Appointment Types

There are many types of appointments used in the WIC MIS program. There are seven basic appointment types.

1. **N**: New appointment
2. **R**: Recertification appointment
3. **M**: Mid-Certification Health Assessment and Breastfeeding Check-up
4. **F**: Follow-up appointment
5. **G**: Group appointment
6. **PU**: Food instrument pick-up appointment
7. **_ R**: Any appointment type followed by **R** is a remote appointment

Tips:

- **N**ew, **R**ecertification, and **M**id-certification appointments are followed by one or two letters to identify the participants WIC Category. For example, "MC" is the code for **M**id-certification **C**hild.
- Remote appointments end in an **R**.
  For example, MCR is a **M**id-Certification appointment for a **C**hild done **R**emotely.
- Appointment requests made for the auto-scheduler are followed by an **-r** on the Family Appointment Record (FAR) and Family Summary Screen (FSS).

Appt Type Code Remote code	Appt Type Name	WIC Category	Other Information
Appointment Types and Descriptions			
AA AAR	**A**ny **A**ppointment	All	An available appointment slot that has not been designated as a specific appointment type.
NN NNR	A**n**y **N**ew	All	Generic appointment type for new enrollments
RR RRR	Any Recert	All	Generic appointment type for recertifications (recert)
NP NPR	**N**ew **P**regnant Woman Certification	WP	
NC NCR	**N**ew **C**hild cert.	C	
NW NWR	**N**ew postpartum **W**oman cert.	WE, WB, WN	
NI NIR	**N**ew **I**nfant cert	IE, IB, IN	
RC RCR	**R**ecert **C**hild	C	

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RI RIR	**R**ecert **I**nfant	IE, IB, IN	
RM RMR	**R**ecert Postpartu**m** Appointment – Woman Only	WN	This appointment type can be used for a postpartum participant who has experienced a miscarriage, or for a postpartum participant who currently doesn't have their infant with them (e.g. in hospital or in foster care). It is used to support trauma-informed services.
RP RPR	**R**ecert **P**ostpartum Participant	WP, WE, WB, WN	This is for a participant certified during pregnancy and is due for their **six-week** postpartum visit. **The participant's category may have been changed in the system, but they have not been recertified for the postpartum category.**

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MI MIR	Infant 6 to 8 Month Check-up	IE, IB, IN	This appointment is required to complete a **M**id-Certification (Mid-Cert) Health Assessment for **I**nfants who are enrolled in WIC before the age of 5 months and are already certified through their first birthday.
MW MWR	WIC Breastfeeding Check-up	WE, WB	Use to coordinate required NE for a BF **W**oman certified through their infant's first birthday with the infant's **M**id-Certification Health Assessment appointment.
MC MCR	**M**id-cert check-up for **C**hildren	C	Required appointment for the **M**id-Certification Health Assessment for **C**hildren at the 6 month point in their certification period.

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PU PUR	Benefit issuance **P**ick-**U**p	All	Used for picking up eWIC card, Farm Direct Vouchers, providing proofs or similar activities. This also applies to remote appointments.
IE IER	**I**ndividual Quarterly Nutrition **E**ducation (NE) contact	All	This appointment type is used for an individual quarterly NE contact.
F1 F1R	**F**ollow-up type **1**	All	Defined by each local agency
F2 F2R	**F**ollow-up type **2**	All	Defined by each local agency
F3 F3R	**F**ollow-up type **3**	All	Defined by each local agency

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FD FDR	**F**ollow-up with the **D**ietitian	All	Use for an individual follow-up appointment with a dietitian. This appointment type is optional.
GE GER	**G**roup **E**ducation	All	Group education conducted online or in person. This will be followed by the class topic. Such as "GE iron."
GS GSR	**G**roup **S**creening	All	Used for group screenings. A "group code" follows to identify what type of group screening. The "group code" is the type of appointment the group screening meets, such as "new child certification."

Resource:

TWIST Manual, Chapter 4, Section 4, Lesson: Understanding Appointment Types (https://www.oregon.gov/oha/PH/HEALTHYPEOPLEFAMILIES/WIC/Pages/twist.aspx)