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1 Common Data Types

1.1 Date

FASAMS accepts multiple date formats. The allowed formats can be expressed as either:

- YYYY<separator>MM<separator>DD

OR

- MM<separator>DD<separator>YYYY

WHERE:

<separator> can be either:

- a dot (i.e. ".")
- a dash (i.e. "-")
- a slash (i.e. "/")
- a space (i.e. " ")

AND:

- The length of the element is either 8, 9, or 10 characters.
- MM and DD can either have a leading zero or not.
- The date value is an actual calendar date.

Examples of Valid Date Formats

YYYY.MM.DD	MM.DD.YYYY
YYYY-MM-DD	MM-DD-YYYY
YYYY/MM/DD	MM/DD/YYYY
YYYY MM DD	MM DD YYYY

Example Valid Values:

1.15.2017	01.15.2017	2017.1.15	2017.01.15
1-15-2017	01-15-2017	2017-1-15	2017-01-15
1/15/2017	01/15/2017	2017/1/15	2017/01/15
1 15 2017	01 15 2017	2017 1 15	2017 01 15

Example Invalid Values:

1152017	1512017	01152017	2/31/2017
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1.2 Pseudo Social Security Number

FASAMS accepts any pseudo social security number in the following format:

1. XXX#####

WHERE:

- X represents any alpha-numeric character
- # represents any numeric character

Additionally, the following guidance is provided to help the submitting entity form the pseudo SSN, however this information is not validated in FASAMS.

Position	Guidance
1	First Initial
2	Middle Initial (X if no middle name)
3	Last Initial
4-5	Month of Birth [01-12]
6-7	Day of Birth [01-31] Note: If the pseudo SSN is already in use, alter the two digits of the Birth Day to a number greater than 31.
8-9	Year of Birth [00-99]

1.3 Time

FASAMS expects all time fields to be sent in the following format:

1. HHMM

WHERE:

- HH is the 2 digit hour in 24 hour format.
- MM is the 2 digit minute.