

# **Appointment—principal source of funding, patient funding source code AAA**

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Appointment payment classification code
<b>Synonymous names:</b>	APP_PAY_CLASS_CODE; FUNDING_SOURCE
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	606188
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">WA Health</a> , Standard 24/04/2015
<b>Definition:</b>	The principal source of funds that is expected to pay for the health care provided to a patient at an appointment, as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Appointment—principal source of funding</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Patient funding source code AAA</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	String
<b>Format:</b>	AAA
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	3

	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	ADF	Australian Defence Force
	AHA	Australian Health Care Agreement
	COM	Compensable other
	COR	Correctional facility
	DET	Detainee
	EMV	Other states Motor Vehicle Insurance Trust (MVIT)
	FOD	Foreign defence
	INE	Ineligible
	MBS	Medicare Benefits Scheme Privately Referred Non-Inpatient Initiative (MBS PRNI)
	OVS	Overseas student
	OVV	Overseas visitor
	PVT	Private insured
	REC	Reciprocal Health Care Agreement
	SHI	Shipping
	UNI	Private uninsured
	VET	Department of Veterans' Affairs
	WAM	Western Australian Motor Vehicle Insurance Trust (MVIT)
	WCC	Workers Compensation
	NSP	Not specified
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	NSP	Not specified

OTH

Other (including direct Commonwealth or State Government sourced funds)

UNK

Unknown

## Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: WA Health

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:**

This data item is a mandatory item for national reporting, using the data element:

[Episode of care-source of funding, patient funding source code NN](#)

Local codes are mapped to national codes for reporting purposes:

Local (NAPAAWL) codes	National codes
AHA Australian Health Care Agreement	01 Health service budget (not covered elsewhere)
REC Reciprocal Health Care Agreement	02 Health service budget (reciprocal)
VET Veterans' Affairs	04 Department of Veterans' Affairs
ADF Australian Defence Force	05 Department of Defence
COR Correctional facility DET Detainee	06 Correctional facility
MBS Medicare Benefits Scheme (PRNI)	07 Medicare Benefits Scheme
PVT Private Insured	09 Private Health Insurance
SHI Shipping WCC Workers' Compensation	10 Workers' Compensation
EMV Other states MVIT WAM Western Australian MVIT	11 Motor vehicle third party personal claim
COM Compensable other	12 Other compensation
UNI Private uninsured	13 Self-funded
FOD Foreign Defence OVS Overseas student OVV Overseas visitor INE Ineligible OTH Other	88 Other funding source
UNK Unknown NSP Not stated/inadequately described	98 Not known

The local version has the synonymous name APP\_PAY\_CLASS\_CODE.

The nationally reported version of this data item has the synonymous name FUNDING\_SOURCE.

**Comments:****Relational attributes**

**Related metadata references:**

Supersedes [Appointment—principal source of funding, patient funding source code AAA](#)

[WA Health](#), Standard 19/03/2015

See also [Episode of care—source of funding, patient funding source code NN Health](#), Superseded 06/12/2023

See also [Episode of care—source of funding, patient funding source code NN Health](#), Standard 06/12/2023

See also [Episode of care—source of funding, patient funding source code NN Health](#), Superseded 25/01/2018

See also [Episode of care—source of funding, patient funding source code NN Health](#), Superseded 20/10/2021

See also [Episode of care—source of funding, patient funding source code NN Health](#), Superseded 07/03/2014

See also [Episode of care—source of funding, patient funding source code NN Health](#), Superseded 05/10/2016

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:**

[WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection \(NAPAAWL DC\) 2014-15](#)

[WA Health](#), Standard 24/04/2015

**DSS specific information:**

This data item is a mandatory item for national reporting in the:

- [Non-admitted patient DSS 2014-15](#)
- [Non-admitted patient care hospital aggregate NMDS 2014-15](#)
- [Non-admitted patient care Local Hospital Network aggregate DSS 2014-15](#)

It is reported nationally using the data element:

[Episode of care-source of funding, patient funding source code NN](#)

[WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection \(NAPAAWL DC\) 2016-17](#)

[WA Health](#), Standard 30/05/2017

**DSS specific information:**

This data item is a mandatory item for national reporting in the:

[Non-admitted patient NBEDS 2016-17](#)

[Non-admitted patient care hospital aggregate NMDS 2016-17](#)

[Non-admitted patient care Local Hospital Network aggregate NBEDS 2016-17](#)

It is reported nationally against the data element:

[Episode of care-source of funding, patient funding source code N](#)