

Event location—location type, sports/exercise code N[N]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Type of sports/exercise location
METEOR identifier:	777358
Registration status:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare , Recorded 09/08/2023
Definition:	The type of physical place where a sports/exercise event occurs, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Event location—location type
Value Domain:	Sports/exercise location type code N[N]

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	N[N]
Maximum character length:	2

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Court
	2	Field
	3	Track and field venue
	4	Combat sport venue
	5	Racing track
	6	Target range
	7	Specialised sports venue
	8	Swimming facility
	9	Fitness centre
	10	Gymnasium
	11	Ice rink
	12	Snow sports area
	13	Skate-boarding/in-line skating facility
	14	Dance venue
	15	Billiards, pool, snooker venue
	16	Multi use venue
	18	River
	20	Lake
	21	Ocean/Sea
	88	Other
Supplementary values:	98	Unknown

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:

CODE 1 Court

Includes tennis, basketball, netball, squash and volleyball.

CODE 2 Field

Includes playing areas given special names such as pitch, oval, ground and diamond.

Includes Australian football, soccer, rugby league, rugby union, cricket, hockey, baseball and softball.

CODE 4 Combat sport venue

Includes boxing venue, dojo and other combat sport venue.

CODE 5 Racing track

Includes velodrome or other cycling track, motor-sport track and horse racing track.

CODE 6 Target range

Includes shooting (all types of firearms) and archery.

CODE 7 Swimming facility

CODE 8 Specialised sports venue

Includes golf course, tenpin bowling venue, lawn bowls and climbing venue.

CODE 16 Multi use venue

Includes: places normally used for two or more sports at the same time (e.g., sporting complexes) and multipurpose venues.

Includes places used for sport and for recreation (eg many swimming pools)

CODE 88 Other

Includes: places not primarily intended for sport or recreation.

Comments:

The following codes have been deleted from previous versions of the list of permissible values and are not to be reused:

- 17 (formerly Other)
- 19 (formerly Unspecified).

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Comments:

Includes places used by more than one sport with very similar requirements, or for which the place is modified from time to time (e.g., a field used for one sport in summer and another in winter).

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Australian Sports Injury Data Dictionary](#)
[Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](#), Recorded 09/08/2023

DSS specific information:

Select the code which best characterises the type of the recreation place where the person was situated when the injury occurred on the basis of the information available at the time it is recorded. If two or more categories are judged to be equally appropriate, select the one that comes first in the code list.

Where the location is used by more than one sport with very similar requirements, or for which the place is modified from time to time (e.g., a field used for one sport in summer and another in winter), record according to the use of the venue when the injury occurred.