

## eProtocols.02 - Protocol Age Category

## Definition

The age group the protocol is written to address.

National Element	No	Pertinent Negatives (PN)	No
State Element	Yes	NOT Values	Yes
Version 2 Element		Is Nillable	Yes
Usage	Recommended	Recurrence	0 : 1

## Associated Performance Measure Initiatives

Airway    Cardiac Arrest    Pediatric    Response    STEMI    Stroke    Trauma

## Attributes

**NOT Values (NV)**

7701001 - Not Applicable

7701003 - Not Recorded

7701005 - Not Reporting

## Code List

**Code      Description**

3602001    Adult Only

3602003    General

3602005    Pediatric Only

## Data Element Comment

Protocols are grouped into Airway, Environmental, Exposure, General, Injury, Medical, and OB/GYN. -There is a new data element to indicate whether the protocol is Adult, Pediatric, or General (both).

## Version 3 Changes Implemented

Added to better document protocol use.

## Associated Validation Rules

Rule ID	Level	Message
nemSch_e001	Error	When Protocol Age Category is empty, it should have a Not Value (Not Applicable, Not Recorded, or Not Reporting, if allowed for the element) or a Pertinent Negative (if allowed for the element), or it should be omitted (if the element is optional).
nemSch_e002	Error	When Protocol Age Category has a Not Value (Not Applicable, Not Recorded, or Not Reporting), it should be empty.