

Question

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## ERROR #9406: Unexpected format for value of field, alternateId, using class base mapping

Getting the error "ERROR #9406: Unexpected format for value of field, alternateId, using class base mapping" in the trace. I have it defined as:

```
Class CDSM.MemberAPI.Response2 Extends (%Persistent, %XML.Adaptor, %JSON.Adaptor) [ Language =  
objectsript ]  
{ Property alternateId As %String;  
  
Property benefitPlanId As %String;
```

and the reply is sending:

```
[  
{  
"alternateId": "",  
"benefitPlanId": "FLSN4444",
```

Is there a way to handle the empty fields in the reply that is sent back?

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Product version: IRIS 2020.1

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Source

URL: <https://community.intersystems.com/post/error-9406-unexpected-format-value-field-alternateid-using-class-base-mapping>