

Dispatch Center Unit Identifier (current)(incident)

Status: Approved

Description

A unique identifier for a dispatch center currently responsible for supporting and managing the incident.

Business Rules

1. During exchange, if Dispatch Center is not supplied, then a value will be supplied by a geospatial lookup based on POO Latitude/Longitude.
2. For Fire Reporting systems with the role FireReporting only, if null on add or update, the exchange service will provide the value based on intersection of Jurisdictional Unit layer and POO Latitude/Longitude (as indicated by the x,y coordinates of the geometry shape object for the incident).
3. Only Unit ID values with a wildland fire role of 'Dispatch/Coordination Center' are allowed.

Identity & Classification

Label	Dispatch Center Unit Identifier (current)(incident)
Data Element Type	String Data Element
Case Sensitivity	Upper

CAD Required	Yes
Attribute Name	DispUnitID
Approval Status	Approved

Format Specifications

This data element has separate formatting rules depending on whether it is used for direct data entry, system-to-system data exchange, or as a geospatial attribute.

Data Entry

Format	CCC-SS-XXXX
Min/Max Length	9 / 11
Physical Data Type	Character
Format Notes	CC or CCC = Country Code SS = State Code XXX or XXXX = A code assigned to an organizational unit; with a trailing space for 3-character codes.
Example	US-AK-YTDC

Data Exchange

Exchange Name	DispatchCenterID
Format	CCCSSXXXX
Min/Max Length	7 / 9
Physical Data Type	Alphanumeric
Format Notes	CC or CCC = Country Code SS = State Code XXX or XXXX = A code assigned to an organizational unit; with a

	trailing space for 3-character codes
Example	USAKYTDC

Geospatial Attribute

Alternate Attribute Name	Disp_ID
Length	10 characters
Physical Data Type	Text
Example	USNMABC

Permissible Values

Valid Unit Identifier. This field must contain a value from the full NWCG Unit Identifier list, which is maintained separately and is too extensive to reproduce here.