

# Service provider organisation—geographic location, community services code (ASGC 2004) NNNNN

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Geographic location - SLA
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	270321
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Community Services (retired)</a> , Superseded 29/04/2006
<b>Definition:</b>	The geographical location of an agency using a five-digit numerical code which indicates the <a href="#">Statistical Local Area (SLA)</a> within the State or Territory of Australia.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Service provider organisation—geographic location</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Community services geographical location code (ASGC 2004) NNNNN</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Classification scheme:</b>	<a href="#">Australian Standard Geographical Classification 2004</a>	
<b>Representation class:</b>	Code	
<b>Data type:</b>	String	
<b>Format:</b>	NNNNN	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	5	
	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	00000	Not applicable

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:** Details on which edition was used in a particular data set should be included in the documentation of metadata accompanying that data set. Coding to ASGC codes is preferably done using the ABS National Localities Index, to map actual address. In some data collections, a compromise has to be made and the ASGC code derived from suburb/town/locality and Postcode-Australian only. However, this solution results in some inaccuracy of information.

The accurate recording of the state or territory is essential.

Code 00000, Not applicable, is used for national reporting purposes in instances where the person is not resident in Australia, that is, the person lives in another country, or at sea, or has no fixed address.

## Source and reference attributes


**Origin:** Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS)

## Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:**

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