

Urban Centre

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Definition: A population cluster of 1,000 or more people.

Context: Urban Centres, together with Localities, make up the Urban Centre/Locality (UC/L) structure maintained by the Australian Bureau of Statistics (ABS) as part of the Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC).

A [Locality](#) is a population cluster of between 200 and 999 people. For statistical purposes, people living in Urban Centres are classified as urban while those in Localities are classified as rural.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Reference documents: ABS cat. no. 2909.0. Statistical Geography: Volume 3 - Australian Standard Geographical Classification (ASGC) Urban Centres/Localities, Australia, 2006. Canberra: Australian Bureau of Statistics

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Has been superseded by [Urban Centre and Locality Health!](#), Standard 06/09/2018
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[Admitted patient care NMDS 2013-14](#)

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[Housing assistance](#), Standard 30/08/2017

[Indigenous community housing DSS 2014-](#)

[Housing assistance](#), Recorded 12/05/2016

[Indigenous Community Housing DSS 2018-](#)

[Housing assistance](#), Standard 10/05/2019

[Locality](#)

[Commonwealth Department of Health](#), Qualified 23/09/2015

[Health!](#), Superseded 06/09/2018

[Medical indemnity NBPDS 2014-](#)

[Health!](#), Standard 21/11/2013

[National Bowel Cancer Screening Program NBEDS 2014-18](#)

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[Health!](#), Superseded 21/11/2013

[Housing assistance](#), Standard 01/05/2013

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