

Person—geographic location, community services code (ASGC 2004) NNNNN

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Geographic location - SLA
METEOR identifier:	270315
Registration status:	Community Services (retired) , Superseded 02/05/2006
Definition:	The geographical location of a person using a five-digit numerical code which indicates the Statistical Local Area (SLA) within the State or Territory of Australia.
Data Element Concept:	Person—geographic location
Value Domain:	Community services geographical location code (ASGC 2004) NNNNN

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Classification scheme:	Australian Standard Geographical Classification 2004	
Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	String	
Format:	NNNNN	
Maximum character length:	5	
	Value	Meaning
Supplementary values:	00000	Not applicable

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	<p>Details on which edition was used in a particular data set should be included in the documentation of metadata accompanying that data set. Coding to ASGC codes is preferably done using the ABS National Localities Index, to map actual address. In some data collections, a compromise has to be made and the ASGC code derived from suburb/town/locality and Postcode-Australian only. However, this solution results in some inaccuracy of information.</p> <p>The accurate recording of the state or territory is essential.</p> <p>CODE 00000 Not applicable</p> <p>Used for national reporting purposes in instances where the person is not resident in Australia, that is, the person lives in another country, or at sea, or has no fixed address.</p>
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Source and reference attributes

Origin:	Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS)
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Relational attributes

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