

Address—physical address indicator, yes/no code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Physical address indicator
Synonymous names:	Physical address type code
METEOR identifier:	428950
Registration status:	Community Services (retired) , Standard 06/02/2012 Housing assistance , Standard 01/05/2013 Disability , Standard 13/08/2015 Health! , Standard 05/10/2016
Definition:	An indicator of whether an address reflects a geographical place, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Address—physical address indicator
Value Domain:	Yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Yes
	2	No
Supplementary values:	9	Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	CODE 9 Not stated/inadequately described This code is not for use in primary data collections.
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Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:

CODE 1 Yes

The address is a physical address and reflects a geographical place, e.g. a property.

CODE 2 No

The address is a virtual address, e.g. a PO Box.

The address type code can only exist if an associated address has been entered.

Usage Examples:

12 Smith St (physical address)

PO Box 123 (virtual address)

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

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Address details data dictionary](#)
[Community Services \(retired\)](#), Standard 06/02/2012
[Disability](#), Standard 13/08/2015[Address group cluster](#)
[Health](#), Standard 05/10/2016[Community housing and Indigenous community housing service provider organisation address details cluster](#)
[Housing assistance](#), Standard 01/05/2013
[Indigenous](#), Standard 01/05/2013