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

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Establishment state/territory identifier |
| METEOR identifier: | 698008 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Qualified 06/07/2023 |
| Definition: | An identifier of the Australian state or territory in which an establishment is located, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Establishment—Australian state/territory identifier](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/722659) |
| Value Domain: | [Australian state or territory code AA[A]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/698038) |

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| 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 |
|  | EXT | Other territories (Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Christmas Island and Jervis Bay Territory) |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | The order presented here is the standard for the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS). Other organisations (including the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare) publish data in state order based on population (that is, Western Australia before South Australia and Australian Capital Territory before Northern Territory). |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | This metadata item applies to the location of the establishment. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Relational attributes | |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Prison establishments NBEDS 2018](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/696656)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Qualified 07/03/2024  ***DSS specific information:***  This data element corresponds to the following question of the Prison Establishment Form:  3. State or Territory.  In the Prison Establishments NBEDS the code 'EXT' is not collected.  [Prison establishments NBEDS 2022](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/768954)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Qualified 06/07/2023  ***DSS specific information:***  This data element corresponds to the following question of the Prison Establishment form:  3. State or Territory  In the Prison Establishments NBEDS the code 'EXT' is not collected. |