Appointment—date, DDMMYYYY

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Appointment date |
| Synonymous names: | APP\_DATE; SERVICE\_DATE |
| METEOR identifier: | 606308 |
| Registration status: | [WA Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/2), Standard 01/06/2017 |
| Definition: | The date that is reserved for an appointment, expressed as DDMMYYYY. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Appointment—date](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/496915) |
| Value Domain: | [Date DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270566) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Date | |
| Data type: | Date/Time | |
| Format: | DDMMYYYY | |
| Maximum character length: | 8 | |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | The date reserved for a self-administered treatment is also classed as an appointment date.    This data item is a mandatory item for national reporting against the data element:  [Non-admitted patient service event-service date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/584093)    The local version of this data element has the synonymous name APP\_DATE.  The nationally reported version has the synonymous name SERVICE\_DATE. |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Appointment—date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/496925)  [WA Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/2), Standard 19/03/2015  Is used in the formation of [Appointment—reference period, calendar month N{N}](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/607070)  [WA Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/2), Standard 01/06/2017  Is used in the formation of [Appointment—reference period, calendar year YYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/607077)  [WA Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/2), Standard 01/06/2017  Is used in the formation of [Appointment—reference period, financial month N{N}](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/607081)  [WA Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/2), Standard 01/06/2017  Is used in the formation of [Appointment—reference period, financial year YYYY-YYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/607084)  [WA Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/2), Standard 01/06/2017  See also [Non-admitted patient service event—service date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/584093)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/10/2016  [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 24/11/2016 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection (NAPAAWL DC) 2016-17](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/648949)  [WA Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/2), 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](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/612297)    It is reported nationally against the data element:  [Non-admitted patient service event-service date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/584081) |