

Australian state/territory code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Value Domain
METEOR identifier:	718228
Registration status:	Australian Teacher Workforce Data Oversight Board , Standard 30/08/2022 Children and Families , Standard 03/11/2021 Health , Standard 20/11/2019 Indigenous , Standard 14/07/2021 Youth Justice , Standard 15/02/2022
Definition:	The code set representing Australian states and territories.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N	
Maximum character length:	1	
Permissible values:	Value	Meaning
	1	New South Wales
	2	Victoria
	3	Queensland
	4	South Australia
	5	Western Australia
	6	Tasmania
	7	Northern Territory
	8	Australian Capital Territory
	9	Other territories (Cocos (Keeling) Islands, Christmas Island and Jervis Bay Territory)

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
Reference documents:	ABS (Australian Bureau of Statistics) 2016. Australian Statistical Geography Standard (ASGS). Cat No. 1270.0. ABS, Canberra. Viewed 19 July 2019, https://www.abs.gov.au/AUSSTATS/abs@.nsf/Lookup/1270.0.55.001Main+Features10018July%202016?OpenDocument

Relational attributes

**Related metadata
references:**

Supersedes [Australian state/territory code N](#)
[Children and Families](#), Superseded 03/11/2021
[Community Services \(retired\)](#), Standard 03/08/2005
[Early Childhood](#), Standard 21/05/2010
[Health](#), Superseded 20/11/2019
[Homelessness](#), Standard 01/05/2013
[Housing assistance](#), Standard 03/08/2005
[Indigenous](#), Superseded 14/07/2021
[Youth Justice](#), Qualified 22/12/2022

Has been superseded by [Australian state/territory code N](#)
[Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](#), Recorded 25/03/2024
[Health](#), Recorded 23/04/2024
[Indigenous](#), Qualified 17/04/2024

See also [ACT-prioritised Australian state/territory code AA\[A\]](#)
[Commonwealth Department of Health](#), Retired 19/10/2023

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**Data elements
implementing this value
domain:**

[Address—Australian state/territory identifier, code N](#)
[Australian Teacher Workforce Data Oversight Board](#), Standard 30/08/2022

[Birth event—state/territory of birth, code N](#)
[Health](#), Standard 20/11/2019

[Establishment—Australian state/territory identifier, code N](#)
[Health](#), Standard 18/12/2019

[Person—Australian state/territory identifier, code N](#)
[Children and Families](#), Standard 03/11/2021
[Health](#), Standard 16/01/2020
[Youth Justice](#), Standard 15/02/2022

[Service provider organisation—Australian state/territory identifier, code N](#)
[Health](#), Standard 16/01/2020
[Indigenous](#), Standard 14/07/2021