

Address—road suffix, street suffix code A[A]

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Road suffix
Synonymous names:	Street suffix code; Road suffix code
METEOR identifier:	429869
Registration status:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Community Services (retired), Standard 06/02/2012• Disability, Standard 13/08/2015• Health, Standard 05/10/2016

Definition: The abbreviation used to represent a road or thoroughfare applicable to the address site or complex, as represented by a code.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	Address—road suffix
METEOR identifier:	429866
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Object class: [Address](#)

Property: [Road suffix](#)

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
Origin:	Standards Australia 2006. AS 4590—2006 Interchange of client information. Sydney: Standards Australia.

Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	Street suffix code A[A]
METEOR identifier:	270616

Registration status:

- [Community Services \(retired\)](#), Standard 30/09/2005
- [Disability](#), Standard 13/08/2015
- [Health](#), Standard 01/03/2005

Definition: A code set representing a street suffix.

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: String

Format: A[A]

Maximum character length: 2

Permissible values:

Value	Meaning
CN	Central
E	East
EX	Extension
LR	Lower
N	North
NE	North East
NW	North West
S	South
SE	South East
SW	South West
UP	Upper
W	West

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: The recommended code description is the list of standard Road suffix abbreviations in AS/NZS 4819.

For postal purposes the abbreviated Road code should be used.

Usage Example:

BROWNS ROAD WEST

In this case the Road name is BROWNS, the Road type is RD and the Road suffix is W

This data element is one of a number of items that can be used to create a primary address, as recommended by the AS 4590-2006 *Interchange of client information* standard. Components of the primary address are:

- Address site (or Primary complex) name
- Address number or number range
- Road name (name/type/suffix)
- Locality
- State/Territory
- Postcode (optional)
- Country (if applicable).

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
Origin: Standards Australia 2006. AS 4590—2006 Interchange of client information. Sydney: Standards Australia.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes [Person \(address\)—street suffix, code A\[A\]](#)

- [Community Services \(retired\)](#), Superseded 06/02/2012
- [Health](#), Superseded 05/10/2016

Supersedes [Service provider organisation \(address\)—street suffix, code A\[A\]](#)

- [Community Services \(retired\)](#), Superseded 06/02/2012
- [Health](#), Superseded 05/10/2016

Is used in the formation of [Address—address line, text X\[X\(179\)\]](#)

- [ACT Health \(retired\)](#), Candidate 02/01/2019
- [Early Childhood](#), Standard 24/07/2018
- [Health](#), Standard 13/03/2015
- [Housing assistance](#), Standard 10/05/2019
- [Indigenous](#), Standard 13/03/2015

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Address components cluster](#)
[Health](#), Standard 05/10/2016

[Address details data dictionary](#)
[Community Services \(retired\)](#), Standard 06/02/2012
[Disability](#), Standard 13/08/2015

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