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1 NPPES Code Table Values

1.1 Entity Type Codes

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- Entity Type Code

Exhibit 1-1 Entity Types Codes

Entity Type Code	Entity Type Description
1	Individual
2	Organization

Values in text format:

1, Individual
2, Organization

1.2 Sole Proprietor Codes

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- Sole Proprietor Codes

Exhibit 1-2 Sole Proprietor Codes

Sole Proprietor Code	Sole Proprietor Description
X	Not Answered
Y	Yes, Entity Type 1 Provider (Individual) is a Sole Proprietor
N	No, Entity Type 1 Provider (Individual) is not a Sole Proprietor

Values in text format:

X, Not Answered
Y, Yes
N, No

1.3 Subpart Codes

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- Subpart Codes

Exhibit 1-3 Subpart Codes

Subpart Code	Subpart Description
X	Not Answered
Y	Yes, Entity Type 2 Provider (Organization) is a Subpart
N	No, Entity Type 2 Provider (Organization) is not a Subpart

Values in text format:

X, Not Answered

Y, Yes

N, No

1.4 Gender Codes

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- Provider Gender Code

Exhibit 1-4 Gender Codes

Gender Code	Description
M	Male
F	Female

Values in text format:

M, Male

F, Female

1.5 Deactivation Reason Codes

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- NPI Deactivation Reason Code

Exhibit 1-5 Deactivation Reason Codes

Status Reason Code	Status Reason Description
DT	Death
DB	Disbandment
FR	Fraud
OT	Other

Values in text format:

DT, Death

DB, Disbandment

FR, Fraud
 OT, Other

1.6 Other Provider Name Type Codes

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- Provider Other Organization Name Type Code
- Provider Other Last Name Type Code

Exhibit 1-6 Other Provider Name Type Codes

Name Type Code	Name Type Description	Entity Name Type Code
1	Former Name	I (Individual)
2	Professional Name	I (Individual)
3	Doing Business As	O (Organization)
4	Former Legal Business Name	O (Organization)
5	Other Name	B (Both)

Values in text format:

- 1, Former Name, I
- 2, Professional Name, I
- 3, Doing Business As, O
- 4, Former Legal Business Name, O
- 5, Other Name, B

1.7 Name Prefix Codes

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- Provider Name Prefix Text
- Provider Other Name Prefix Text
- Contact Person Name Prefix Text
- Authorized Official Name Prefix Text

Exhibit 1-7 Name Prefix Codes

Prefix Code	Prefix Description
Ms.	Ms.
Mr.	Mr.
Miss	Miss
Mrs.	Mrs.
Dr.	Dr.
Prof.	Prof.

Values in text format:

Ms., Ms.
 Mr., Mr.
 Miss, Miss
 Dr., Dr.
 Prof., Prof.

1.8 Name Suffix Codes

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- Provider Name Suffix Text
- Provider Other Name Suffix Text
- Contact Person Name Suffix Text
- Authorized Official Suffix Text

Exhibit 1-8 Name Suffix Codes

Suffix Code	Suffix Code Description
Jr.	Jr.
Sr.	Sr.
I	I
II	II
III	III
IV	IV
V	V
VI	VI
VII	VII
VIII	VIII
IX	IX
X	X

Values in text format:

Jr., Jr.
 Sr., Sr.
 I, I
 II, II
 III, III
 IV, IV
 V, V
 VI, VI
 VII, VII
 VIII, VIII
 IX, IX

X, X

1.9 State Codes

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- Provider Business Mailing Address State Name
- Provider Business Practice Location Address State Name
- Other Provider Identifier State_1 (through 50)
- Provider License Number State Code_1 (through 15)
- Provider State of Birth

Exhibit 1-9 State Codes

State Reference Code	State Name	State Type Code
AK	ALASKA	S
AL	ALABAMA	S
AR	ARKANSAS	S
AS	AMERICAN SAMOA	T
AZ	ARIZONA	S
CA	CALIFORNIA	S
CO	COLORADO	S
CT	CONNECTICUT	S
DC	DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	T
DE	DELAWARE	S
FL	FLORIDA	S
FM	MICRONESIA, FEDERATED STATES OF	T
GA	GEORGIA	S
GU	GUAM	T
HI	HAWAII	S
IA	IOWA	S
ID	IDAHO	S
IL	ILLINOIS	S
IN	INDIANA	S
KS	KANSAS	S
KY	KENTUCKY	S
LA	LOUISIANA	S
MA	MASSACHUSETTS	S

State Reference Code	State Name	State Type Code
MD	MARYLAND	S
ME	MAINE	S
MH	MARSHALL ISLANDS	T
MI	MICHIGAN	S
MN	MINNESOTA	S
MO	MISSOURI	S
MP	MARIANA ISLANDS, NORTHERN	T
MS	MISSISSIPPI	S
MT	MONTANA	S
NC	NORTH CAROLINA	S
ND	NORTH DAKOTA	S
NE	NEBRASKA	S
NH	NEW HAMPSHIRE	S
NJ	NEW JERSEY	S
NM	NEW MEXICO	S
NV	NEVADA	S
NY	NEW YORK	S
OH	OHIO	S
OK	OKLAHOMA	S
OR	OREGON	S
PA	PENNSYLVANIA	S
PR	PUERTO RICO	T
PW	PALAU	T
RI	RHODE ISLAND	S
SC	SOUTH CAROLINA	S
SD	SOUTH DAKOTA	S
TN	TENNESSEE	S
TX	TEXAS	S
UT	UTAH	S
VA	VIRGINIA	S
VI	VIRGIN ISLANDS	T
VT	VERMONT	S
WA	WASHINGTON	S

State Reference Code	State Name	State Type Code
WI	WISCONSIN	S
WV	WEST VIRGINIA	S
WY	WYOMING	S
ZZ	Foreign Country	T

Values in text format:

AK, ALASKA, S
 AL, ALABAMA, S
 AR, ARKANSAS, S
 AS, AMERICAN SAMOA, T
 AZ, ARIZONA, S
 CA, CALIFORNIA, S
 CO, COLORADO, S
 CT, CONNECTICUT, S
 DC, DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA, T
 DE, DELAWARE, S
 FL, FLORIDA, S
 FM, MICRONESIA, FEDERATED STATES OF, T
 GA, GEORGIA, S
 GU, GUAM, T
 HI, HAWAII, S
 IA, IOWA, S
 ID, IDAHO, S
 IL, ILLINOIS, S
 IN, INDIANA, S
 KS, KANSAS, S
 KY, KENTUCKY, S
 LA, LOUISIANA, S
 MA, MASSACHUSETTS, S
 MD, MARYLAND, S
 ME, MAINE, S
 MH, MARSHALL ISLANDS, T
 MI, MICHIGAN, S
 MN, MINNESOTA, S
 MO, MISSOURI, S
 MP, MARIANA ISLANDS, NORTHERN, T
 MS, MISSISSIPPI, S
 MT, MONTANA, S
 NC, NORTH CAROLINA, S
 ND, NORTH DAKOTA, S
 NE, NEBRASKA, S
 NH, NEW HAMPSHIRE, S
 NJ, NEW JERSEY, S
 NM, NEW MEXICO, S
 NV, NEVADA, S
 NY, NEW YORK, S
 OH, OHIO, S

OK, OKLAHOMA, S
 OR, OREGON, S
 PA, PENNSYLVANIA, S
 PR, PUERTO RICO, T
 PW, PALAU, T
 RI, RHODE ISLAND, S
 SC, SOUTH CAROLINA, S
 SD, SOUTH DAKOTA, S
 TN, TENNESSEE, S
 TX, TEXAS, S
 UT, UTAH, S
 VA, VIRGINIA, S
 VI, VIRGIN ISLANDS, T
 VT, VERMONT, S
 WA, WASHINGTON, S
 WI, WISCONSIN, S
 WV, WEST VIRGINIA, S
 WY, WYOMING, S
 ZZ, Foreign Country, T

1.10 Country Codes

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- Provider Business Mailing Address Country Code
- Provider Business Practice Location Address Country Code
- Provider Country of Birth

Exhibit 1-10 Country Codes

Country Code	Country Name
AD	ANDORRA
AE	UNITED ARAB EMIRATES
AF	AFGHANISTAN
AG	ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA
AI	ANGUILLA
AL	ALBANIA
AM	ARMENIA
AN	NETHERLANDS ANTILLES
AO	ANGOLA
AQ	ANTARCTICA
AR	ARGENTINA
AT	AUSTRIA

Country Code	Country Name
AU	AUSTRALIA
AW	ARUBA
AX	ALAND ISLANDS
AZ	AZERBAIJAN
BA	BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA
BB	BARBADOS
BD	BANGLADESH
BE	BELGIUM
BF	BURKINA FASO
BG	BULGARIA
BH	BAHRAIN
BI	BURUNDI
BJ	BENIN
BM	BERMUDA
BN	BRUNEI DARUSSALAM
BO	BOLIVIA
BR	BRAZIL
BS	BAHAMAS
BT	BHUTAN
BV	BOUVET ISLAND
BW	BOTSWANA
BY	BELARUS
BZ	BELIZE
CA	CANADA
CC	COCOS (KEELING) ISLANDS
CD	CONGO, THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE
CF	CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC
CG	CONGO
CH	SWITZERLAND
CI	COTE D'IVOIRE
CK	COOK ISLANDS
CL	CHILE
CM	CAMEROON

Country Code	Country Name
CN	CHINA
CO	COLOMBIA
CR	COSTA RICA
CS	SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO
CU	CUBA
CV	CAPE VERDE
CX	CHRISTMAS ISLAND
CY	CYPRUS
CZ	CZECH REPUBLIC
DE	GERMANY
DJ	DJIBOUTI
DK	DENMARK
DM	DOMINICA
DO	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
DZ	ALGERIA
EC	ECUADOR
EE	ESTONIA
EG	EGYPT
EH	WESTERN SAHARA
ER	ERITREA
ES	SPAIN
ET	ETHIOPIA
FI	FINLAND
FJ	FIJI
FK	FALKLAND ISLANDS (MALVINAS)
FO	FAROE ISLANDS
FR	FRANCE
GA	GABON
GB	Great Britain (UK)
GD	GRENADA
GE	GEORGIA
GF	FRENCH GUIANA
GG	GUERNSEY

Country Code	Country Name
GH	GHANA
GI	GIBRALTAR
GL	GREENLAND
GM	GAMBIA
GN	GUINEA
GP	GUADELOUPE
GQ	EQUATORIAL GUINEA
GR	GREECE
GS	SOUTH GEORGIA AND THE SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS
GT	GUATEMALA
GW	GUINEA-BISSAU
GY	GUYANA
HK	HONG KONG
HM	HEARD ISLAND AND MCDONALD ISLANDS
HN	HONDURAS
HR	CROATIA
HT	HAITI
HU	HUNGARY
ID	INDONESIA
IE	IRELAND
IL	ISRAEL
IM	ISLE OF MAN
IN	INDIA
IO	BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERRITORY
IQ	IRAQ
IR	IRAN, ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF
IS	ICELAND
IT	ITALY
JE	JERSEY
JM	JAMAICA
JO	JORDAN
JP	JAPAN

Country Code	Country Name
KE	KENYA
KG	KYRGYZSTAN
KH	CAMBODIA
KI	KIRIBATI
KM	COMOROS
KN	SAINT KITTS AND NEVIS
KP	KOREA, DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF
KR	KOREA, REPUBLIC OF
KW	KUWAIT
KY	CAYMAN ISLANDS
KZ	KAZAKHSTAN
LA	LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC
LB	LEBANON
LC	SAINT LUCIA
LI	LIECHTENSTEIN
LK	SRI LANKA
LR	LIBERIA
LS	LESOTHO
LT	LITHUANIA
LU	LUXEMBOURG
LV	LATVIA
LY	LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA
MA	MOROCCO
MC	MONACO
MD	MOLDOVA, REPUBLIC OF
MG	MADAGASCAR
MK	MACEDONIA, THE FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF
ML	MALI
MM	MYANMAR
MN	MONGOLIA
MO	MACAO
MQ	MARTINIQUE

Country Code	Country Name
MR	MAURITANIA
MS	MONTSERRAT
MT	MALTA
MU	MAURITIUS
MV	MALDIVES
MW	MALAWI
MX	MEXICO
MY	MALAYSIA
MZ	MOZAMBIQUE
NA	NAMIBIA
NC	NEW CALEDONIA
NE	NIGER
NF	NORFOLK ISLAND
NG	NIGERIA
NI	NICARAGUA
NL	NETHERLANDS
NO	NORWAY
NP	NEPAL
NR	NAURU
NU	NIUE
NZ	NEW ZEALAND
OM	OMAN
PA	PANAMA
PE	PERU
PF	FRENCH POLYNESIA
PG	PAPUA NEW GUINEA
PH	PHILIPPINES
PK	PAKISTAN
PL	POLAND
PM	SAINT PIERRE AND MIQUELON
PN	PITCAIRN
PS	PALESTINIAN TERRITORY, OCCUPIED
PT	PORTUGAL

Country Code	Country Name
PY	PARAGUAY
QA	QATAR
RE	REUNION
RO	ROMANIA
RU	RUSSIAN FEDERATION
RW	RWANDA
SA	SAUDI ARABIA
SB	SOLOMON ISLANDS
SC	SEYCHELLES
SD	SUDAN
SE	SWEDEN
SG	SINGAPORE
SH	SAINT HELENA
SI	SLOVENIA
SJ	SVALBARD AND JAN MAYEN
SK	SLOVAKIA
SL	SIERRA LEONE
SM	SAN MARINO
SN	SENEGAL
SO	SOMALIA
SR	SURINAME
ST	SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE
SV	EL SALVADOR
SY	SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC
SZ	SWAZILAND
TC	TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS
TD	CHAD
TF	FRENCH SOUTHERN TERRITORIES
TG	TOGO
TH	THAILAND
TJ	TAJIKISTAN
TK	TOKELAU
TL	TIMOR-LESTE

Country Code	Country Name
TM	TURKMENISTAN
TN	TUNISIA
TO	TONGA
TR	TURKEY
TT	TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO
TV	TUVALU
TW	TAIWAN
TZ	TANZANIA, UNITED REPUBLIC OF
UA	UKRAINE
UG	UGANDA
UM	UNITED STATES MINOR OUTLYING ISLANDS
US	UNITED STATES
UY	URUGUAY
UZ	UZBEKISTAN
VA	HOLY SEE (VATICAN CITY STATE)
VC	SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES
VE	VENEZUELA
VG	VIRGIN ISLANDS, BRITISH
VN	VIET NAM
VU	VANUATU
WF	WALLIS AND FUTUNA
WS	SAMOA
YE	YEMEN
YT	MAYOTTE
ZA	SOUTH AFRICA
ZM	ZAMBIA
ZW	ZIMBABWE

Values in text format:

AD, ANDORRA
 AE, UNITED ARAB EMIRATES
 AF, AFGHANISTAN
 AG, ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA
 AI, ANGUILLA
 AL, ALBANIA

AM, ARMENIA
AN, NETHERLANDS ANTILLES
AO, ANGOLA
AQ, ANTARCTICA
AR, ARGENTINA
AT, AUSTRIA
AU, AUSTRALIA
AW, ARUBA
AX, ALAND ISLANDS
AZ, AZERBAIJAN
BA, BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA
BB, BARBADOS
BD, BANGLADESH
BE, BELGIUM
BF, BURKINA FASO
BG, BULGARIA
BH, BAHRAIN
BI, BURUNDI
BJ, BENIN
BM, BERMUDA
BN, BRUNEI DARUSSALAM
BO, BOLIVIA
BR, BRAZIL
BS, BAHAMAS
BT, BHUTAN
BV, BOUVET ISLAND
BW, BOTSWANA
BY, BELARUS
BZ, BELIZE
CA, CANADA
CC, COCOS (KEELING) ISLANDS
CD, CONGO, THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC OF THE
CF, CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC
CG, CONGO
CH, SWITZERLAND
CI, CÔTE D'IVOIRE
CK, COOK ISLANDS
CL, CHILE
CM, CAMEROON
CN, CHINA
CO, COLOMBIA
CR, COSTA RICA
CS, SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO
CU, CUBA
CV, CAPE VERDE
CX, CHRISTMAS ISLAND
CY, CYPRUS
CZ, CZECH REPUBLIC
DE, GERMANY
DJ, DJIBOUTI
DK, DENMARK

DM, DOMINICA
DO, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC
DZ, ALGERIA
EC, ECUADOR
EE, ESTONIA
EG, EGYPT
EH, WESTERN SAHARA
ER, ERITREA
ES, SPAIN
ET, ETHIOPIA
FI, FINLAND
FJ, FIJI
FK, FALKLAND ISLANDS (MALVINAS)
FO, FAROE ISLANDS
FR, FRANCE
GA, GABON
GB, GREAT BRITAIN (UK)
GD, GRENADA
GE, GEORGIA
GF, FRENCH GUIANA
GG, GUERNSEY
GH, GHANA
GI, GIBRALTAR
GL, GREENLAND
GM, GAMBIA
GN, GUINEA
GP, GUADELOUPE
GQ, EQUATORIAL GUINEA
GR, GREECE
GS, SOUTH GEORGIA AND THE SOUTH SANDWICH ISLANDS
GT, GUATEMALA
GW, GUINEA-BISSAU
GY, GUYANA
HK, HONG KONG
HM, HEARD ISLAND AND MCDONALD ISLANDS
HN, HONDURAS
HR, CROATIA
HT, HAITI
HU, HUNGARY
ID, INDONESIA
IE, IRELAND
IL, ISRAEL
IM, ISLE OF MAN
IN, INDIA
IO, BRITISH INDIAN OCEAN TERRITORY
IQ, IRAQ
IR, IRAN, ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF
IS, ICELAND
IT, ITALY
JE, JERSEY
JM, JAMAICA

JO, JORDAN
JP, JAPAN
KE, KENYA
KG, KYRGYZSTAN
KH, CAMBODIA
KI, KIRIBATI
KM, COMOROS
KN, SAINT KITTS AND NEVIS
KP, KOREA, DEMOCRATIC PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF
KR, KOREA, REPUBLIC OF
KW, KUWAIT
KY, CAYMAN ISLANDS
KZ, KAZAKHSTAN
LA, LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC
LB, LEBANON
LC, SAINT LUCIA
LI, LIECHTENSTEIN
LK, SRI LANKA
LR, LIBERIA
LS, LESOTHO
LT, LITHUANIA
LU, LUXEMBOURG
LV, LATVIA
LY, LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA
MA, MOROCCO
MC, MONACO
MD, MOLDOVA, REPUBLIC OF
MG, MADAGASCAR
MK, MACEDONIA, THE FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF
ML, MALI
MM, MYANMAR
MN, MONGOLIA
MO, MACAO
MQ, MARTINIQUE
MR, MAURITANIA
MS, MONTSERRAT
MT, MALTA
MU, MAURITIUS
MV, MALDIVES
MW, MALAWI
MX, MEXICO
MY, MALAYSIA
MZ, MOZAMBIQUE
NA, NAMIBIA
NC, NEW CALEDONIA
NE, NIGER
NF, NORFOLK ISLAND
NG, NIGERIA
NI, NICARAGUA
NL, NETHERLANDS
NO, NORWAY

NP, NEPAL
NR, NAURU
NU, NIUE
NZ, NEW ZEALAND
OM, OMAN
PA, PANAMA
PE, PERU
PF, FRENCH POLYNESIA
PG, PAPUA NEW GUINEA
PH, PHILIPPINES
PK, PAKISTAN
PL, POLAND
PM, SAINT PIERRE AND MIQUELON
PN, PITCAIRN
PS, PALESTINIAN TERRITORY, OCCUPIED
PT, PORTUGAL
PY, PARAGUAY
QA, QATAR
RE, REUNION
RO, ROMANIA
RU, RUSSIAN FEDERATION
RW, RWANDA
SA, SAUDI ARABIA
SB, SOLOMON ISLANDS
SC, SEYCHELLES
SD, SUDAN
SE, SWEDEN
SG, SINGAPORE
SH, SAINT HELENA
SI, SLOVENIA
SJ, SVALBARD AND JAN MAYEN
SK, SLOVAKIA
SL, SIERRA LEONE
SM, SAN MARINO
SN, SENEGAL
SO, SOMALIA
SR, SURINAME
ST, SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE
SV, EL SALVADOR
SY, SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC
SZ, SWAZILAND
TC, TURKS AND CAICOS ISLANDS
TD, CHAD
TF, FRENCH SOUTHERN TERRITORIES
TG, TOGO
TH, THAILAND
TJ, TAJIKISTAN
TK, TOKELAU
TL, TIMOR-LESTE
TM, TURKMENISTAN
TN, TUNISIA

TO, TONGA
 TR, TURKEY
 TT, TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO
 TV, TUVALU
 TW, TAIWAN
 TZ, TANZANIA, UNITED REPUBLIC OF
 UA, UKRAINE
 UG, UGANDA
 UM, UNITED STATES MINOR OUTLYING ISLANDS
 US, UNITED STATES
 UY, URUGUAY
 UZ, UZBEKISTAN
 VA, HOLY SEE (VATICAN CITY STATE)
 VC, SAINT VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES
 VE, VENEZUELA
 VG, VIRGIN ISLANDS, BRITISH
 VN, VIET NAM
 VU, VANUATU
 WF, WALLIS AND FUTUNA
 WS, SAMOA
 YE, YEMEN
 YT, MAYOTTE
 ZA, SOUTH AFRICA
 ZM, ZAMBIA
 ZW, ZIMBABWE

1.11 Other Provider Identifier Issuer Codes

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- Other Provider Identifier Type Code_1 (through 50)

Exhibit 1-11 Other Provider Identifier Issuer Codes

Other Provider Type Code	Other Provider Type Description
01	OTHER
02	MEDICARE UPIN
04	MEDICARE ID-TYPE UNSPECIFIED
05	MEDICAID
06	MEDICARE OSCAR/CERTIFICATION
07	MEDICARE NSC
08	MEDICARE PIN

Values in text format:

01, OTHER
 02, MEDICARE UPIN
 04, MEDICARE ID-TYPE UNSPECIFIED

- 05, MEDICAID
- 06, MEDICARE OSCAR/CERTIFICATION
- 07, MEDICARE NSC
- 08, MEDICARE PIN

1.12 Taxonomy Codes

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- Healthcare Provider Taxonomy Code_1 (through 15)

Taxonomy code values may be found on the Washington Publishing Company website. They are not provided here because the data set is updated twice a year, and publicly available at:

<http://www.wpc-edi.com/codes/taxonomy>

1.13 Primary Taxonomy

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- X – The primary taxonomy switch is Not Answered.
- Y – The taxonomy is the primary taxonomy (there can be only one per NPI record)
- N – The taxonomy is not the primary taxonomy

Exhibit 1-12 Primary Taxonomy Codes

Primary Taxonomy Switch Code	Primary Taxonomy Switch Description
X	Not Answered
Y	Yes
N	No

Values in text format:

- X, Not Answered
- Y, Yes
- N, No

1.14 Postal Codes

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- Provider Business Mailing Address Postal Code
- Provider Business Practice Location Postal Code

NPPES uses United States Postal Service (USPS) standard 9 digit postal codes. See the USPS website for more details.

1.15 Group Taxonomy

Corresponding Fields in the Data Dissemination File:

- Group Taxonomy Code

Exhibit 1-13 Group Taxonomy Codes

Group Taxonomy Code	Group Taxonomy Code Description
193200000X	Multi-Specialty Group - A business group of one or more individual practitioners, who practice with different areas of specialization.
193400000X	Single Specialty Group - A business group of one or more individual practitioners, all of who practice with the same area of specialization.

Values in text format:

193200000X, Multi-Specialty Group

193400000X, Single Specialty Group