



CODING SCHEME FOR HOUSING VULNERABILITY SURVEY

BUILDING

Age (estimated date of construction)		Status	Stories high
A	built since 1985	O	1, 2, 3+
B	built between 1975 and 1985	C	
C	built before 1975	V	

Access ease of access for patient on gurney or stretcher or for entry/exit of large appliances such as stove or fridge

E	easy access
M	moderate access
D	difficult access

Floor height of living area height in metres of **floor** of living area above ground level to the nearest 10 cm (slab is 0.3 m)

External walls

B	brick, masonry, stone
C	concrete block or pre-cast concrete
M	metal
F	fibro cement
T	timber
R	re-entrant or internal corners or dead spots (e.g. for embers to settle)

Windows

F	windows or glass doors fully protected e.g. from flying debris (security screen or cyclone shutters)
H	windows or glass doors half protected e.g. from flying debris
S	small windows or glass doors
L	large windows or glass doors (e.g. >75% of wall height)

Roof

F	fibre cement
T	tiles
C	concrete
M	metal

