Appointment—group session indicator, (derived) yes/no code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Group session indicator

Synonymous names: GROUP_SESSION_INDICATOR

METEOR identifier: 606299

Registration status: WA Health, Standard 01/06/2017

Definition: An indicator for health services that are provided to two or more patients by the

same health care provider(s) at the same appointment, as represented by a code.

Data Element Concept: Appointment—group session indicator

Value Domain: Yes/no code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Boolean

Format: Naximum character length: 1

Value Meaning

Permissible values: 1 Yes

2 No

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: This data item is a mandatory item for national reporting against the data element:

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Collection methods: The appointment session type code in the NAPAAWL DC is 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 for the group session indicator. All other records will be

assigned a value of 2 for the group session indicator.

Comments: An interaction between a clinician and a non-admitted patient can be in a group

setting with multiple patients but may not necessarily meet the criteria for a non-

admitted patient service event.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes Appointment—group session indicator, yes/no code N

WA Health, Standard 19/03/2015

Is formed using Appointment—session type, code AAA

WA Health, Standard 01/06/2017

See also Non-admitted patient service event—group session indicator, yes/no

code N

Health, Superseded 05/10/2016

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

Implementation in Data Set 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

It is reported nationally against the data element:

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