

# Allied health service event—assessment type, text X[X(59)]

## Identifying and definitional attributes

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| <b>Metadata item type:</b>  | Data Element  |
| <b>Short name:</b>          | Allied health assessment type   |
| <b>METEOR identifier:</b>   | 705901  |
| <b>Registration status:</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Health</a>, Standard 12/12/2018</li></ul>   |
| <b>Definition:</b>          | The type of evaluation or appraisal activity performed by the <a href="#">allied health service provider</a> during the <a href="#">allied health service event</a> , as represented by text. |

## Data element concept attributes

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| <b>Data element concept:</b> | <a href="#">Allied health service event—assessment type</a>   |
| <b>METEOR identifier:</b>    | 705894  |
| <b>Registration status:</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Health</a>, Standard 12/12/2018</li></ul>   |
| <b>Definition:</b>           | The type of evaluation or appraisal activity performed by the <a href="#">allied health service provider</a> during the <a href="#">allied health service event</a> . |
| <b>Object class:</b>         | <a href="#">Allied health service event</a>   |
| <b>Property:</b>             | <a href="#">Assessment type</a>   |

### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Allied Health Professions Australia

## Value domain attributes

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| <b>Value domain:</b>        | <a href="#">Text X[X(59)]</a>   |
| <b>METEOR identifier:</b>   | 307765  |
| <b>Registration status:</b> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Community Services (retired)</a>, Incomplete 01/07/2009</li><li>• <a href="#">Health</a>, Standard 05/10/2016</li></ul> |
| <b>Definition:</b>          | A combination of alphanumeric characters.   |

## Representational attributes

**Representation class:** Text  
**Data type:** String  
**Format:** X[X(59)]  
**Maximum character length:** 60

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:** In the absence of nationally consistent code sets or values for recording clinical finding 'free text' may be used, with the future intention of mapping to and use of an established terminology.

The assessment type should indicate the type of activities that evaluate the health of the person receiving the [allied health service event](#) and contribute to clinical reasoning to identify allied health indicators for intervention or clinical findings, for example musculoskeletal, behavioural, psychosocial, neurological.

Assessment types are recorded for all allied health service events performed by an allied health service provider working within the professions identified in [Allied health service event—provider profession, code AA\[AAA\]](#)

A combination of assessment types, measures and results fields represent a discrete assessment. Each allied health service event may have one or more assessment types, measures and results recorded, up to a maximum of 99.

**Collection methods:** Each jurisdiction will implement a locally agreed code set for collection of the data element. This may be borrowed or adapted from another jurisdiction.

Assessment types may be profession specific or shared amongst professions. An allied health service provider may use a profession specific code for this data element.

**Comments:** Subsequent analysis of locally agreed values will contribute to developing national standardised values in the future.

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### Relational attributes

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [Allied health assessment cluster Health](#), Standard 12/12/2018

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