Address—Australian state/territory identifier, code AA[A]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Australian state/territory identifier of address
Synonymous names:	State/territory code
METEOR identifier:	430134
Registration status:	Aged Care, Standard 30/06/2023 Community Services (retired), Standard 06/02/2012 Disability, Standard 07/10/2014 Early Childhood, Superseded 15/08/2023 Health, Superseded 18/12/2019 WA Health, Standard 19/03/2015
Definition:	An identifier of the state or territory of an address, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Address—Australian state/territory identifier
Value Domain:	Australian state/territory of address code AA[A]

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	String
Format:	AA[A]
Maximum character length:	3

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	NSW	New South Wales
	VIC	Victoria
	QLD	Queensland
	SA	South Australia
	WA	Western Australia
	TAS	Tasmania
	NT	Northern Territory
	ACT	Australian Capital Territory
	AAT	Australian Antarctic Territory

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	These Australian state/territory codes are used for addressing purposes only. The codes are listed in the order commonly used for statistical reporting by ABS and used in the National Standard for Australian state/territory identifier.

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.

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: 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Related metadata references: Has been superseded by Address—Australian state/territory identifier, code AA[A]
Aged Care, Standard 30/06/2023
Australian Teacher Workforce Data Oversight Board, Standard 30/08/2022
Early Childhood, Standard 15/08/2023
Health, Standard 18/12/2019
Indigenous, Standard 14/07/2021

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

Address components cluster
Health, Standard 05/10/2016

Address details cluster
Health, Superseded 18/12/2019
Implementation start date: 01/07/2016

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

Collection of locality, postcode and state/territory for SEIFA cluster
Early Childhood, Superseded 24/07/2018
Health, Standard 29/08/2014

Collection of locality, postcode and state/territory for SEIFA cluster
Early Childhood, Standard 24/07/2018

Funding jurisdiction cluster
Community Services (retired), Standard 13/03/2013
Disability, Standard 07/10/2014

Juvenile Justice Order file cluster
Community Services (retired), Standard 14/09/2009
Implementation start date: 24/09/2009

Provider place of practice cluster
Health, Standard 05/10/2016
Conditional obligation:

To be used if Individual service provider—country of employment in registered profession, Australia/other country code N equals 1.

Public hospital establishment address details DSS

Health, Superseded 04/08/2016
Implementation end date: 30/06/2016

Socio-Economic Indexes for Areas (SEIFA) (2016 Census, ASGS 2016) cluster
Early Childhood, Superseded 15/08/2023
Health, Standard 06/09/2018

WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection (NAPAAWL DC) 2013-14
WA Health, Standard 19/03/2015
DSS specific information:

Australian state/territory identifier is collected in the NAPAAWL DC against the data item:

PER_ADDRESS_STATE_CODE

In the NAPAAWL DC, this data item does not have a code for Australian Antarctic Territory. However, it does have the following supplementary values within the NAPAAWL DC:

OTH Other Territories

UNK Unknown

WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection (NAPAAWL DC) 2014-15
WA Health, Standard 24/04/2015
DSS specific information:

Australian state/territory identifier is collected in the NAPAAWL DC against the data item:

PER_ADDRESS_STATE_CODE

In the NAPAAWL DC, this data item does not have a code for Australian Antarctic Territory; however it does have the following supplementary values within the NAPAAWL DC:

- OTH Other Territories
- UNK Unknown.

WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection (NAPAAWL DC) 2016-17
WA Health, Standard 30/05/2017
DSS specific information:

Australian state/territory identifier is collected in the NAPAAWL DC against the data item:

PER_ADDRESS_STATE_CODE

In the NAPAAWL DC, this data item does not have a code for Australian Antarctic Territory. It does have the following supplementary values within the NAPAAWL DC:

- OTH Other Territories
- UNK Unknown.

Implementation in Indicators:

Used as Disaggregation
National Disability Agreement: d(1)-Proportion of the potential population who used State/Territory delivered disability support services, 2013
Community Services (retired), Standard 23/05/2013
Disability, Standard 13/08/2015

National Disability Agreement: d(3)-Proportion of the potential population who used Australian Disability Enterprises (Supported Employment), 2013
Community Services (retired), Standard 23/05/2013
Disability, Standard 13/08/2015