the following conditions are met:

1. There are three or more healthcare providers, and the care provided by each healthcare provider is unique and is illustrated by:

   - all members being of the same profession (medical, nursing or allied health) but each having a different specialty, or
   - team members being of a different profession (medical, nursing or allied health) but may have the same or a different specialty.

   In practice, this should be interpreted as meaning that the patient can separately identify the unique care provided by each healthcare provider.

2. Care is provided at the clinic on the same day, by multiple (three or more) healthcare providers, who collaborate to assess and make treatment recommendations that facilitate high quality patient care. Each healthcare provider has made an entry in the medical record.

3. There is direct interaction between the patient and the healthcare providers.

4. The clinic has been set up using the single service event method.

5. The clinic multidisciplinary flag is assigned when the clinic is registered.

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/727749

# Clinic - Name

| Definition: | The descriptive title of the clinic as identified in the source information system. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Source data element(s): | Description (webPAS) |
| Field name: | CLINIC_TITLE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(100) |

## Guide for use

This is the clinic title as it appears in the source health information system.

# Clinic - NMDS Tier 1 Classification

| Definition: | The clinic type to be selected from the NMDS Tier 1 clinic list. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Source data element(s): | NMDS Code (webPAS) |
| Field name: | CLINIC_NMDS_TIER1_CODE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | XXX.XXX |
| Description field name: | CLINIC_NMDS_TIER1_DESC |
| Description data type: | String |
| Description format: | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

For the complete list of permitted values, refer to the METeOR data item: Clinic — outpatient clinic tier 1 type, code NNN.NNN (aihw.gov.au)

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 000.000 | Non-clinical care | Services which do not deliver clinical care including home cleaning, meals on wheels, and home maintenance. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 001.000 | Allied Health | Provision of services to support a patient's medical care across many fields, usually in conjunction with other healthcare providers. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 001.001 | Audiology | Assessment and management of hearing, balance and related disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 001.002 | Clinical pharmacology | A clinical consultation to review and advise medicine. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 001.003 | Neuropsychology | Assessment, diagnosis, and treatment of psychological disorders associated with conditions affecting the brain. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 001.004 | Dietetics | Provision of advice and nutrition guidelines in relation to therapeutic diets for people including guidance on individual dietary requirements. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 001.005 | Occupational therapy | Assessment, treatment, and implementation of occupational therapy procedures and equipment for patients suffering from various mental and physical conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 001.006 | Optometry | Measurement of visual refractive power and the correction of visual defects with lenses or glasses. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 001.007 | Orthoptics | Diagnosis and management of disorders of eye movements and associated vision problems; performance of investigative procedures appropriate to disorders of the eye and visual system; and rehabilitation of patients with vision loss. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 001.008 | Orthotics | The fitting of orthotic devices which apply external forces to the body for | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| | | the purpose of support and alignment, reducing pain, or enhancing mobility. | | |
| 001.009 | Physiotherapy | Assessment and treatment of people (with all types of medical conditions) requiring physiotherapy, such as musculoskeletal disorders, fractures, and orthopaedic conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 001.010 | Podiatry | Diagnosis and treatment of specific foot and lower limb conditions, including the management and treatment of people with general and specific podiatry conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 001.011 | Prosthetics | Assessment and supply of essential consumable items to support people with amputations. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 001.012 | Psychology | Treatment of disorders or conditions that affect human behaviour, memory, learning, human development, and the processes determining how people think, feel, behave, and react. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 001.013 | Social work | Generalised and specific counselling and education for peoples experiencing a variety of conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 001.014 | Speech pathology | Assessment, treatment, review, and ongoing management of people with various speech, language, and swallowing difficulties. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 002.000 | Dental | Provision of oral health services. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 002.001 | Dental | Provision of oral health services. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 003.000 | Gynaecology | Assessment, review, diagnosis, and treatment of problems/disorders affecting the female reproductive organs. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 003.001 | Gynaecology | Assessment, review, diagnosis, and treatment of problems/disorders affecting the female reproductive organs. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 003.002 | Gynaecology oncology | Specialises in the diagnosis and treatment of women with cancer of the reproductive organs. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 003.003 | Menopause | Advice and therapy for management of symptoms caused by menopause. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 003.004 | Assisted reproduction, infertility | Treatment or procedures (including hormone therapy) which involve the handling of human sperm, oocytes, or embryos for the purpose of increasing the chance of fertilisation in the infertile or sub-fertile man, woman or couple | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 003.005 | Family planning | Treatment, referral, management, information, and advice services for people who wish to regulate the number of children born into a family by using various methods of birth control. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 004.000 | Obstetrics | Assessment and management of people during pregnancies and post-birth. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 004.001 | Obstetrics | Assessment and management of people during pregnancies and post-birth. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 004.002 | Childbirth education | Classes to help prepare and assist women receiving care for the birth of their baby, breastfeeding, and the transition to parenthood. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 004.003 | Antenatal | Management and assessment of people who are pregnant or require post-delivery care. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 004.004 | Postnatal | Care and support provided to a mother and baby post-delivery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 005.000 | Cardiology | Management, assessment, and treatment of heart related conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 005.001 | Cardiac rehabilitation | Support, exercise, and education services aimed at strengthening the heart for people recovering after a heart event, procedure, or diagnosis of a heart condition. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 005.002 | ECG | Recording of the heart's electrical activity through repeated cardiac cycles. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 005.003 | Doppler | A procedure that uses soundwaves to create an image of the circulatory system and identifies issues. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 005.004 | Cardiac stress test | A cardiological examination that evaluates the cardiovascular systems response to external stress. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 005.005 | Hypertension | Management, diagnosis, and treatment of patients with a long-term condition whereby the blood pressure in the arteries is persistently elevated. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 005.006 | Pacemaker | A comprehensive service providing routine checks, device monitoring and education for patients who have a pacemaker. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 006.000 | Endocrinology | Management, education, review, and treatment of all types of conditions affecting the organs and structures whose function is to secrete into the blood or lymph a substance (hormone) that has a specific effect on another organ or part. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 006.001 | Endocrine | Management, education, review, and treatment of all types of conditions affecting the organs and structures whose function is to secrete into the blood or lymph a substance (hormone) that has a specific effect on another organ or part. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 006.002 | Gestational diabetes | Pregnancy and diabetes care to pregnant women with gestational diabetes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 006.003 | Thyroid | Consultations, diagnostics, and management of thyroid-related conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 006.004 | Metabolic | Treatment and management of people whose body cannot properly turn food into energy. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 006.005 | Diabetes | Treatment and education for individuals, and their carers, with diabetes and other endocrine disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 006.006 | Diabetes education | In-person and online educational services to enable and improve self-management of diabetes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 007.000 | Oncology | Assessment, management and treatment of malignancy and neoplasm-related conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 007.001 | Oncology | Assessment, management and treatment of malignancy and neoplasm-related conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 007.002 | Lymphoedema | Diagnosis, treatment, and management of accumulation of excess fluid in the body due to damage to the lymphatic system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 007.003 | Radiation oncology | Consultation and maintenance of patients who may need to be or have been treated using x rays, radioactive substances, and other forms of radiant energy to lyse or destroy tumour cells and correct other abnormalities | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 008.000 | Respiratory | Assessment, investigation, treatment, and management of patients with diseases of the lung, pleural cavity, bronchial tubes, trachea, upper respiratory tract, and of the nerves and muscles of breathing. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 008.001 | Asthma | Management, diagnosis, and treatment of asthma conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 008.002 | Asthma education | Education for patients diagnosed with asthma. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 008.003 | Respiratory | Assessment, investigation, treatment, and management of patients with diseases of the lung, pleural cavity, bronchial tubes, trachea, upper respiratory tract, and of the nerves and muscles of breathing. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 008.004 | Cystic Fibrosis | A multidisciplinary service to treat, manage and support people with cystic fibrosis. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 008.005 | Sleep | Medical specialist and allied health services for initial assessment and overall management of broad range of primary and secondary sleep disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 008.006 | Pulmonary | Diagnosis and treatment of conditions related to the lungs. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 009.000 | Gastroenterology | Consultation, management, treatment, and education on all types of diseases of the stomach and intestine. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 009.001 | Gastroenterology | Consultation, management, treatment, and education on all types of diseases of the stomach and intestine. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.000 | Medical | A multidisciplinary service that provides a wide range of diagnostic, therapeutic and preventative care. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.001 | Aged care, geriatric, gerontology | Improving the health, function, behaviour, and quality of life of people with age-related organic brain impairment and significant associated behavioural or psychiatric disturbance. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.002 | Allergy | A comprehensive service that offers treatment and management for a wide range of allergic conditions | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| 010.003 | Anti-coagulant | The review and management of patients that suffer from excessive clotting of the blood. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.004 | Clinical measurement | The use of physiological monitoring tools and diagnostic procedures to assist in measuring, processing, storing, and analysing physiological parameters of health and wellbeing of people. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.005 | Dementia | Diagnosis, treatment, and management of people with long term and progressive cognitive impairment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.006 | Dermatology | Management, treatment, assessment, and diagnosis of patients suffering from skin conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.007 | Development disability | Specialist services for management of people suffering from various developmental disabilities. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.008 | Epilepsy | Treatment of paroxysmal transient disturbances of nervous system function resulting from abnormal electrical activity of the brain. Epilepsy is a disorder of brain function that takes the form of recurring convulsive or non-convulsive seizures. Epilepsy is not just one condition; rather it is a diverse family of disorders comprising many seizure types. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.009 | Falls | Assessment and management of people with falls and balance problems by providing services to people with a high risk of falls and falls injuries and those who have presented to an emergency department or been admitted to hospital following a fall. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.010 | General medicine | Assessment, management, diagnosis, and/or research of general medical conditions, where people are not required to attend a specialist medical consultation clinic, or such clinics do not exist. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.011 | Genetic | Diagnosis, management, and treatment of hereditary and/or genetic disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.012 | Haematology, haemophilia | Assessment, diagnosis, planning, management, follow-up screening, and testing of patients with diseases of the blood. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.013 | Hepatobiliary | Treatment of diseases pertaining to the liver and biliary system including hepatic, biliary and pancreatic surgery, and the management of liver and bile duct trauma as required. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.014 | Hyperbaric medicine | The delivery of 100 per cent oxygen at pressures greater than atmospheric (sea level) pressure to a patient in an enclosed chamber. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.015 | Immunology, HIV | Treatment of disorders affecting the structure and function of the immune system, including human immunodeficiency virus (HIV). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| 010.016 | Infectious and communicable diseases, Hepatitis B/C, Tuberculosis | Management and treatment of infectious diseases, Hepatitis B, Hepatitis B, and Tuberculosis. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.017 | Men's health | Education, diagnosis, and treatment of preventable health problems among men and boys. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.018 | Metabolic bone | Treatment of a number of disorders related to the weakening of the bone or impaired systems function caused by an imbalance in vitamin D3, calcium, and phosphorus. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.019 | Neurology, neurophysiology | Assessment, diagnosis, and management of disorders of the nervous system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.020 | Occupational medicine | Prevention, diagnosis, and treatment of work-related illnesses and injuries. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.021 | Other medical | Medical clinic in which services do not appropriately fall within the definition of any other permitted value. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.022 | Pain management | The review of patients that suffer from chronic and persistent pain. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.023 | Palliative | Optimisation of the quality of life of a patient with an active and advanced life-limiting illness. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.024 | Refugee clinic | Health support for newly arrived refugees and humanitarian entrants. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.025 | Rehabilitation | Improving a patient's functional status, independence, and quality of life where they have impairment or a functional limitation. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.026 | Rheumatology | Assessment, treatment, management and, rehabilitation of people with diseases of the joints, muscles, and bones. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.027 | Sexual health | Education, advice and testing for sexual health, including the transmission of sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) and relationship issues | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.028 | Spinal | Services provided to those with injury to the spinal cord and vertebral column. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.029 | Stomal therapy | Management, education, and assistance to people adjusting to living with either a permanent or temporary stoma, be it a colostomy, ileostomy, or urostomy | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.030 | Transplants | Consultation, pre- and post-transplant evaluation, including a variety of medical tests that provide complete information on overall health prior to and following transplant surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 010.031 | Wound, dressing clinic | Assessment, implementation, and management of complex wounds requiring an in-depth knowledge of contemporary wound care practices and products. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 011.000 | General practice, Primary care | Provision of primary health services by medical professionals with the care objective of maintaining optimum mental and physical health and preventing disease | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|-----------|----------|
| 011.001 | General practice, Primary care | Provision of primary health services by medical professionals with the care objective of maintaining optimum mental and physical health and preventing disease | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 012.000 | Paediatric medical | Management, review and treatment of all types of medical conditions affecting infants, children and adolescents. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 012.001 | Adolescent health | General health services for adolescents. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 012.002 | Neonatology | Care for infants who are born preterm and babies requiring specialist treatment in their first months of life. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 012.003 | Paediatric medicine | Management, review, and treatment of all types of medical conditions affecting infants, children, and adolescents. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 013.000 | Endoscopy | Investigation and/or treatment using an endoscope, a medical device consisting of a long, thin, flexible (or rigid) tube which has a light and a video camera to look inside a body cavity or organ. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 013.001 | Endoscopy | Investigation and/or treatment using an endoscope, a medical device consisting of a long, thin, flexible (or rigid) tube which has a light and a video camera to look inside a body cavity or organ. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 014.000 | Plastic surgery | Plastic surgical services including skin cancer surgery, hand surgery, breast surgery, and head and neck surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 014.001 | Craniofacial | Consultation pre- or post-surgery pertaining to the cranium and face. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 014.002 | Melanoma | Treatment of people diagnosed with a malignant tumour of the skin. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 014.003 | Plastic surgery | Plastic surgical services including skin cancer surgery, hand surgery, breast surgery, and head and neck surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 015.000 | Urology | Consultation, diagnosis, treatment, and follow-up of people suffering from diseases of the urinary tract and urogenital system and those who have had prostatectomy or other urological surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 015.001 | Urology | Consultation, diagnosis, treatment, and follow-up of people suffering from diseases of the urinary tract and urogenital system and those who have had prostatectomy or other urological surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 016.000 | Orthopaedic surgery | Consultation associated with surgery to preserve and restore the function of the skeletal system, its articulations, and associated structures. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 016.001 | Fracture | Consultation associated with surgery to preserve and restore the function of the skeletal system, its articulations, and associated structures following a trauma fracture of the bone. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 016.002 | Hand | Surgical and non-surgical treatment of conditions and problems that may take | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| | | place in the hand or upper extremity including injury and infection. | | |
| 016.003 | Orthopaedic surgery | Consultation associated with surgery to preserve and restore the function of the skeletal system, its articulations, and associated structures. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 016.004 | Other orthopaedic surgery | Consultation associated with other types of surgery to preserve and restore the function of the skeletal system, its articulations, and associated structures. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 016.005 | Scoliosis | Management of scoliosis/spinal deformity and degenerative spinal conditions | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 016.006 | Neck of femur | Treatment and management of people diagnosed with a hip fracture. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 017.000 | Ophthalmology | Consultation, assessment, review, treatment, and management of conditions relating to eye disorders and vision, and services associated with surgery to the eye. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 017.001 | Ophthalmology | Consultation, assessment, review, treatment, and management of conditions relating to eye disorders and vision, and services associated with surgery to the eye. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 017.002 | Cataract extraction | Consultations related to the extraction of the eye lens. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 017.003 | Lens insertion | Consultations related to the replacement of the eye lens. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 018.000 | Ear, nose and throat | Consultation, diagnosis, planning investigation, and treatment for people with ear, nose, and/or throat conditions pre- and/or post-surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 018.001 | Ear, nose and throat | Consultation, diagnosis, planning investigation, and treatment for people with ear, nose, and/or throat conditions pre- and/or post-surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 018.002 | Otitis media | Diagnosis, treatment, and management of inflammation or infection of the middle ear. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 018.003 | Oral | Diagnosis, treatment, and management of the teeth, gums, and mouth. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 019.000 | Pre-admission and pre-anaesthesia | The screening and assessment of a patient to ensure fitness prior to undergoing surgery or a procedure to identify patient risk factors. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 019.001 | Pre-admission | The screening and assessment of a patient to ensure fitness prior to undergoing surgery or a procedure to identify patient risk factors. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 019.002 | Pre-anaesthesia | The screening and assessment of a patient to ensure fitness prior to undergoing surgery or a procedure to identify patient risk factors. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 020.000 | Chemotherapy | Specialist clinic dedicated to the administration of chemotherapy for the treatment of abnormal cells. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 020.001 | Chemotherapy | Specialist clinic dedicated to the administration of chemotherapy for the treatment of abnormal cells. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| 021.000 | Dialysis | Provision of haemodialysis and peritoneal dialysis services to people with acute and chronic kidney disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 021.001 | Renal dialysis | Provision of haemodialysis and peritoneal dialysis services to people with acute and chronic kidney disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 021.002 | Renal dialysis education | Patient and carer education services for the management and treatment of chronic kidney disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 022.000 | Surgery | Surgical clinic in which services do not appropriately fall within the definition of any other permitted value. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 022.001 | Cardiac | Diagnosis, treatment, and management of disorders of the cardiovascular or circulatory system, which includes the heart and arteries. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 022.002 | Vascular | Diagnosis, treatment, and management of diseases involving the arteries, veins, or lymphatic vessels. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 022.003 | Cardiac catheterisation | A service dedicated to the insertion of a long narrow tube into a chamber or vessel of the heart for diagnostic or interventional purposes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 022.004 | Colorectal | Management and treatment of disorders of the rectum, anus, and colon. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 022.005 | Upper gastrointestinal surgery | Management and treatment of the structure and diseases relating to the oesophagus, stomach, and duodenum. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 022.006 | General surgery | Consultation, assessment, diagnosis, review, and treatment of patients requiring general surgical procedures and those requiring post-surgical management. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 022.007 | Neurosurgery | Preoperative and postoperative consultation, treatment, diagnosis, and rehabilitation of disorders that affect any portion of the nervous system including the brain, spinal column, spinal cord, peripheral nerves, and extra-cranial cerebrovascular system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 022.008 | Other surgery | Surgical clinic in which services do not appropriately fall within the definition of any other permitted value. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 022.009 | Thoracic surgery | Management, review, and treatment of the thorax. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 023.000 | Paediatric surgery | Management, review, and treatment of all types of surgery on infants, children and adolescents. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 023.001 | Paediatric surgery | Management, review, and treatment of all types of surgery on infants, children and adolescents. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 024.000 | Renal medical | Diagnosis, treatment, care, and support for people with acute and chronic kidney disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 024.001 | Renal medicine | Diagnosis, treatment, care, and support for people with acute and chronic kidney disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 024.002 | Nephrology | Assessment, treatment, review, and management of renal diseases. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 024.003 | Pre- and post-transplant treatment, | Support and education services for people pre- and post-transplant. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | support and education | | | |
| 070.000 | Community / Home care | Non-treatment based health services provided outside of hospitals, including in people's homes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 070.001 | Community / Home care | Non-treatment based health services provided outside of hospitals, including in people's homes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 080.000 | Psychiatry | Assessment, diagnosis, management, and treatment of people with mental, behavioural, and conduct disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 080.001 | Psychiatry | Assessment, diagnosis, management, and treatment of people with mental, behavioural, and conduct disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 085.000 | Drug and Alcohol | Diagnosis, treatment, and management of people who overuse and or are dependent on substances that are harmful to the body. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 085.001 | Drug and Alcohol | Diagnosis, treatment, and management of people who overuse and or are dependent on substances that are harmful to the body. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 090.000 | Diagnostic Imaging / Radiology | Use of imaging such as x-rays, ultrasound, MRI, and CT scans to diagnose and treat diseases. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 090.001 | Diagnostic Imaging / Radiology | Use of imaging such as x-rays, ultrasound, MRI, and CT scans to diagnose and treat diseases. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 091.000 | Pathology | Investigations to determine the origin, nature and causes of diseases. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 091.001 | Pathology | Investigations to determine the origin, nature and causes of diseases. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 092.000 | Pharmacy | Dispensing and signing of prescriptions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 092.001 | Pharmacy | Dispensing and signing of prescriptions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 099.000 | Non-clinical Home and Community Care (HACC) | Maintenance and support services for frail aged people, younger people with a disability, and their carers. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

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For services in-scope and out-of-scope as well as the relevant codes see the complete list of Clinic outpatient clinic Tier 1 type codes.

This data element is used to determine a non-admitted patient service event.

Services that are out of the scope of a non-admitted patent service event include non-clinical care, ancillary services and services provided in community health settings (e.g. community and child health centres).

For this reason, the following local NADC codes are excluded from counts of non-admitted patient service events:

| Clinic NMDS Tier 1 (NADC codes) |
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| 000.000 Non-clinical care<br>070.000 Community / Home care |

070.001 Community / Home care
080.000 Psychiatry
080.001 Psychiatry
085.000 Drug and Alcohol
085.001 Drug and Alcohol
090.000 Diagnostic Imaging / Radiology
090.001 Diagnostic Imaging / Radiology
091.000 Pathology
091.001 Pathology
092.000 Pharmacy
092.001 Pharmacy
099.000 Non-clinical Home and Community Care (HACC)

All other NMDS Tier 1 codes are in the scope of a non-admitted patient service event.

## Clinic - Site Code

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| **Definition:** | The clinic sites allocated to hospitals and other health related locations or establishments by the Department of Health WA. |
| **Requirement status:** | Optional |
| **Field name:** | CLINIC_SITE_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |

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As per the list of alpha and numeric codes allocated to hospitals and other health-related locations or establishments by the Department of Health WA.

# Clinic - Tier 2 Classification

| Definition: | The Tier 2 clinic type that is assigned to a clinic at the time of registration. The clinic type is to be selected from the IHACPA Tier 2 clinic list. |
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| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Tier 2 Code (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | CLINIC_TIER2_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | XX.XX |
| **Description field name:** | CLINIC_TIER2_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

Refer to the Independent Hospital Pricing Authority (IHACPA):

Tier 2 Non-admitted Services 2024-25 | Resources | IHACPA

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 10.01 | Hyperbaric Medicine | The provision of hyperbaric oxygen therapy, the delivery of 100 per cent oxygen at pressures greater than atmospheric (sea level) pressure to a patient in an enclosed chamber. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.02 | Interventional Imaging | The use of imaging equipment to treat and diagnose diseases using x-ray, magnetic, or ultrasound images to guide procedures, usually with catheters inserted through an artery or vein. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.03 | Minor Surgical | The conduct of minor surgical procedures that do not require the patient to be admitted to hospital. These services may require the use of a specialised procedural suite and/or anaesthesia services | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.04 | Dental | Specialist clinic dedicated to the promotion of oral health. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.05 | Angioplasty/Angiography | The procedure whereby placement of catheters and/or injections to allow insertion of specific material into arteries or veins. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.06 | Endoscopy - Gastrointestinal | Investigation and/or treatment using an endoscope, a medical device consisting of a long, thin, flexible (or rigid) tube which has a light and a video camera to look inside a body cavity or organ. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.07 | Endoscopy - Urological/Gynaecological | Investigation and/or treatment using an endoscope, a medical device consisting of a long, thin, flexible (or rigid) tube which has a light and a | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
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| | | video camera to look inside a body cavity or organ. | | |
| 10.08 | Endoscopy - Orthopaedic | Investigation and/or treatment using an endoscope, a medical device consisting of a long, thin, flexible (or rigid) tube which has a light and a video camera to look inside a body cavity or organ. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.09 | Endoscopy - Respiratory/ENT | Investigation and/or treatment using an endoscope, a medical device consisting of a long, thin, flexible (or rigid) tube which has a light and a video camera to look inside a body cavity or organ. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.10 | Renal Dialysis - Hospital Delivered | The treatment and management of patients suffering renal failure using either haemodialysis or peritoneal dialysis in a non-admitted hospital setting. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.11 | Chemotherapy - Treatment | Specialist clinic dedicated to the administration of chemotherapy for the treatment of abnormal cells. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.12 | Radiation Therapy - Treatment | Delivery of radiation therapy treatment. Radiation therapy involves using x-rays, radioactive substances and other forms of radiant energy to destroy tumour cells and correct other abnormalities. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.13 | Minor Medical Procedures | Minor medical procedures not requiring a general anaesthetic and that are not part of other specialist medical consultation clinics. The intent of the clinic is to provide standalone minor medical procedures. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.14 | Pain Management Interventions | The provision of pain management interventions for clients with moderate to severe levels of persistent pain. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.15 | Renal Dialysis - Haemodialysis - Home Delivered | The treatment and management of patients suffering renal failure using haemodialysis which is self-administered by the patient. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.16 | Renal Dialysis - Peritoneal Dialysis - Home Delivered | The treatment and management of patients suffering renal failure using peritoneal dialysis which is self-administered by the patient. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.17 | Total Parenteral Nutrition - Home Delivered | The administration of nutrition by means of an infusion of an intravenous nutrition formula self-administered by the patient. Total parenteral nutrition (TPN) is generally only used when it is not possible to meet a patient's nutrition requirements through an oral or enteral route. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.18 | Enteral Nutrition - Home Delivered | The administration of nutrition either orally or by feeding tube directly into the gastrointestinal tract self-administered by the patient. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| 10.19 | Ventilation - Home Delivered | A process by which gases are moved into the lungs by a device that assists respiration by augmenting or replacing the patient's own respiratory effort self-administered by the patient or the patient's carer. | 2014-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.20 | Radiation Therapy - Simulation and Planning | Simulation and planning of radiotherapy treatment techniques, involves using x-rays, radioactive substances and other forms of radiant energy to destroy tumour cells and correct other abnormalities. | 2014-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 10.21 | COVID-19 vaccination | Provision of a vaccination for coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) caused by severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2). | 2020-07-01 | 2021-06-30 |
| 10.22 | Subcutaneous immunoglobulin (SCIg) infusion therapy - home delivered | The treatment and management of patients where there is support for use for the clinical use of immunoglobulin SCIg infusion therapy and is self-administered by the patient or their carer. | 2024-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.01 | Transplants | Consultation, pre- and post-transplant evaluation, including a variety of medical tests that provide complete information on overall health prior to and following transplant surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.02 | Anaesthetics | The review of patients scheduled to undergo or have undergone general anaesthesia, a state of drug-induced non-responsiveness characterized by absence of response to any stimulus, loss of protective airway reflexes, and depression of respiration and disturbance of circulatory reflexes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.03 | Pain Management | The review of patients that suffer from chronic and persistent pain. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.04 | Developmental Disabilities | Specialist services for management of people suffering from various developmental disabilities. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.05 | General Medicine | Assessment, management, diagnosis and or research of general medical conditions, where patients are not required to attend a specialist medical consultation clinic, or such clinics do not exist. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.06 | General Practice and Primary Care | Provision of primary health services by medical professionals with the care objective of maintaining optimum mental and physical health and preventing disease | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.07 | General Surgery | Consultation, assessment, diagnosis, review, and treatment of patients requiring general surgical procedures and those requiring post-surgical management. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| 20.08 | Genetics | Diagnosis, management, and treatment of hereditary and/or genetic disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.09 | Geriatric Medicine | Assessment and management and treatment of older people with complex health care needs, often with more than one condition. Generally targeted at those over 65 (45 for Indigenous people). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.10 | Haematology | Assessment, diagnosis, planning, management, follow-up screening, and testing of patients with diseases of the blood. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.11 | Paediatric Medicine | Management, review and treatment of all types of medical conditions affecting infants, children and adolescents. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.12 | Paediatric Surgery | Management, review and treatment of all types of surgery on infants, children and adolescents. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.13 | Palliative Care | Care in which the primary clinical purpose or treatment goal is optimisation of the quality of life of a patient with an active and advanced life-limiting illness. The patient will have complex physical, psychosocial and/or spiritual needs. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.14 | Epilepsy | Treatment of paroxysmal transient disturbances of nervous system function resulting from abnormal electrical activity of the brain. Epilepsy is a disorder of brain function that takes the form of recurring convulsive or non-convulsive seizures. Epilepsy is not just one condition; rather it is a diverse family of disorders comprising many seizure types. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.15 | Neurology | Assessment, diagnosis, and management of disorders of the nervous system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.16 | Neurosurgery | Pre and post-surgical consultation, diagnosis, treatment, and rehabilitation of disorders that affect any portion of the nervous system including the brain, spinal column, spinal cord, peripheral nerves, and extra-cranial cerebrovascular system and pre/post-surgical treatment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.17 | Ophthalmology | Consultation, assessment, review, treatment, and management of conditions relating to eye disorders and vision, and services associated with surgery to the eye. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.18 | Ear, Nose and Throat (ENT) | Consultation, diagnosis, planning investigation, and treatment for patients with ENT conditions pre- and/or post-surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.19 | Respiratory | Assessment, investigation, treatment, and management of patients with diseases of the lung, | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| | | pleural cavity, bronchial tubes, trachea, upper respiratory tract, and of the nerves and muscles of breathing. | | |
| 20.20 | Respiratory - Cystic Fibrosis | Management of patients with the inherited disease cystic fibrosis which affects the glands that make mucus and sweat (known as the secretory glands). Cystic fibrosis causes the body to produce abnormally thick, sticky mucus. This abnormal mucus clogs the lungs and leads to lung infections | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.21 | Anti-coagulant Screening and Management | The review and management of patients that suffer from excessive clotting of the blood. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.22 | Cardiology | Management, assessment and treatment of cardiac (heart related) conditions. Includes monitoring of long-term patients with cardiac conditions, maintenance of pacemakers and investigative treatments. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.23 | Cardiothoracic | Consultation pre- and/or post-surgical treatment of diseases affecting organs inside the thorax (the chest) - generally treatment of conditions of the heart, (heart disease) and lungs (lung disease). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.24 | Vascular Surgery | Consultation, management, investigation, review, and assessment of patients following surgery in which diseases of the vascular system, or arteries and veins are managed by medical therapy, minimally invasive catheter procedures, and surgical reconstruction | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.25 | Gastroenterology | Consultation, management, treatment, and education on all types of diseases of the stomach and intestine. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.26 | Hepatobiliary | Treatment of diseases pertaining to the liver and biliary system including hepatic, biliary and pancreatic surgery, and the management of liver and bile duct trauma as required. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.27 | Craniofacial | Consultation pre- or post-surgery pertaining to the cranium and face. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.28 | Metabolic Bone | Treatment of a number of disorders related to the weakening of the bone or impaired systems function caused by an imbalance in vitamin D3, calcium, and phosphorus. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.29 | Orthopaedics | Consultation associated with surgery to preserve and restore the function of the skeletal system, its articulations, and associated structures. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.30 | Rheumatology | Assessment, treatment, management and, rehabilitation of | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | patients with diseases of the joints, muscles, and bones. | | |
| 20.31 | Spinal | Services provided to those with injury to the spinal cord and vertebral column. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.32 | Breast | Consultation, diagnosis and treatment of breast disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.33 | Dermatology | Management, treatment, assessment, and diagnosis of patients suffering from skin conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.34 | Endocrinology | Management, education, review, and treatment of all types of conditions affecting the organs and structures whose function is to secrete into the blood or lymph a substance (hormone) that has a specific effect on another organ or part. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.35 | Nephrology | Assessment, treatment, review and management of renal diseases. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.36 | Urology | Consultation, diagnosis, treatment, and follow-up of patients suffering from diseases of the urinary tract and urogenital system and those who have had prostatectomy or other urological surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.37 | Assisted Reproductive Technology | Treatment or procedures (including hormone therapy) which involve the handling of human sperm, oocytes or embryos for the purpose of increasing the chance of fertilisation in the infertile or sub-fertile man, woman or couple | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.38 | Gynaecology | Assessment, review, diagnosis, and treatment of problems/disorders affecting the female reproductive organs. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.39 | Gynaecological oncology | Specialises in the diagnosis and treatment of women with cancer of the reproductive organs. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.40 | Obstetrics (Pregnancy without complications) | Assessment and management of women during pregnancies without complications and post birth. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.41 | Immunology | Treatment of disorders affecting the structure and function of the immune system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.42 | Medical Oncology (Consultation) | Assessment, identification, monitoring and research of oncology related conditions | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.43 | Radiation Oncology (Consultation) | Consultation and maintenance of patients who may need to be or have been treated using x rays, radioactive substances, and other forms of radiant energy to lyse or destroy tumour cells and correct other abnormalities | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.44 | Infectious Diseases | Treatment of diseases due to organisms ranging in size from viruses to parasitic worms; may be contagious in origin, result from nosocomial organisms, or be due to | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
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| | | endogenous microflora from the nose and throat, skin, or bowel. | | |
| 20.45 | Psychiatry | Assessment, diagnosis, management, and treatment of patients with mental, behavioural, and conduct disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.46 | Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery | Consultation associated with surgery concerned with restoration, reconstruction, correction, or improvement in the shape and appearance of body structures that are defective, damaged, or misshapen as a result of injury, trauma, disease or congenital defects. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.47 | Rehabilitation | Care in which the primary clinical purpose or treatment goal is improvement in the functioning of a patient with an impairment, activity limitation or participation restriction due to a health condition. The patient will be capable of actively participating. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.48 | Multidisciplinary Burns Clinic | Treatment of burns not requiring inpatient admission or ongoing management of burns following inpatient admission. This clinic requires the attendance of three or more specialists from different disciplines to be in attendance. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.49 | Geriatric Evaluation and Management (GEM) | Care in which the primary clinical purpose or treatment goal is improvement in the functioning of a patient with multi-dimensional needs associated with medical conditions related to ageing, such as tendency to fall, incontinence, reduced mobility and cognitive impairment. The patient may also have complex psychosocial problems. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.50 | Psychogeriatric | Care in which the primary clinical purpose or treatment goal is improvement in the functional status, behaviour and/or quality of life for an older patient with significant psychiatric or behavioural disturbance, caused by mental illness, an age-related organic brain impairment or a physical condition. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.51 | Sleep Disorders | Medical specialist and allied health services for initial assessment and overall management of broad range of primary and secondary sleep disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.52 | Addiction Medicine | Assessment, diagnosis, management and treatment of patients with a wide range of addiction disorders | 2014-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.53 | Obstetrics (complex pregnancy) | Assessment and management of women during complex pregnancies and post-birth. | 2015-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| 20.54 | Maternal fetal medicine | Assessment and management of women and fetus during high risk pregnancies affected by fetal conditions | 2015-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.57 | COVID-19 response | Assessment, investigation, treatment and management of patients with confirmed, probable and suspected coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) caused by severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2). | 2019-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 20.58 | Long COVID | Multidisciplinary specialist clinic for the review, assessment, treatment, and management of post-acute sequelae of coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19), also referred to as 'Long COVID'. The primary clinical purpose or treatment goal is improvement in the health and functioning of a patient with an impairment, activity limitation or participation restriction due to Long COVID | 2023-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 30.01 | General Imaging | Examination of any part of the body for diagnostic purposes by means of x-rays with the record of the findings usually impressed upon a photographic film | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 30.02 | Medical Resonance Imaging (MRI) | The use of magnetic resonance imaging (MRI) to create cross-sectional images of the head and body, to diagnose a wide range of conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 30.03 | Computerised Tomography (CT) | The use of computerised tomography (CT) to diagnose patients. The CT scan creates a 3 dimensional picture of any part of the body using a computer. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 30.04 | Nuclear Medicine | The safe use of radioactive materials for diagnosis and treatment of various diseases. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 30.05 | Pathology (Microbiology, Haematology, Biochemistry) | Pathology collection services and other investigations to determine the origin, nature and causes of diseases. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 30.06 | Positron Emission Tomography (PET) | The use of positron emission tomography (PET) scanning allowing non-invasive diagnostic imaging of metabolic processes using short-lived radioisotopes. PET can quantify biochemical and physiological function. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 30.07 | Mammography Screening | The regular mammographic screening for breast cancer of all women over the age of 40 years. Mammography uses a low dose x-ray for examination of breast tissue to diagnose breast conditions | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 30.08 | Clinical Measurement | The use of physiological monitoring tools and diagnostic procedures to assist in measuring, processing, storing and analysing physiological | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| | | parameters of health and wellbeing of clients. | | |
| 30.09 | COVID-19 response diagnostics | Pathology collection services, the use of computerised tomography (CT) and other investigations to determine the origin, nature and causes of coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19). | 2019-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.01 | Aboriginal Health Clinic | Provision of culturally appropriate and secure health services to the Aboriginal community. | 1600-01-01 | 2015-06-30 |
| 40.02 | Aged Care Assessment | Assessment, management and treatment of older people. Generally targeted at those over 65 (45 for indigenous population). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.03 | Aids and Appliances | Includes the fitting and maintenance of external prosthetics and aids. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.04 | Clinical Pharmacy | Review and advice on medicine usage. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.05 | Hydrotherapy | Hydrotherapy is a clinical exercise treatment modality carried out in water. It combines the properties of water with the knowledge and skills of the therapist, to make treatment more effective to improve the outcome of the rehabilitation process. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.06 | Occupational Therapy | Assessment, treatment and implementation of occupational therapy procedures and equipment for patients suffering from various mental and physical conditions | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.07 | Pre-Admission and Pre-Anaesthesia | The screening and assessment of a patient to ensure fitness prior to undergoing surgery or a procedure to identify patient risk factors. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.08 | Primary Health Care | Provision of primary health services by nurses and allied health professionals, with the care objective of maintaining optimum mental and physical health and preventing disease | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.09 | Physiotherapy | Assessment and treatment of patients (with all types of medical conditions) requiring physiotherapy, such as musculoskeletal disorders, fractures and, orthopaedic conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.10 | Sexual Health | Education, advice and testing for sexual health, including the transmission of sexually transmitted diseases (STDs) and relationship issues | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.11 | Social Work | The clinic may include generalised and specific counselling and education for patients experiencing a variety of conditions | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.12 | Rehabilitation | Care in which the primary clinical purpose or treatment goal is improvement in the functioning of a patient with an impairment, activity limitation or participation restriction | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
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| | | due to a health condition. The patient will be capable of actively participating. | | |
| 40.13 | Wound Management | Assessment, implementation, and management of complex wounds requiring an in-depth knowledge of contemporary wound care practices and products. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.14 | Neuropsychology | Assessment, diagnosis, and treatment of psychological disorders associated with conditions affecting the brain. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.15 | Optometry | Measurement of visual refractive power and the correction of visual defects with lenses or glasses. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.16 | Orthoptics | Diagnosis and management of disorders of eye movements and associated vision problems; performance of investigative procedures appropriate to disorders of the eye and visual system; and rehabilitation of patients with vision loss. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.17 | Audiology | Assessment and management of hearing, balance and related disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.18 | Speech Pathology | Assessment, treatment, review, and ongoing management of patients with various speech, language, and swallowing difficulties. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.19 | Asthma | Management, diagnosis and treatment of asthma conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 2013-06-30 |
| 40.20 | Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary (Disease) | Assessment, investigation, treatment and management of patients with diseases of the lung, pleural cavity, bronchial tubes, trachea, upper respiratory tract and of the nerves and muscles of breathing. | 1600-01-01 | 2013-06-30 |
| 40.21 | Cardiac Rehabilitation | Cardiac rehabilitation describes all measures used to help people with heart disease return to an active and satisfying life and to prevent recurrence of cardiac events. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.22 | Stomal Therapy | Management, education, and assistance to patients adjusting to living with either a permanent or temporary stoma, be it a colostomy, ileostomy, or urostomy | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.23 | Nutrition/Dietetics | Provision of advice and nutrition guidelines in relation to therapeutic diets for patients including guidance on individual dietary requirements. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.24 | Orthotics | The fitting of orthotic devices which apply external forces to the body for the purpose of support and alignment, reducing pain, or enhancing mobility. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.25 | Podiatry | Diagnosis and treatment of specific foot and lower limb conditions, including the management and | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
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| | | treatment of patients with general and specific podiatry conditions. | | |
| 40.26 | Diabetes | Treatment and education for individuals, and their carers, with diabetes and other endocrine disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 2013-06-30 |
| 40.27 | Family Planning | Treatment, referral, management, information, and advice services for patients who wish to regulate the number of children born into a family by the use of various methods of birth control. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.28 | Midwifery and Maternity | Care to childbearing women during pregnancy, labour and birth, and during the postpartum period. In addition, care for the newborn and assistance to the mother with breastfeeding may be provided. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.29 | Psychology | Treatment of disorders or conditions that affect human behaviour, memory, learning, human development, and the processes determining how people think, feel, behave, and react. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.30 | Alcohol and Other Drugs | Diagnosis, treatment and management of patients who overuse and or are dependent on substances that are harmful to the body. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.31 | Burns | Dedicated treatment and subsequent rehabilitation of burns patients. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.32 | Continence | The provision of support and strategies for clients with bladder and/or bowel dysfunction | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.33 | General Counselling | General counselling to assist people to develop skills in managing a range of behavioural and psychological conditions | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.34 | Specialist Mental Health | Provision of non-admitted specialist mental health services by mental health professionals within a mental health specialist organisation. The care objectives include assessment, diagnosis, treatment, care or rehabilitation of people with, or at risk of, a mental illness. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.35 | Palliative Care | Care in which the primary clinical purpose or treatment goal is optimisation of the quality of life of a patient with an active and advanced life-limiting illness. The patient will have complex physical, psychosocial and/or spiritual needs. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.36 | Geriatric Evaluation and Management (GEM) | Care in which the primary clinical purpose or treatment goal is improvement in the functioning of a patient with multi-dimensional needs associated with medical conditions related to ageing, such as tendency to fall, incontinence, reduced mobility and cognitive | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| | | impairment. The patient may also have complex psychosocial problems. | | |
| 40.37 | Psychogeriatric | Care in which the primary clinical purpose or treatment goal is improvement in the functional status, behaviour and/or quality of life for an older patient with significant psychiatric or behavioural disturbance, caused by mental illness, an age-related organic brain impairment or a physical condition. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.38 | Infectious Diseases | Treatment of diseases due to organisms ranging in size from viruses to parasitic worms; may be contagious in origin, result from nosocomial organisms, or be due to endogenous microflora from the nose and throat, skin, or bowel. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.39 | Neurology | Assessment, diagnosis, and management of disorders of the nervous system. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.40 | Respiratory | Assessment, investigation, treatment, and management of patients with diseases of the lung, pleural cavity, bronchial tubes, trachea, upper respiratory tract, and of the nerves and muscles of breathing. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.41 | Gastroenterology | Consultation, management, treatment, and education on all types of diseases of the stomach and intestine. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.42 | Circulatory | Management, assessment and treatment of cardiac (heart related) conditions, consultation pre- and post-surgical treatment of diseases affecting the thorax (chest) and consultation, management, investigation, review and assessment of patients with diseases of the vascular system (arteries and veins). | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.43 | Hepatobiliary | Treatment of diseases pertaining to the liver and biliary system including hepatic, biliary and pancreatic surgery, and the management of liver and bile duct trauma as required. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.44 | Orthopaedics | Consultation associated with surgery to preserve and restore the function of the skeletal system, its articulations, and associated structures. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.45 | Dermatology | Management, treatment, assessment, and diagnosis of patients suffering from skin conditions. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.46 | Endocrinology | Management, education, review, and treatment of all types of conditions affecting the organs and structures whose function is to | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| | | secrete into the blood or lymph a substance (hormone) that has a specific effect on another organ or part. | | |
| 40.47 | Nephrology | Assessment, treatment, review and management of renal diseases. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.48 | Haematology and Immunology | Assessment, diagnosis, planning, management, follow-up screening and testing of patients with diseases of the blood. Treatment of disorders affecting the structure and function of the immune system. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.49 | Gynaecology | Assessment, review, diagnosis, and treatment of problems/disorders affecting the female reproductive organs. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.50 | Urology | Consultation, diagnosis, treatment, and follow-up of patients suffering from diseases of the urinary tract and urogenital system and those who have had prostatectomy or other urological surgery. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.51 | Breast | Consultation, diagnosis and treatment of breast disease. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.52 | Oncology | Assessment, management and treatment of malignancy and neoplasm related conditions. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.53 | General Medicine | Assessment, management, diagnosis and or research of general medical conditions, where patients are not required to attend a specialist medical consultation clinic, or such clinics do not exist. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.54 | General Surgery | Consultation, assessment, diagnosis, review, and treatment of patients requiring general surgical procedures and those requiring post-surgical management. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.55 | Paediatrics | Management, review and treatment of all types of medical conditions affecting infants, children and adolescents. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.56 | Falls Prevention | Falls prevention clinics focus on the assessment and management of clients with falls and balance problems by providing services to clients with a high risk of falls and falls injuries and those who have presented to an emergency department or been admitted to hospital following a fall. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.57 | Cognition and Memory | Cognition and memory services provide early diagnosis, advice, therapeutic interventions, support and referral for people with cognitive difficulties causing confusion, memory loss or thinking problems. These services also provide support and advice to family and carers of those with cognitive difficulties. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|-----------|----------|
| 40.58 | Hospital Avoidance Programs | Comprehensive clinical assessment, risk screening and review of care generally targeted at people with chronic health and/or mental health conditions at risk of unplanned hospital presentations. | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.59 | Post-Acute Care | Post-acute care services support early hospital discharge for people whose recuperation can be safely completed in their own homes, as an alternative to an extended hospital stay. Post-acute care services ensure that people who no longer need acute care are able to safely return home by providing short term care and assistance | 2013-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.60 | Pulmonary Rehabilitation | Pulmonary rehabilitation includes comprehensive patient assessment followed by individually tailored interventions which aim to improve the physical capacity and quality of life of patients with a chronic respiratory disease. | 2014-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.63 | COVID-19 response | Assessment, investigation, treatment and management of patients with confirmed, probable or suspected coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) caused by severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2). | 2019-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.64 | Chronic pain management | The assessment, review and treatment of patients that suffer from chronic and persistent pain. | 2020-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.65 | Violence, abuse and neglect services | Assessment, crisis support, treatment, medical and forensic responses, safety planning, care coordination, review, management, court preparation and support, and psychoeducation of patients experiencing violence, abuse, and neglect | 2023-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.66 | Genetic counselling | The provision of genetic counselling to patients requiring advice and management of hereditary and genetic disorders. Genetic counselling is provided in a specialist clinic/unit led by a health practitioner who is not a physician or surgeon | 2023-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 40.67 | Long COVID | Multidisciplinary specialist clinic for the review, assessment, treatment, and management of post-acute sequelae of coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19), also referred to as 'Long COVID'. The primary clinical purpose or treatment goal is improvement in the health and functioning of a patient with an impairment, activity limitation or participation restriction due to Long COVID. | 2023-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| 40.68 | Supervised administration of opioid substitution therapy | Supervised administration of opioid substitution therapy (methadone, buprenorphine or other opioid agonist treatment) for the treatment of opioid dependence. | 2024-07-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

The Tier 2 Non-admitted Services Classification is based on the type and specialty of the healthcare professional providing the service and the nature of the non-admitted service. Refer to the Independent Hospital Pricing Authority (IHACPA) Tier 2 non-admitted Care Classification.

Tier 2 classes provide a consistent framework for counting non-admitted service events. They are based on an assessment of both the type and specialty of the healthcare professional providing the service, and the nature of the service provided. This has resulted in a number of classes that is sufficient to ensure clinical meaningfulness and exclusivity across the spectrum of non-admitted services.

The classes are also grouped into a number of categories that reflects the type of service provided and the healthcare professionals that typically provide the service. The classes are grouped into four categories, as follows:
- Procedures
- Medical consultation
- Diagnostic services
- Allied health or clinical nurse specialist intervention.

The following Multidisciplinary Case Conference Tier 2 codes are not used by the WA Health system:
- 20.56 Multidisciplinary Case Conference - patient not present
- 40.62 Multidisciplinary Case Conference - patient not present.

The following Telehealth Tier 2 codes are not used by the WA Health system:
- 20.55 Telehealth - patient location
- 40.61 Telehealth - patient location.

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/798267

# Clinic - Tier 2 Classification Code Opened Date

| Definition: | The date on which the Tier 2 clinic type opened or is updated for use. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Optional |
| Field name: | CLINIC_TIER2_CODE_DATE_OPENED |
| Data type: | Date |
| Format: | YYYY-MM-DD |

## Community - Client SLK

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The statistical link key identifier. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | COMM_CLIENT_SLK |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(100) |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the source system is Silver Chain, then this is mandatory otherwise leave blank.

## Community - Desired Place of Death

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The subsequent desired place of death nominated by the patient. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | COMM_DESIRED_PLACE_OF_DEATH_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | COMM_DESIRED_PLACE_OF_DEATH_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| HM | Home | The desired place of death is the patient's home. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HOS | Hospital | The desired place of death is the hospital. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HOSP | Hospice | The desired place of death is the hospice. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTHR | Other | The desired place of death does not appropriately fall within the definition of any of the other permitted values. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RCF | Residential Care Facility | The desired place of death is a residential care facility. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the patient has nominated the desired place of death and the source system is Silver Chain, then this is mandatory otherwise leave blank.

# Community - Desired Place of Death 1st Assessment

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The desired place of death nominated by the patient at their first assessment. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | COMM_1ST_ASST_DESIRED_POD_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | COMM_1ST_ASST_DESIRED_POD_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| HM | Home | The patient's desired place of death is the person's home. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HOS | Hospital | The patient's desired place of death is in the hospital. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HOSP | Hospice | The patient's desired place of death is in the hospice. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTHR | Other | The patient's desired place of death does not appropriately fall within the definition of any of the other permitted values. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RCF | Residential Care Facility | The patient's desired place of death is a residential care facility. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the patient has nominated the desired place of death and the source system is Silver Chain, then this is mandatory otherwise leave blank.

# Community - Duration

| Definition: | The duration of service, in minutes. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | COMM_DURATION |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N(10) |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the source system is Silver Chain, then this is mandatory otherwise leave blank.

## Community - Phase of Care

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The phase of palliative care. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | COMM_PHASE_OF_CARE_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | COMM_PHASE_OF_CARE_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ACT | Active | The palliative care is in the active phase. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| INACT | Inactive | The phase of palliative care is inactive. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the source system is Silver Chain and the person is receiving palliative care, then this is mandatory otherwise leave blank.

# Community - Place Of Care

| Definition: | The place where palliative care is provided. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | COMM_PLACE_OF_CARE_CODE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |
| Description field name: | COMM_PLACE_OF_CARE_DESC |
| Description data type: | String |
| Description format: | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| COMM | Community | The palliative care was provided in the community. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RACF | Residential Aged Care Facility | The palliative care was provided in a Residential Aged Care Facility. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the source system is Silver Chain and the person is receiving palliative care, then this is mandatory otherwise leave blank.

## Community - Place of Death

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The place of death. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | COMM_PLACE_OF_DEATH_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | COMM_PLACE_OF_DEATH_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| HM | Home | The place of death is at the patient's home. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HOS | Hospital | The place of death is at a hospital. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HOSP | Hospice | The place of death is at a hospice. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTHR | Other | The place of death does not appropriately fall within the definition of any of the other permitted values. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RCF | Residential Care Facility | The place of death is at a residential care facility. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the patient has died and the source system is Silver Chain, then this is mandatory otherwise leave blank.

# Community - Service

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The type of service provided. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | COMM_SERVICE_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | COMM_SERVICE_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| BC | Bereavement | Emotional, spiritual, or psychosocial support to help with grief, loss, and adjustment after a loved one's death. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CNU | Community Nursing | Nursing and personal care services provided in a patient's home by qualified nurses. Services include medication, wound care, hygiene, showering, and dressing. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HATH | Hospital at the Home | The service type is Hospital at the Home. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HC | Hospice Care | The service type is hospice care. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HNAV | Health Navigator | The service type is Health Navigator. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| O2 | Respiratory | Assessment, investigation, treatment, and management of patients with diseases of the lung, pleural cavity, bronchial tubes, trachea, upper respiratory tract, and of the nerves and muscles of breathing. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PA | Post Acute Care | The service type is post-acute care. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PAR | Palliative Respite | Short-term palliative care for the purpose giving regular carers a break from their caring duties. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PRA | Priority Response Assessment | The service type is priority response assessment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the source system is Silver Chain, then this is mandatory otherwise leave blank.

# Community - Service Received

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The type of healthcare provider who delivered the service. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | COMM_SERVICE_RECEIVED_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | COMM_SERVICE_RECEIVED_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| AHF | Allied Health face-to-face | The patient received a face-to-face service from an allied health professional. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| AHS | Allied Health Support | The patient received support from an allied health professional. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CA | Care Aide | The patient received a service from a care aide. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CDR | Coordinator | The patient received a service from a coordinator. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CM | Clinical Meetings | The patient received service from clinical meetings. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CNF | Counselling face-to-face | The patient received a face-to-face counselling service. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CNS | Counselling Support | The patient received a support counselling service. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CON | Coordinator-Nurse | The patient received a service from a nurse coordinator. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DE | Diabetes Educator | The patient received educational services to enable and improve self-management of diabetes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DR | Doctor | The patient received a service from a doctor. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HNAV | Health Navigator | The patient received a service from the Health Navigator program. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| IHN | In-Home Nursing | The patient received an in-home nursing service. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NCC | Nurse Client Coordination | The patient received a nurse and client coordination service. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NP | Nurse Practitioner | The patient received a nurse practitioner service. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NS | Nursing Support | The patient received a nursing support service. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OT | Occupational Therapist | Assessment, treatment, and implementation of occupational therapy procedures and equipment for patients suffering from various mental and physical conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PC | Personal Care | The patient received a personal care service. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RN | Registered Nurse | The patient received a service from a registered nurse. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| SOC | Social Worker | Generalised and specific counselling and education for patients experiencing a variety of conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the source system is Silver Chain, then this data element is mandatory otherwise leave blank.

## Community - Travel Time

| Definition: | The travel time, in minutes, associated with the appointment. The time taken by the healthcare provider to travel from the previous client's location to the current client's location. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | COMM_TRAVEL_TIME |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N(10) |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the source system is Silver Chain, then this data element is mandatory otherwise leave blank.

# Establishment

| Definition: | A unique identifier allocated to the establishment by the Department of Health. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Field name: | ESTABLISHMENT_CODE |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N(4) |
| Description field name: | ESTABLISHMENT_DESC |
| Description data type: | String |
| Description format: | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

Refer to the Department of Health's Establishment List.

## Guide for use

An establishment refers to an authorised or accredited physical location where patients can receive health care and stay overnight. This includes acute hospitals, residential aged care and nursing homes, rehabilitation and residential mental health facilities. For the purposes of reporting and other business requirements, virtual hospitals, same-day clinics, surgeries, nursing posts, detention centres or prisons may also be assigned an establishment code.

Establishment codes are assigned by the Department of Health and a list of valid establishments is provided in the Establishment Code List.

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| A patient arrives at the Royal Perth Hospital Outpatient Clinic. | 0101 |
| A patient arrives at the Morawa Hospital Outpatient Clinic | 0418 |

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/782094

## Establishment - Site

| Definition: | An identifier allocated to the individual site within an establishment. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Optional |
| Field name: | ESTABLISHMENT_SITE_CODE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |

# Patient With Cancer - Clinical Emergency Indicator

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | An indicator for whether the treatment required for the patient is clinically assessed as an emergency. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | CANCER_CLINICAL_EMERGENCY_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | CANCER_CLINICAL_EMERGENCY_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| N | No | The treating healthcare provider has assessed the waiting time for treatment can exceed 24 hours. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| U | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| Y | Yes | The treating healthcare provider has assessed the waiting time for treatment cannot exceed 24 hours. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the source system records this data element and the patient has a diagnosis, then a value is mandatory, otherwise leave blank.

# Patient With Cancer - Intention of Treatment

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The reason why treatment is provided to a patient. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | CANCER_TREATMENT_INTENTION_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | CANCER_TREATMENT_INTENTION_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| CUR | Curative | Treatment is given for control of the disease or the patient is receiving treatment for curative reasons. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTH | Other | The treatment intention does not appropriately fall within the definition of any of the other permitted values. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PAL | Palliative | Treatment is given primarily for pain control. Other benefits of the treatment are considered secondary contributions to quality of life. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PRO | Prophylactic | Treatment is given to prevent the occurrence or spread of disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the source system records this data element and the person has a diagnosis, then a value is mandatory, otherwise leave blank.

# Patient With Cancer - Primary Site of Cancer

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The site of origin of the tumour, as opposed to the secondary or metastatic sites. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | CANCER_PRIMARY_SITE_OF_CANCER |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |

## Permitted Values

ICD-10-AM codes.

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the source system records this data element and the patient has a diagnosis, then a value is mandatory, otherwise leave blank.

# Patient With Cancer - Radiotherapy Start Date

| Definition: | The date on which radiotherapy treatment started. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | CANCER_RADIOTHERAPY_START_DATE |
| Data type: | Date |
| Format: | YYYY-MM-DD |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the source system records this data element and the patient has a diagnosis, then a value is mandatory, otherwise leave blank.

# Patient With Cancer - Ready For Care

| Definition: | The ready for care status. May be mandatory for specific purposes. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | CANCER_READY_FOR_CARE_CODE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |
| Description field name: | CANCER_READY_FOR_CARE_DESC |
| Description data type: | String |
| Description format: | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| DEF | Deferred | The patient's treatment has been deferred. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTH | Other | The status of the patient's care does not appropriately fall within the definition of any of the other permitted values. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RFC | Ready for care | The patient is ready to receive treatment or is receiving treatment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| STG | Staged | The patient's treatment plan is being staged. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the source system records this data element and the patient has a diagnosis, then a value is mandatory, otherwise leave blank.

# Patient With Cancer - Ready For Care Date

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The date, in the opinion of the treating healthcare provider, on which a patient is ready to commence treatment. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | CANCER_READY_FOR_CARE_DATE |
| **Data type:** | Date |
| **Format:** | YYYY-MM-DD |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the source system records this data element and the patient has a diagnosis, then a value is mandatory, otherwise leave blank.

# Person - Aboriginal Status

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | Whether a person identifies as being of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander origin. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Indigenous Status (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | ABORIGINAL_STATUS_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | ABORIGINAL_STATUS_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Aboriginal but not Torres Strait Islander origin | The person is of Aboriginal descent and identifies as an Aboriginal. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 2 | Torres Strait Islander but not Aboriginal origin | The person is of Torres Strait Islander descent and identifies as a Torres Strait Islander. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 3 | Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin | The person is of both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander descent and identifies as an Aboriginal and a Torres Strait Islander. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 4 | Neither Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander origin | The person is neither of Aboriginal nor Torres Strait Islander descent. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 9 | Not stated/Inadequately described | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

There are three components to the Commonwealth definition of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander:

- descent
- self-identification
- community acceptance.

In practice, it is not feasible to collect information on community acceptance in general purpose data collections. Therefore, standard questions on Aboriginal status relate to descent and self identification only.

Within Western Australia, the term Aboriginal is used in preference to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander, in recognition that Aboriginal peoples are the original inhabitants of Western Australia. No disrespect is intended to our Torres Strait Islander colleagues and community.

# Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| A person who identifies as Aboriginal attends an Outpatient Clinic. | 1 (Aboriginal but not Torres Strait Islander origin) |
| A person who is a descendant of both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin and identifies as both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander attends an Outpatient Clinic. | 3 (Both Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander origin) |

# Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/602543

# Person - Australian State or Country of Birth

| Definition: | The Australian state or country in which the person was born. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Source data element(s): | Country of Birth (webPAS) |
| Field name: | COUNTRY_OR_STATE_OF_BIRTH_CODE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |
| Description field name: | COUNTRY_OR_STATE_OF_BIRTH_DESC |
| Description data type: | String |
| Description format: | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

Refer to the Australian State or Country of Birth Code List

## Guide for use

The code list for Australian State or Country of Birth is drawn from the Australian Bureau of Statistics' Standard Australian Classification of Countries 2016 (SACC), with additional codes to allow the collection of the Australian state of birth.

The collection of Australian State or Country of Birth is mandatory. Only where all this information is not available, should the code (0003) Not Stated be entered.

'Australia' should only be used when the Australian state of birth is not known for Australian-born patients.

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| If a person is born in Tokyo, the country of Birth code must be entered as: | 6201 |
| If a person is born in Western Australia, the country of birth code must be entered as: | 0905 |
| If a person born on Christmas Island, the country of Birth code must be entered as: | 1199 |

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/659454

# Person - Concession Card Type

| Definition: | Concession card allowing recipients to cheaper health services, medicines and other benefits. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | CONCESSION_CARD_TYPE_CODE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |
| Description field name: | CONCESSION_CARD_TYPE_DESC |
| Description data type: | String |
| Description format: | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| CCC | Current Concession | The person holds a valid concession card. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DVA | Department of Veterans Affairs | The person holds a valid Department of Veterans Affairs card. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HCC | Health Care Card | The person holds a valid health care card. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NDI | National Disability Insurance Scheme | The person holds a valid National Disability Insurance Scheme card. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PCC | Pension Concession Card | The person holds a valid pension concession card. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SAF | Safety Net Number | The person holds a valid safety net number. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SHC | Seniors Health Card | The person holds a valid seniors healthcare card. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** This data element should be provided if the patient presents with a Concession Card, otherwise leave blank. A patient may have more than one concession type, if so, string all codes into this data element.

# Person - Date of Birth

| Definition: | Date on which the patient was born. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Source data element(s): | Date of Birth (webPAS) |
| Field name: | DATE_OF_BIRTH |
| Data type: | Date |
| Format: | YYYY-MM-DD |

## Guide for use

Date of Birth is used to derive the age of he patient for use in demographic analysis. It also assists in the unique identification of patients if other identifing information is missing or in question and may be requiredfor the derivation of other metadata items.

It is important to be as accurate as possible when completing the birth date. It is recognised that some patients do not know the exact date of their birth. When the exact date of birth is unknown, please estimate the persons age and record the date of birth as appropriate. Collected or estimated age would be in years for adults, and to the nearest three months (or less) for children aged less than two years.

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/287007

# Person - Date of Death

| Definition: | Patient's date of death |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | DATE_OF_DEATH |
| Data type: | Date |
| Format: | [YYYY-MM-DD] |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the patient has died, this data element is mandatory otherwise leave blank.

Where Date of birth is collected, Date of death must be equal to or greater than Date of birth for the same patient.

# Person - Death Notification

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The code that identifies how the notification of a patient's death was received, if available. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Field name:** | DEATH_NOTIFICATION_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | [XXX] |
| **Description field name:** | DEATH_NOTIFICATION_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | [X(100)] |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| HOS | Hospital | The deceased notification is sourced from a hospital. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NOT | No Notification | There is no notification that the patient is deceased. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTH | Other | The source of the death notification does not appropriately fall within the definition of any of the other permitted values. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RAC | Residential Aged Care | The deceased notification is sourced from a residential aged care facility. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| REL | Relative | The deceased notification is sourced from a relative. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RGO | Death Register | The deceased notification is sourced from the death register at Department of Births Deaths and Marriages. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the patient has died, then this data element is mandatory, otherwise leave blank.

# Person - Department of Veterans' Affairs File Number

| Definition: | The Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA) file number. This is required to identify those patients entitled to DVA funding for their medical care at the point of service. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | DVA_FILE_NUMBER |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | [X(12)] |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the patient presents with a DVA Card, then this data element is mandatory.

It only applies to treatments that are not listed on the Medicare Benefits Schedule and those occasionally nominated in writing by the DVA such as cosmetic surgery or in vitro fertilisation.

The DVA File Number is the number located below the person's name on the Repatriation Health Card that is issued by the DVA to eligible Veterans' beneficiaries.

There must be no spaces between the alpha and numeric values. The alpha characters in the first position refer to the Australian States' initials. Therefore, the only valid characters in the first position of this field are N, Q, S, T, V and W. Veterans' from the ACT and the Northern Territory have the initials N and S respectively.

Patients who choose to give up their entitlement for treatment under the *Veterans' Entitlements Act 1986 (Cth)* must have their card colour and DVA File Number recorded, regardless of the type of Funding Source indicated.

# Person - Department of Veterans' Affairs Card Colour

| Definition: | The Department of Veterans' Affairs (DVA) card colour indicates the level of entitlement to additional health cover. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | DVA_CARD_COLOUR_CODE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | [XXX] |
| Description field name: | DVA_CARD_COLOUR_DESC |
| Description data type: | String |
| Description format: | [X(100)] |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| GOL | Gold | The person holds a gold Department of Veterans' Affairs card. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ORN | Orange | The person holds an orange Department of Veterans' Affairs card. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| WHT | White | The person holds a white Department of Veterans' Affairs card. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the patient presents with a DVA Card, then this data element is mandatory.

The DVA card colour must be recorded for those patients whose treatment is being funded by the DVA.

For all DVA patients, a DVA authorisation number and date must be obtained from the DVA for treatments that are not listed on the Medicare Benefits Schedule as well as those treatments occasionally nominated in writing by the DVA (such as cosmetic surgery or in vitro fertilisation).

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| A patient who is a veteran arrives at the Outpatient Clinic. The level of cover the patient is entitled to as shown on his DVA card is Gold. | GOL (Gold) |
| A patient who is a veteran arrives at the Outpatient Clinic. The level of cover the patient is entitled to as shown on his DVA card is White. | WHT (White) |

# Person - Family Name

| Definition: | The part of a name a person usually has in common with other members of their family, as distinguished from their given names. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Source data element(s): | Surname (webPAS) |
| Field name: | FAMILY_NAME |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X[X(49)] |

## Guide for use

Alias or assumed names should not be included if the legal Family Name is known.

Do not use brackets ( ) for alias names in the Family Name.

Where hospitals have the facility to record an alias, this field must be used for alias names.

Where the Family Name is unknown or there is no Family Name, the name the person is identified by should be recorded in the Family Name field and the First Given Name field recorded as '.' (full stop).

Numeric values are not permitted.

To minimise discrepancies in the recording and reporting of name information, establishments should ask the person for their ''First Given Name' and 'Family name'. These may be different from the name that the person may prefer the establishment to use.

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| A patient arrives at the Albany Hospital Outpatient Clinic and his name is John Smith. | SMITH |
| A patient is identified by a first given name of Anastasia and has no Surname. | ANASTASIA |

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/613331

# Person - First Given Name

| Definition: | The first given name of the patient. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Source data element(s): | First Given Name (webPAS) |
| Field name: | FIRST_GIVEN_NAME |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X[X(49)] |

## Guide for use

First Given Name is mandatory, except where the person is only identified by a single name.

Some people only have one name by which they are known. Record this name in the Surname field and enter a full stop in the First Given name field.

When the First Given Name of a baby aged less than 29 days is unknown, 'Baby' is valid.

Babies of multiple births should be reported in the sequence of their birth (i.e. Baby One of Jane, Baby Two of Jane, etc).

If the First Given Name of a person over 28 days old is unknown, 'Unknown' is valid.

Alias names should be recorded in the Alias field in the hospital's Central Patient Index (CPI) or Patient Master Index (PMI). The use of brackets () for alias names is not accepted.

## Examples

| | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| A baby aged less than 29 days and their first given name is not known. | Baby |
| Multiple births babies aged less than 29 days and their first given names are not known. | Baby One of Jane<br>Baby Two of Jane |
| A person over 28 days old is unknown in the first given name | Unknown |
| A person is identified by only one name (Anastasia) and has no Surname. They must have Anastasia recorded in their Family Name. | . |

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/453734

# Person - Gender

| Definition: | Gender is about social and cultural differences in identity, expression, and experience as a man, woman, or non-binary person. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Source data element(s): | Gender (webPAS) |
| Field name: | GENDER_CODE |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N |
| Description field name: | GENDER_DESC |
| Description data type: | String |
| Description format: | X[X(99)] |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Man, or boy, or male | A person who describes their gender as man, or boy, or male. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 2 | Woman, or girl, or female | A person who describes their gender as woman, or girl, or female. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 3 | Non-binary | A person who describes their gender as non-binary. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 4 | Different term | A person who describes their gender as a term other than man/boy/male, woman/girl/female or non-binary. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 5 | Prefer not to answer | A person who prefers not to respond on how they describe their gender. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| 9 | Not stated/inadequately described | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

The collection of Gender is mandatory to support national reporting.

Gender includes the following concepts:

- Gender identity is about who a person feels themselves to be.

- Gender expression is the way a person expresses their gender. A person's gender expression may vary depending on the context, for instance, expressing different genders at work and at home.

- Gender experience describes a person's alignment with the sex recorded for them at birth i.e. a cis experience or a trans experience.

Gender is often used interchangeably with sex, however they are distinct concepts and it is important to differentiate between them.

When comparing the concepts of sex and gender:

- Sex is understood in relation to sex characteristics.

- Gender is about social and cultural differences in identity, expression and experience.

While they are related concepts, caution should be exercised when comparing counts for

gender with those for sex.

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| A patient presents to an Outpatient appointment and discloses their gender is male. | 1 (Male) |
| A patient attends an Outpatient appointment and advises their sex recorded at birth is male but they currently identify as a female. | 2 (Female) |
| A patient attends an Outpatient appointment and discloses that their gender is non-binary. | 3 (Non-binary) |
| A patient attends an Outpatient appointment discloses that their current gender is 'Sistergirl'. | 4 (Different term) |
| A patient attends an Outpatient appointment and does not wish to disclose their gender. | 5 (Prefer not to answer) |
| A patient attends an Outpatient appointment and was unable to provide this detail accurately. Please note this is only to be used for initial registrations and is required to be updated prior to appointment being processed. | 9 (Not stated/inadequately described) |

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/741842

# Person - Identifier

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | A logical combination of valid alphanumeric characters that identifies a person and is unique within an establishment or agency. The same unique identifier is used for all events within that establishment. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | U/R (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | PERSON_LOCAL_IDENTIFIER |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |

## Guide for use

Alternate names for Unit Medical Record Number (UMRN) include Unique Medical Record Number, Patient Primary Identifier or Client Identifier.

For confidentiality purposes, WA does not report this data item nationally.

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/799014

# Person - Identifier 2

| Definition: | A second unique identifier that is assigned to a person by an establishment or agency. The same unique identifier is used for all events within that establishment. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | PERSON_LOCAL_IDENTIFIER_2 |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |

## Guide for use

For confidentiality purposes, WA does not report this data item nationally.

# Person - Interpreter Required

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | An indicator for whether an interpreter service is required by or for the patient. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Interpreter Required |
| **Field name:** | INTERPRETER_REQUIRED_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X |
| **Description field name:** | INTERPRETER_REQUIRED_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X[X(99)] |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| N | Interpreter not required | Family or friends are interpreting for the patient or no formal interpreting services required. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| U | Unknown/not stated | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| Y | Interpreter required | An official paid interpreter is used to assist the patient to communicate, or an official paid interpreter is used to assist the patient's family or friends to communicate on the patient's behalf (i.e. small children whose relatives are not fluent in English). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

The use of an interpreter service may be necessary for any language used by the patient for communication, including non-verbal languages.

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| A patient presents to the Outpatient Clinic and does not speak English. | Y (Interpreter required) |
| A patient presents to the Outpatient Clinic whose primary language is not English but is able to speak English. | N (Interpreter not required) |

# Person - Marital Status

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | A person's current relationship status in terms of a couple relationship or, for those not in a couple relationship, the existence of a current or previous registered marriage. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Marital Status (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | MARITAL_STATUS_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | XXX |
| **Description field name:** | MARITAL_STATUS_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X[X(99)] |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| DEF | De Facto | The person is in a De Facto relationship. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DIV | Divorced | The person is divorced. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MAR | Married | The person is married. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NMA | Never Married | The person has never been married. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SEP | Separated | The person is separated. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| WID | Widowed | The person's marriage partner is deceased, and the person has not re-married. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

Marital status is mandatory.

Marital status is a core variable used in a wide range of social statistics. Its main purpose is to establish the living arrangements of individuals in general and is used to gauge the need for care of patients who live alone. This field must reflect the current marital status of the patient.

Where a patient's marital status has not been specified and the patient is a minor (16 years of age or less), assign "Never Married" as a default.

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| A 17-year-old pregnant patient in a de facto relationship is seen in an Outpatient Clinic. | DEF (De Facto) |
| A 5-year-old child presents to the Outpatient Clinic. | NMA (Never Married) |

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/766507

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| A 17-year-old pregnant patient in a de facto relationship is seen in an Outpatient Clinic. | DEF (De Facto) |

# Person - Medicare Card Number

| Definition: | The identifying number that appears on a Medicare card. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Source data element(s): | Medicare Number (webPAS) |
| Field name: | MEDICARE_CARD_NUMBER |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | X(13) |

## Guide for use

**Condition:** If the person has a Medicare card issued by Services Australia this must be reported.

Full Medicare Card details are used to define eligibility for specific services and not as a patient identifier.

As persons can be listed on more than one Medicare Card, the full Medicare number is not a unique identifier and must not be used for this purpose.

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| Child X appears on two different Medicare Cards held in the names of both their mother and father who are living apart. Each Medicare Card has a separate Medicare Card Number and thus, the child will have two valid Medicare Numbers.<br>The card presented by the parent attending with the child is recorded for that attendance. NB: For this reason, it is good practice to request the physical sighting of the Medicare Card at each attendance.<br>Medicare Number = 6 0 1 3 1 2 3 4 5 6<br>Medicare Person Number = 2 | 60131234562 |

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/270101

## Person - Phone Number 1

| Definition: | The patient's first contact telephone number at the time of the scheduled appointment. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Optional |
| Field name: | PHONE_NUMBER_1 |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | [X(20)] |

# Person - Phone Number 2

| Definition: | The patient's second contact telephone number at the time of the scheduled appointment. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Optional |
| Field name: | PHONE_NUMBER_2 |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | [X(20)] |

## Person - Postal Address 1

| Definition: | The first line of the patient's postal address for mailing purposes. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Optional |
| Field name: | POSTAL_ADDRESS_1 |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | [X(70)] |

## Person - Postal Address 2

| Definition: | The second line of the patient's postal address (if required) for mailing purposes. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Optional |
| Field name: | POSTAL_ADDRESS_2 |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | [X(70)] |

# Person - Postal Postcode

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The Australian numeric descriptor for a mailing address. |
| **Requirement status:** | Optional |
| **Field name:** | POSTAL_POSTCODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | [XXXX] |

## Permitted Values

See the Australia Post website for current listings.

# Person - Postal State or Territory

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The state or territory of the person's postal address. |
| **Requirement status:** | Optional |
| **Field name:** | POSTAL_STATE_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | [XXX] |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ACT | Australian Capital Territory | The person's postal address is in the Australian Capital Territory | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSW | New South Wales | The person's postal address is in New South Wales | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NT | Northern Territory | The person's postal address is in the Northern Territory | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTH | Other Territories | The person's postal address is in a Territory not listed | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| QLD | Queensland | The person's postal address is in Queensland | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SA | South Australia | The person's postal address is in South Australia | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| TAS | Tasmania | The person's postal address is in Tasmania | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| VIC | Victoria | The person's postal address is in Victoria | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| WA | Western Australia | The person's postal address is in Western Australia | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Person - Postal Suburb

| Definition: | The name of the locality/suburb of the person's postal address. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Optional |
| Field name: | POSTAL_SUBURB |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | [X(50)] |

## Guide for use

If the patient has not nominated a postal address which is different to their residential address, this field will be null.

# Person - Residency Status

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The person's residency arrangement within Australia. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Resident (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | RESIDENTIAL_STATUS_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | XXX |
| **Description field name:** | RESIDENTIAL_STATUS_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X[X(99)] |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ASY | Asylum Visa | A person who is in Australia under an approved Asylum visa. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| BUS | Business Visa | A person who is in Australia under an approved business visa. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DET | Detainee | A person who is in Australia without a valid visa (unlawful non-citizen) or detained by warrant or court order/s (prisoner). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| EME | Emergency Visa | A person who is in Australia under an approved emergency visa. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| EMR | Emergency Rescue Visa | A person who is in Australia under an approved emergency rescue visa. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HUM | Humanitarian | A person who is in Australia under an approved humanitarian visa. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MED | Medical Treatment | A person who is in Australia under an approved medical treatment visa. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OMV | Overseas Motor Vehicle Insurance Trust | A person from overseas who is receiving care due to a claim under the Motor Vehicle Insurance Trust. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTE | Overseas Foreign Defence | A person from overseas working in Foreign Defence who is funded under a reciprocal healthcare agreement. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OVE | Overseas Visitor | A person who is temporarily visiting Australia and not undertaking more than three months study or any form of remunerated work. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OVS | Overseas Shipping | A person from overseas working in Australian waters who is funded under a reciprocal healthcare agreement. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| OWC | Overseas Worker Compensable | A person in Australia from overseas who is working and is not covered by Medicare. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PRO | Temporary Protection | A person in Australia under temporary protection. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| REC | Reciprocal Overseas | A person from a country with which Australia has a Reciprocal Health Care Agreement. Refer to Services Australia's Reciprocal Health Care Agreements for more information. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| REF | Refugee Visa | A person in Australia on an approved refugee visa. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RES | Resident | A person who lives in Australia and is a permanent residence visa holder or a protected Special Category visa (SCV) holder or an Australian citizen. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RET | Retirement Visa | A person in Australia on an approved retiree visa. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SAC | Special Activities | A person who is in Australia under an approved special activity. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| STU | Student Visa | A person in Australia on an approved student visa. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| TEM | Temporary Resident | A person on a temporary resident visa. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| TOU | Tourist Visa | A person in Australia on a tourist visa. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| WHO | Working Holiday Visa | A person in Australia on an approved working holiday visa. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| WOR | Working Visa | A person in Australia on an approved working visa. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

# Person - Residential Address 1

| Definition: | The first line of the person's residential street address at the time of the scheduled appointment. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Source data element(s): | Address (webPAS) |
| Field name: | RESIDENTIAL_ADDRESS_1 |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X[X(69)] |

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| A patient refuses to provide an address. | UNKNOWN |
| A patient stays at the Richardson Aged Care facility. The aged care address must be recorded. | 32 Richardson Street |
| A homeless patient with no fixed permanent address presented to the Outpatient Clinic. | NFPA |

# Person - Residential Address 2

| Definition: | The second line of the person's residential street address (if required) at the time of the scheduled appointment. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Optional |
| Field name: | RESIDENTIAL_ADDRESS_2 |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | [X(70)] |

# Person - Residential Postcode

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The Australian numeric descriptor for a postal delivery area for an address. The postcode relates to the patient's area of usual residence. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Post Code (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | POSTCODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | XXXX |

## Guide for use

A postcode list is maintained with entries that are valid on the current list of postcodes from Australia Post. See the [Australia Post website](Australia Post website) for current listings.

Where the address is unknown or there is no fixed permanent address, the following postcodes must be used depending on the person's State/Territory of residence:

| Postcode | Suburb | State/Territory Code | State/Territory Description |
|---|---|---|---|
| 0899 | Unknown | 7 | Northern Territory |
| 2999 | Unknown | 1 | New South Wales |
| 2999 | Unknown | 8 | ACT |
| 3999 | Unknown | 2 | Victoria |
| 4999 | Unknown | 3 | Queensland |
| 5999 | Unknown | 4 | South Australia |
| 6999 | Unknown | 5 | WA |
| 7999 | Unknown | 6 | Tasmania |
| 9999 | Unknown | 0 | Not Applicable |

When the patient has no fixed permanent address (NFPA) (e.g. homeless) but the State or Territory they live in is known, the Residential Address field will be recorded as 'NFPA' and the Suburb and Postcode will be recorded as per the above table.

When both the address and State or Territory are unknown, the postcode will be recorded as '9999'.

Interstate visitors will have the postcode of their usual place of residence recorded.

Overseas visitors will have their Country in the Suburb field and a postcode of '8888'.

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| A WA person's residential address in Willetton. | 6155 |
| An overseas person residential address in England. | 8888 |
| A person who lives in the Indian Ocean Territories e.g. Abrolhos Islands whose residential address is unknown. | 6999 |

# Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/611398

# Person - Residential State or Territory

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The state or territory of usual residence of a person. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Field name:** | STATE_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | XXX |
| **Description field name:** | STATE_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X[X(99)] |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ACT | Australian Capital Territory | The person's residential address is in the Australian Capital Territory. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSW | New South Wales | The person's residential address is in New South Wales. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NT | Northern Territory | The person's residential address is in the Northern Territory. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTH | Other Territories | The person's residential address is in another territory of Australia. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| QLD | Queensland | The person's residential address is in Queensland. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SA | South Australia | The person's residential address is in South Australia. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| TAS | Tasmania | The person's residential address is in Tasmania. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| VIC | Victoria | The person's residential address is in Victoria. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| WA | Western Australia | The person's residential address is in Western Australia. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

The order of permitted values is the standard for the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS).

# Person - Residential Suburb

| Definition: | The name of the locality/suburb of the address. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Source data element(s): | Suburb (webPAS) |
| Field name: | SUBURB |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X[X(49)] |

## Guide for use

The suburb/town/locality name may be a town, city, suburb or commonly used location name such as a large agricultural property or Aboriginal community.

This metadata item may be used to describe the location of an organisation or person. It can be a component of a street or postal address.

If used for mailing purposes, the format of this data element should be upper case. Refer to Australia Post Address Presentation Standard. Any forced abbreviations shall be done by truncation from the right.

This data element is one of a number of items that can be used to create a primary address, as recommended by the AS 4590-2006 Interchange of client information standard. Components of the primary address are:

- Address site (or Primary complex) name
- Address number or number range
- Road name (name/type/suffix)
- Locality
- State/Territory
- Postcode (optional)
- Country (if applicable).

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| A patient's address is 188 Fourth Avenue, Mount Lawley, WA 6050. | MOUNT LAWLEY |
| A homeless patient with no fixed address presented to an Outpatient Clinic | NFPA |
| An overseas patient residential address in Singapore. | SINGAPORE |

# Person - Second Given Name

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The second given name of an individual. |
| **Requirement status:** | Conditional |
| **Source data element(s):** | Second Given Name (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | SECOND_GIVEN_NAME |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | [X(50)] |

## Guide for use

**Condition**: If the patient has a middle name then this data element is mandatory, otherwise leave blank.

When a patient advises they are also known as, this is to be recorded as an alias.

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| Than Phoon, who is also known as Tony, presented to an Outpatient Clinic. | First given name: THAN<br>Second Given name: [Blank] |
| Edwin James Roberts presented to an Outpatient Clinic. | First given name: EDWIN<br>Second Given name: JAMES |
| Christine Jones presented to Outpatient Clinic. | First given name: CHRISTINE<br>Second Given name: [Blank] |

# Person - Sex at Birth

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | Sex of the person recorded at birth based upon their sex characteristics (such as chromosomes, hormones, and reproductive organs). |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Field name:** | SEX_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | SEX_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| F | Female | A person whose sex at birth or infancy was recorded as female, or who reported their sex as female at the time of collection. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| M | Male | A person whose sex at birth or infancy was recorded as male, or who reported their sex as male at the time of collection. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| X | Another term | A person whose sex at birth or infancy was recorded as another term (not male or female), or who reported their sex as another term (not male or female) at the time of collection. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

Sex is often used interchangeably with gender, however they are distinct concepts and it is important to differentiate between them.

When comparing the concepts of sex and gender:

- Sex is understood in relation to sex characteristics.

- Gender is about social and cultural differences in identity, expression and experience.

While they are related concepts, caution should be exercised when comparing counts for sex with those for gender.

Sex is important clinical information and must be collected for all patients. Current practice is to collect sex at the time of presentation to health service. To ensure accuracy and consistency of data collection, gender diverse patients must still report their sex. Until an additional gender field becomes available, health service providers may give consideration to their own local processes to recognise a patient's gender where it may not correlate with their recorded sex.

The use of Code 3 "Another term" replaces "Other" and "Intersex or indeterminate" in previous versions of this code list. This option recognises that there are a range of different terms used.

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| A patient presented to an Outpatient appointment and disclosed their sex recorded at birth is male. | M (Male) |
| A patient presented to an Outpatient appointment and disclosed that their sex recorded at birth is male but they currently identify as a female. | M (Male) |
| A patient presented to an Outpatient appointment and disclosed that their sex recorded at birth is another term. | X (Another term) |
| A patient presented to an Outpatient appointment and did not disclose their sex or inadequately described their sex. | N (Not specified) |

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/741686

# Record - Type

| Definition: | The type of record. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | RECORD_TYPE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | XXX |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| APP | Appointment | This record is an appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CAN | Cancellation | This record is a cancellation. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| REF | Referral | This record is a referral. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RES | Reschedule | This record is a reschedule. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

The Record Type is used during the load process. If the source system provides this field then this is mandatory.

# Referral - Account Number

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | A unique identifier for the referral. This number would be against each appointment record for the same episode of care or referral events. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Field name:** | REFERRAL_ACCOUNT_NUMBER |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |

## Guide for use

The referral account number is unique for each referral registered to a Patient Administration System (PAS). When appointments are made they must be linked to a registered referral. Each referral can be attached to multiple appointments and hence attached to multiple appointment account numbers

# Referral - Account Number 2

| Definition: | A second unique account number given to the referral by the source system. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Optional |
| Field name: | REFERRAL_ACCOUNT_NUMBER_2 |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |

# Referral - Category

| Definition: | The specialty the client has been referred to for health care. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Source data element(s): | Department Code (webPAS) |
| Field name: | REFERRAL_CATEGORY_CODE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |
| Description field name: | REFERRAL_CATEGORY_DESC |
| Description data type: | String |
| Description format: | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ABH | Aboriginal Health | Provision of culturally appropriate and secure health services to the Aboriginal community. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ACA | Aged Care Assessment | A team of professionals who assess the needs of older Australians to determine their eligibility for government-funded aged care service. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ADO | Adolescent Medicine | A medical subspecialty that focuses on care of patients who are in the adolescent period of development. This period begins at puberty and lasts until adulthood. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ALI | Allied Health | Provision of services to support a patient's medical care across many fields, usually in conjunction with other healthcare providers. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| AMA | Acute Medical Assessment | Investigation and planning of services for people following an emergency admission. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| AMP | Amputee | Assessment and supply of essential consumable items to support people with amputations. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ANA | Anaesthetics | The review of patients scheduled to undergo or who have undergone general anaesthesia, a state of drug-induced non-responsiveness characterised by absence of response to any stimulus, loss of protective airway reflexes, and depression of respiration and disturbance of circulatory reflexes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ANT | Antenatal | Management and assessment for people who are pregnant or require post-delivery care. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| APY | Adult Psychology | Treatment for adults with disorders or conditions that affect human behaviour, memory, learning, human development, and the processes | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | | determining how people think, feel, behave, and react. | | |
| AUD | Audiology | Assessment and management of hearing, balance and related disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| BRE | Breast Service | Diagnostic and surgical services provided to people experiencing breast problems. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| BUR | Burns | Treatment and rehabilitation of burns patients. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CAR | Cardiology | Management, assessment, and treatment of heart related conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CHI | Child Psychiatry | Assessment, diagnosis, management, and treatment of children with mental, behavioural, and conduct disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CHP | Child Protection Medicine | Medical, forensic, social work, and therapeutic services for children and their families when there is a concern that a child has or may have suffered from child abuse. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CMB | Cardiometabolic | Services aimed at the prevention of conditions including heart attacks, strokes, diabetes, insulin resistance, and non-alcoholic fatty liver disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CMN | Community nursing | Nursing and personal care services provided in a patient's home by qualified nurses. Services include medication, wound care, hygiene, showering, and dressing. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COL | Colorectal Surgery | Management and treatment of disorders of the rectum, anus, and colon. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COM | Communicable Disease | Management and treatment of infectious diseases. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CON | Continence Enuresis | Management of urinary incontinence. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COT | Continence | Management of bowel and urinary continence. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CPY | Child Psychology | Treatment for children with disorders or conditions that affect human behaviour, memory, learning, human development, and the processes determining how people think, feel, behave, and react. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CRE | Cardiac Rehabilitation | Support, exercise, and education services aimed at strengthening the heart for people recovering after a heart event, procedure, or diagnosis of a heart condition. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CTE | Cardiology Technical Service | Monitoring of long-term patients with heart conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CTS | Cardiothoracic Surgery | Treatment and management of cardiac, aortic, and lung conditions excluding transplantation. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DAA | Drug And Alcohol | Diagnosis, treatment and management of people who overuse and or are dependent on substances that are harmful to the body. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DAE | Diabetic Education | In-person and online educational services to enable and improve self-management of diabetes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DEN | Dental | Provision of oral health services. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| DER | Dermatology | Management, treatment, assessment, and diagnosis of patients suffering from skin conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DIA | Diabetes | Treatment and education for individuals, and their carers, with diabetes and other endocrine disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DIE | Dietetics | Provision of advice and nutrition guidelines in relation to therapeutic diets for people including guidance on individual dietary requirements. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DIS | Dialysis | Provision of haemodialysis and peritoneal dialysis services to people with acute and chronic kidney disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| EME | Emergency Medicine | Urgent hospital-based medical care for an illness or injury which may be life threatening and require immediate attention. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| END | Endocrinology | Management, education, review, and treatment of all types of conditions affecting the organs and structures whose function is to secrete into the blood or lymph a substance (hormone) that has a specific effect on another organ or part. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ENT | Ear, Nose, Throat | Consultation, diagnosis, planning investigation, and treatment for people with ear, nose, and/or throat conditions pre- and/or post-surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| FRM | Forensic Medicine | Coronial post-mortem services for WA under the direction of the State Coroner | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GAS | Gastroenterology | Consultation, management, treatment, and education on all types of diseases of the stomach and intestine. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GDS | Gender Diversity Service | Assessment and care of people experiencing gender diversity issues. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GEN | Genetics | Diagnosis, management, and treatment of hereditary and/or genetic disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GER | Gerontology | Assessment, management and treatment of older people with complex health care needs, often with more than one condition. Generally targeted at those over 65 (45 for Indigenous patients). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GES | General Surgery | Consultation, assessment, diagnosis, review, and treatment of patients requiring general surgical procedures and those requiring post-surgical management. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GHP | General Health Psychology | Promoting health, restoring emotional well-being, and avoiding the worsening of symptoms for the prevention of mental illness. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GNU | General Nursing | Nursing and personal care services provided by qualified nurses. Services include medication, wound care, hygiene, showering, and dressing. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GPM | General Medicine | Assessment, management, diagnosis, and/or research of general medical conditions, where people are not required to attend a specialist medical | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| | | consultation clinic, or such clinics do not exist. | | |
| GYN | Gynaecology | Assessment, review, diagnosis, and treatment of problems/disorders affecting the female reproductive organs. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HAE | Haematology | Assessment, diagnosis, planning, management, follow-up screening, and testing of patients with diseases of the blood. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HAN | Hand Surgery | Surgical and non-surgical treatment of conditions and problems that may take place in the hand or upper extremity including injury and infection. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HEP | Hepatobiliary | Treatment of diseases pertaining to the liver and biliary system including hepatic, biliary and pancreatic surgery, and the management of liver and bile duct trauma as required. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HIT | Hospital In The Home | Provision of acute inpatient care to people in their own home. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HLK | Home Link | Provision of acute nursing care at home or in a dedicated clinic to support early discharge from hospital. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| HYP | Hyperbaric Medicine | The delivery of 100 per cent oxygen at pressures greater than atmospheric (sea level) pressure to a patient in an enclosed chamber. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ICS | Integrated Cancer Service | Oncology, heamatology, and support services for people with cancer. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| IMM | Immunology | Treatment of disorders affecting the structure and function of the immune system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| INF | Infectious Medicine | Treatment of diseases due to organisms ranging in size from viruses to parasitic worms. These may be contagious in origin, result from nosocomial organisms, or be due to endogenous microflora from the nose and throat, skin, or bowel. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| LIV | Liver Service | Workup and transplantation of people with acute and chronic liver disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| LYM | Lymphoedema Service | Diagnosis, treatment, and management of accumulation of excess fluid in the body due to damage to the lymphatic system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MET | Metabolic Medicine | Treatment and management of people whose body cannot properly turn food into energy. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MFC | Multidisciplinary Foot Ulcer | Specialty clinic for the management of complex foot wounds. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MMH | Midland Mental Health | A specialist mental health service in Midland, Western Australia for older persons. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MPG | Midland Psychiatric Geriatric | The study of prevention, and treatment of neurodegenerative, cognitive impairment, and mental disorders in people of old age. Used by a specialist mental health service located in Midland, Western Australia. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MTO | Major Trauma Outcome | Management of health issues relating to the experience of major trauma. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| NEO | Neonatology | Care for infants who are born preterm and babies requiring specialist treatment in their first months of life. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NES | Neurosurgery | Preoperative and postoperative consultation, treatment, diagnosis, and rehabilitation of disorders that affect any portion of the nervous system including the brain, spinal column, spinal cord, peripheral nerves, and extra-cranial cerebrovascular system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NEU | Neurology | Assessment, diagnosis, and management of disorders of the nervous system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NGE | Neurogenetic | Testing and investigation of neurological and neuromuscular phenotypes. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NIS | Neurological Intervention | Endovascular treatment for intracranial (brain) aneurysms and neuraxial (brain and spinal) vascular malformations. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NTE | Neurology Technical Service | Monitoring and diagnosis of long-term and new patients with disorders of the nervous system. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NUC | Nuclear Medicine | The safe use of radioactive materials for diagnosis and treatment of various diseases. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OBS | Obstetrics | Assessment and management of people during pregnancies and post-birth. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OCC | Occupational Therapy | Assessment, treatment, and implementation of occupational therapy procedures and equipment for patients suffering from various mental and physical conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ONC | Oncology | Assessment, management and treatment of malignancy and neoplasm-related conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OPH | Ophthalmology | Consultation, assessment, review, treatment, and management of conditions relating to eye disorders and vision, and services associated with surgery to the eye. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OPT | Optometry | Measurement of visual refractive power and the correction of visual defects with lenses or glasses. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ORA | Oral Surgery | Diagnosis and treatment of facial trauma and diseases affecting the mouth, jaws, face and neck. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ORP | Orthoptics | Diagnosis and management of disorders of eye movements and associated vision problems; performance of investigative procedures appropriate to disorders of the eye and visual system; and rehabilitation of patients with vision loss. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ORT | Orthopaedics | Consultation associated with surgery to preserve and restore the function of the skeletal system, its articulations, and associated structures. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTC | Orthotics | The fitting of orthotic devices which apply external forces to the body for | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| | | the purpose of support and alignment, reducing pain, or enhancing mobility. | | |
| OTT | Orthopaedic Trauma | Treatment and management of severe deformities of bones or muscles. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PAE | Paediatric Medicine | Management, review and treatment of all types of medical conditions affecting infants, children and adolescents. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PAI | Pain Management | The review of patients that suffer from chronic and persistent pain. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PAL | Palliative Medicine | Optimisation of the quality of life of a patient with an active and advanced life-limiting illness. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PAS | Paediatric Surgery | Management, review and treatment of all types of surgery on infants, children and adolescents. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PHA | Pharmacy | Review and advice on medicine usage. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PHY | Physiotherapy | Assessment and treatment of people (with all types of medical conditions) requiring physiotherapy, such as musculoskeletal disorders, fractures and, orthopaedic conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PIC | Peripherally Inserted Central Catheter Services | A service dedicated to the insertion of a long narrow tube into a large vein to give medication directly into the blood stream. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PLA | Plastic Surgery | Plastic surgical services including skin cancer surgery, hand surgery, breast surgery, and head and neck surgery. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| POD | Podiatry | Diagnosis and treatment of specific foot and lower limb conditions, including the management and treatment of people with general and specific podiatry conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PRE | Pre-Admission and Pre-Anaesthetic | The screening and assessment of a patient to ensure fitness prior to undergoing surgery or a procedure to identify patient risk factors. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PSG | Psychogeriatrics | Improving the health, function, behaviour, and quality of life of people with age-related organic brain impairment and significant associated behavioural or psychiatric disturbance. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PSY | Psychiatry Adult | Assessment, diagnosis, management, and treatment of adults with mental, behavioural, and conduct disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PUP | Pulmonary Physiology | Investigation and management of sleep-related disorders including snoring, sleep apnea, sleep hypoventilation, chronic or recurrent respiratory failure, narcolepsy, and related conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PYO | Psychiatry Youth | Assessment, diagnosis, management, and treatment of persons aged between 12-24 years with mental, behavioural, and conduct disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RAD | Radiology | Use of imaging such as x-rays, ultrasound, MRI and CT scans to diagnose and treat diseases. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RAO | Radiation Oncology | Consultation and maintenance of patients who may need to be or have been treated using x rays, radioactive | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| | | substances, and other forms of radiant energy to lyse or destroy tumour cells and correct other abnormalities | | |
| REH | Rehabilitation Medicine | Improving a person's functional status, independence, and quality of life where they have impairment or a functional limitation. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| REM | Renal Medicine | Diagnosis, treatment, care, and support for people with acute and chronic kidney disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RES | Respiratory Medicine | Assessment, investigation, treatment, and management of patients with diseases of the lung, pleural cavity, bronchial tubes, trachea, upper respiratory tract, and of the nerves and muscles of breathing. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RET | Rehabilitation Technology | Supporting a patient's rehabilitation by providing technology to optimise functional independence and prepare for safe, effective, and reliable discharge into the community. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RHE | Rheumatology | Assessment, treatment, management and, rehabilitation of people with diseases of the joints, muscles, and bones. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RIT | Rehabilitation In The Home | Hospital substitution services for rehabilitation in a patient's home to facilitate early supported discharge from hospitals. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RSH | Research | Use of scientific methods with the aim to produce knowledge about human diseases, the prevention and treatment of illnesses, and the promotion of health. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SAM | State-wide Aboriginal Mental Health | Provision of specialist mental health services to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SLP | Sleep | Medical specialist and allied health services for initial assessment and overall management of a broad range of primary and secondary sleep disorders. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SOW | Social Work | Generalised and specific counselling and education for peoples experiencing a variety of conditions. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SPP | Speech Pathology | Assessment, treatment, review, and ongoing management of people with various speech, language, and swallowing difficulties. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SPS | Spinal and Scoliosis | Management of scoliosis/spinal deformity and degenerative spinal conditions | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| STM | Stomal Therapy | Management, education, and assistance to people adjusting to living with either a permanent or temporary stoma, be it a colostomy, ileostomy, or urostomy | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| URO | Urology | Consultation, diagnosis, treatment, and follow-up of people suffering from diseases of the urinary tract and urogenital system and those who have | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|------|-------------|------------|------------|----------|
| | | had prostatectomy or other urological surgery. | | |
| VAS | Vascular Surgery | Consultation, management, investigation, review, and assessment of patients following surgery in which diseases of the vascular system, or arteries and veins are managed by medical therapy, minimally invasive catheter procedures, and surgical reconstruction | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| VTE | Vascular Technical Service | Monitoring of long-term patients with vascular disease. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| WOU | Wounds Dressings Management | Assessment, implementation, and management of complex wounds requiring an in-depth knowledge of contemporary wound care practices and products. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| YCS | Youth Cancer Service | Oncology, haematology, and support services for persons aged between 12-24 years old with cancer. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

Refer to the current referral categories in the Non-Admitted Patient Activity Data Business Rules (Appendix A) for the mapping of referral categories to reporting categories.

# Referral - Created Date

| Definition: | The date on which the referral was created or issued. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Source data element(s): | Referral Created Date (webPAS) |
| Field name: | REFERRAL_CREATED_DATE |
| Data type: | Date |
| Format: | YYYY-MM-DD |

## Guide for use

The referral created date refers to the date recorded on the service request.

At a non-admitted patient service, service request includes:

- formal referrals from a health-care provider, such as a general practitioner or specialist, or from a hospital, such as an emergency department, and
- self-referrals or attendances at a walk-in clinic.

This data element is required for national reporting against the data element: non-admitted patient service event - service request issue date, DDMMYYYY.

Local codes are mapped to national codes for reporting purposes.

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/596448

# Referral - Entered By

| Definition: | The identifier of the staff member who entered the referral details into the source patient administration system (PAS). |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | REFERRAL_ENTERED_BY |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(10) |

## Guide for use

This data element is used to identify the staff member who entered the referral into the PAS.

# Referral - Entered Date

| Definition: | The date on which the referral was entered into the source patient administration system. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | REFERRAL_ENTERED_DATE |
| Data type: | Date |
| Format: | YYYY-MM-DD |

# Referral - Priority

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|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The priority or triage level of the referral. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Referral Priority (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | REFERRAL_PRIORITY_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | REFERRAL_PRIORITY_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| AWT | Awaiting Triage | The referral has not yet been triaged and assigned a priority. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NUR | Not Urgent | An appointment is required within 365 days. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SEM | Semi-Urgent | An appointment is required within 90 days. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| URG | Urgent | An appointment is required within 30 days. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

The benchmark wait time for a first appointment is based on the Referral Priority:

- Not urgent referrals within 365 days
- Semi-urgent referrals within 90 days
- Urgent referrals within 30 days

Waiting time is calculated from the Referral Received Date.

# Referral - Reason

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The reason why the referral is issued. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Reason for Referral (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | REFERRAL_REASON_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | REFERRAL_REASON_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| ASS | Assessment | The patient requires an assessment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CHR | Chart Review | An appointment is required for a chart review, without the patient in attendance. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| EDU | Education | The patient requires an appointment for education. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OPM | Ongoing Patient Management | The patient has attended a first appointment, and their care has been transferred to another site or specialty. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTH | Other | The reason for the referral does not appropriately fall within the definition of any of the other permitted values. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RET | Research Trial | The patient requires an appointment for research purposes or a medical trial. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| TRE | Treatment/Intervention | The patient requires an appointment for treatment or intervention. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UNK | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

'OPM' (Ongoing Patient Management) can only be assigned to referrals created in webPAS. The 'OPM' code can be used when a referral is received by a Health Service Provider for ongoing management of the same condition and the patient has already attended their first appointment for that referral. Using this code will indicate that this referral is not for a 'first' activity within that service and will enable that referral to be excluded from any data that is used in reporting outpatient waiting times for the first attended appointment.

Although the Chart review code (CHR) may have a clinical review component, there is no patient present. For this reason, any appointment for chart review that is attached to this referral will not meet the criteria for a non-admitted patient service event.

# Referral - Reason for Closure

| Definition: | The reason for the referral being closed. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | REFERRAL_REASON_CLOSURE_CODE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |
| Description field name: | REFERRAL_REASON_CLOSURE_DESC |
| Description data type: | String |
| Description format: | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| AUD | Audit | The referral has been closed due to audit process. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DEC | Deceased | The referral has been closed as the patient has died. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| DIP | Discharge Policy | The referral has been closed as discharge policy. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PDT | Patient Declined Treatment | The referral has been closed as the patient has declined any further treatment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| TFC | Transfer and Close | The referral has been closed as treatment has been transferred to another site/specialty. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| TRE | Treatment Completed | The referral has been closed as treatment is completed. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

**Condition**: If the source system records this data element and the referral has been closed, then a value is mandatory, otherwise leave blank.

## Examples

| Scenario | Reportable value |
|---|---|
| The patient did not attend consecutive appointments and is uncontactable. The healthcare provider has approved the referral is to be closed and the referring healthcare notified. | DIP - Discharge Policy |
| The patient declines service early or mid-way into an intervention and the healthcare provider has notified the referring healthcare provider. | PDT - Patient Declined Treatment |
| The patient completes full intervention. | TRE - Treatment Completed |

# Referral - Received Date

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The date on which the referral was received by the healthcare provider. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Referral Date (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | REFERRAL_RECEIVED_DATE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | YYYY-MM-DD |

## Guide for use

This date marks the commencement of the referral wait time until a first appointment is attended.

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/400713

# Referral - Referring Healthcare Provider

| Definition: | The name of the referring healthcare provider that requested the non-admitted service. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Optional |
| Field name: | REFERRING_HCP_NAME |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |

# Referral - Source

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | The source of the referral. |
| **Requirement status:** | Mandatory |
| **Source data element(s):** | Source of Referral (webPAS) |
| **Field name:** | REFERRAL_SOURCE_CODE |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(50) |
| **Description field name:** | REFERRAL_SOURCE_DESC |
| **Description data type:** | String |
| **Description format:** | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| AHP | Allied Health Professional | The patient was referred by an allied health professional. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| ANI | Another Institution | The patient was referred from another institution. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CLN | Clinician | The patient was referred by a clinician at this site. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| COM | Community | The patient was referred by the community. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CON | Same Consultant | The patient was referred to another specialty by the same consultant. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CTB | Community Treatment Order Breach | The patient was referred under a community treatment order breach. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CTV | Community Treatment Order Variation | The patient was referred under a community treatment order variation. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| EDU | Education Department | The patient was referred by the Department of Education. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| EMD | Emergency Department | The patient was referred post an emergency department presentation. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| FAF | Family or Friend | The patient was referred by a friend or relative. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GEP | General Practitioner | The patient was referred by their general practitioner. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| GOV | Government Agency | The patient was referred by a government agency (not otherwise specified). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| INW | Inpatient Ward | The patient was an inpatient and requires follow up care. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MCE | Mental Health Emergency Response Line (MHERL) or Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) | The patient was referred by the Mental Health Emergency Response Line (MHERL) or the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| MEP | Medical Practitioner | The patient was referred by a medical practitioner. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| MHC | Mental Health Clinic or Team | The patient was referred by a mental health clinic or team. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NGO | Non-Government Organisation | The patient was referred by a non-government organisation (not for profit). | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NPR | Nurse Practitioner | The patient was referred by a nurse practitioner. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NUR | Nurse | The patient was referred by a nurse. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OMH | Other | The source of the referral does not appropriately fall within the definition of any of the other permitted values. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OPH | Outpatient Department this Hospital | The patient was referred by another specialty at this site. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OPR | Other Professional | The patient was referred by another healthcare professional. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTH | Other Hospital | The patient has been referred by another hospital. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OTS | Other Service | The patient has been referred from another service. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| POL | Police | The patient has been referred by the Police Force. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PPS | Private Psychiatrist | The person has been referred from their psychiatrist's private rooms. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PRI | Private Referral | The patient has been referred to the service for treatment under a private funding arrangement. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| PRN | Private Referral by General Practitioner | The patient has been referred by a general practitioner for treatment to be delivered under a private billing arrangement. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RCF | Residential Care Facility | The patient was referred from a residential aged care facility. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SLF | Self | The patient referred themselves to the clinic. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| SPR | Specialist Rooms | The patient was referred from the specialist private consulting rooms. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UN | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

## Guide for use

This data item is required for national reporting against the data element: non-admitted patient service request - service request source.

Local codes are mapped to national codes for reporting purposes.

## Related national definition

https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/index.phtml/itemId/679552

# Referral - Status

| Definition: | The status of the referral. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Source data element(s): | Status (webPAS) |
| Field name: | REFERRAL_STATUS_CODE |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X(50) |
| Description field name: | REFERRAL_STATUS_DESC |
| Description data type: | String |
| Description format: | X(100) |

## Permitted Values

| Code | Description | Definition | Start date | End date |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| CA | Cancelled | The referral has been cancelled. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| CL | Closed | The referral has been closed. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| IN | Inactive | The referral is inactive. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| NSP | Not Specified | A permitted value was not reported for this data element. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| OP | Open | The referral is open. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| RE | Rejected | The referral has been rejected from site at the triage stage. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| UN | Unknown | The value for this data item was reported as not being known. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |
| WL | On Waiting List | The referral is awaiting a first appointment. | 1600-01-01 | 9999-01-01 |

# Referral - Updated Date

| Definition: | The system date on which the referral is updated by the site. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Conditional |
| Field name: | REFERRAL_UPDATED_DATE |
| Data type: | Date |
| Format: | YYYY-MM-DD |

# System - Extracted Date

| Definition: | The system date on which the person's information was extracted from the source information system. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Field name: | SYSTEM_EXTRACTED_DATE |
| Data type: | Datetime |
| Format: | YYYY-MM-DD HH:MM:SS |

# System - Record Identifier

| | |
|---|---|
| **Definition:** | A unique record identifier or key generated by the source information system. This identifier will be used to ensure correct updates to existing records, identify duplicates and add unknown records from information system extracts. |
| **Requirement status:** | Optional |
| **Field name:** | SYSTEM_RECORD_IDENTIFIER |
| **Data type:** | String |
| **Format:** | X(20) |

# Guide for use

This unique identifier or key is applied to the record when loaded into the collection.

# System - Updated Date

| Definition: | The date on which the record was updated in the source information system. If any data item relating to a person's appointment or referral record is updated. This data element is expected to be updated. |
|---|---|
| Requirement status: | Mandatory |
| Field name: | SYSTEM_UPDATED_DATE |
| Data type: | Datetime |
| Format: | YYYY-MM-DD HH:MM:SS |

## Guide for use

This is required from the source system to report when any changes are made to a patient's appointment or referral information.

# Appendix A – Summary of revisions

| Date Released | Author | Approval | Amendment |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 July 2021 | Lorinda Bailey | Rob Anderson, Assistant Director General, Purchasing and System Performance | Document created. |
| 1 July 2022 | Lorinda Bailey Shani Shiham Rachael McGuire Clarecia Rose | Rob Anderson, Assistant Director General, Purchasing and System Performance | The Permitted values have been altered for: <br> -Sex <br> -Interpreter Required <br> -Residential Status Code <br> -Medicare Card Number <br> -Referral Reason for Closure Code <br> -Referral Source Code <br> -Appointment Cancellation Code <br> -Appointment Care Type Code <br> -Appointment Delivery Mode Code <br> -Appointment Outcome Code <br> -Appointment Reason for Reschedule Code <br> -Clinic Multidisciplinary Flag <br><br> Removed "Event Type" data element as this was a duplicate of "Appointment Event Type". |
| 1 July 2023 | Daniel Bonner Rachael McGuire | Rob Anderson, Assistant Director General, Purchasing and System Performance | The Permitted values have been altered for: <br> -Appointment Delivery Mode Code <br> -Appointment Outcome Code <br> -Appointment Reason for Reschedule Code <br> -Appointment Status Description <br> -Clinic Category Code <br> -Concession Card Type Code <br> -Referral Category Code <br> -Residential Status Code <br><br> Added "Gender code" as a new data element. <br><br> Removed "Appointment Level Tier 2 Classification Code" data element. <br><br> Removed "System Loaded Date" data element. <br><br> Removed "Record Change Type" data element. |

| Date Released | Author | Approval | Amendment |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | | Added missing "Appointment First Offered Date" data element. |
| 1 July 2024 | Daniel Bonner Rachael McGuire | Rob Anderson, Assistant Director General, Purchasing and System Performance | The new Non-admitted Data Collection in the ISPD data warehouse stores and makes available both codes and descriptions of data element values. The data dictionary now reflects this improved availability of information.<br><br>Date formats have been amended to aligned with Data Warehouse standard.<br><br>NSP (not specified) has been added where it was previously missing.<br><br>The Permitted values have been altered for:<br>Clinic Healthcare Provider Name<br>Marital Status<br>Patient With Cancer Ready For Care<br>Patient With Cancer Clinical Emergency<br>Postal State or Territory<br>Referral Reason<br>Referral Status<br>Sex recorded at birth<br><br>Added GDS (Gender Diversity Service) as a new permitted value for "Referral category" data element. |
| 1 July 2025 | Daniel Bonner Rachael McGuire | Rob Anderson, Assistant Director General, Purchasing and System Performance | Updated dates, Meteor links. Amended grammar.<br><br>Updated values for:<br>- Appointment Cancellation<br>- Clinic - Tier 2 Classification<br>- Appointment reschedule reason<br>- Appointment non-attendance reason<br><br>Updated Guide for use for:<br>- Appointment - Reason for Reschedule |

| Date Released | Author | Approval | Amendment |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | | - Clinic - Multidisciplinary Indicator<br>- Person - Aboriginal Status<br>- Person - Department of Veterans' Affairs Card Colour<br><br>Updated requirements for:<br>- Person - Medicare Card Number<br><br>Updated examples for:<br>- Person - Residential postcode<br>- Referral - Reason For Closure |

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