Recipient—type of shared accommodation, code AAA

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Type of shared accommodation  |
| METEOR identifier: | 639201 |
| Registration status: | [Commonwealth Department of Social Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/7), Standard 20/06/2018 |
| Definition: | The type of shared accommodation in which a recipient resides, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Recipient—type of shared accommodation](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/645277)  |
| Value Domain: | [Accommodation type code AAA](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/639199) |

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| Value domain attributes |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | AAA |
| Maximum character length: | 3 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | BAL | Boarder or lodger |
|   | COM | Community housing (not in Repository) |
|   | DAT | Unknown, customer selected for data collection mail out |
|   | EXE | Lives in shared accommodation, exempt |
|   | FMR | Follow-up of circumstances (not in Repository) |
|   | LWJ | Lives with parents, joint leasing |
|   | LWP | Lives with parents |
|   | NAS | Does not live in shared accommodation |
|   | RCO | Lives in a residential college or hostel in the academic year |
|   | REC | Lives with recipient child only |
|   | SHH | Shares accommodation with homeowner |
|   | SHR | Lives in shared accommodation |
|   | XSH | Exempt from Sharers rate |
|   | NAP | No description found in category element |
|   | Missing  | No value  |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | BAL   Boarder or lodgerBoarder means that some regular meals are provided. Lodgings means no meals are provided.'Sharers rate' is a provision under Social Security Law, where a lower rate of rent assistance applies. Refer to the Guide to Social Security Law [Sharers Provisions for RA](http://guides.dss.gov.au/guide-social-security-law/3/8/1/110).'Not in repository' means that an accommodation type does not fit the other codes for rent assistance. |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Government Department of Social Services |

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| Data element attributes  |
| Collection and usage attributes |
| Comments: | This information is required in order to reduce rent assistance for single pensioners who are sharing accommodation. |
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| Submitting organisation: | Australian Government Department of Social Services |
| Reference documents: | Australian Government 2017. Guides to Social Policy Law. Guide to Social Security Law. Viewed 24 April 2017, <http://guides.dss.gov.au/guide-social-security-law> |
| Relational attributes |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Accommodation Cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/650528)[Commonwealth Department of Social Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/7), Standard 20/06/2018***DSS specific information:*** Type of shared accommodation refers to the variable ACCOM\_CODE in the PIA research data set. |