Identifier geographic/administrative scope code A

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 270658 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005 |
| Definition: | A code set representing the geographical or administrative coverage of an identifier. |

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| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | A |
| Maximum character length: | 1 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | L | Local |
|   | A | Area/region/district |
|   | S  | State or territory  |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | CODE L     LocalThis code is for an identifier that is applicable only inside the issuing health care establishmentCODE A     Area/region/districtThis code is for an identifier that is applicable to:* all the area/region/district health care services but not across all services in the state or territory; or
* all of a specific health care service (e.g. community mental health) in an area/region/district health care services but not across all those services in the state or territory

CODE S     State or territoryThis code is for identifiers that are applicable across all state or territory health care services. |

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| Relational attributes  |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Person (identifier)—identifier type, geographic/administrative scope code A](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270053)[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Retired 20/03/2013 |