Australian postcode code (Postcode datafile) NNNN

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Value Domain
METEOR identifier:	611391
Registration status:	Health!, Standard 05/10/2016
	Disability, Standard 15/12/2017
	Indigenous, Standard 27/02/2018
	Commonwealth Department of Social Services (retired), Standard 20/06/2018
	Early Childhood, Standard 24/07/2018
	Homelessness, Standard 10/08/2018
	Children and Families, Standard 20/01/2021
	Youth Justice, Standard 15/02/2022
Definition:	The Postcode datafile code set representing Australian postcodes as defined by Australia Post.

Representational attributes

Classification scheme:	Postcode datafile
Representation class:	Code
Data type:	String
Format:	NNNN
Maximum character length:	4

	Value	Meaning
Supplementary values:	0097	Not applicable
	0098	Unknown
	0099	Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	CODE 0097 Not applicable
	This code should be used in circumstances where it is not applicable to record an Australian postcode, for example, when there is no fixed address, or when an international (non-Australian) postcode is supplied.

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Supersedes Australian postcode code (Postcode datafile) {NNNN}
	Children and Families, Superseded 20/01/2021
	Commonwealth Department of Health , Standard 14/10/2015
	Community Services (retired), Standard 06/02/2012
	Disability, Standard 07/10/2014
	Early Childhood, Superseded 24/07/2018
	Health!, Superseded 05/10/2016
	Homelessness, Superseded 10/08/2018
	Housing assistance, Standard 02/05/2013
	Independent Hospital Pricing Authority, Standard 31/10/2012
	Indigenous, Superseded 27/02/2018
	National Health Performance Authority (retired), Retired 01/07/2016
	WA Health, Standard 06/03/2014

Data elements implementing this value domain:

Address—Australian postcode, code (Postcode datafile) NNNN
Children and Families, Standard 20/01/2021
Commonwealth Department of Social Services (retired), Standard 20/06/2018
Disability, Standard 15/12/2017
Early Childhood, Standard 24/07/2018
Health!, Standard 05/10/2016
Homelessness, Standard 10/08/2018
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