

Code Group	Code	Description	Examples
Event			
	SpecificEvent	Something significant that happens at a specific time and place. Code title and description in concert, even if title does not contain event specifics.	Mount Pinatubo eruption on June 15, 1991 2008 State of the Union Hurricane Hugo
	GenericEvent	Use this code when the topic refers to more than one specific event or a class or type of event. Only use this code if every instance of the event type would be newsworthy (i.e., a specific event) and the central topic of a news article.	Earthquakes, volcano eruptions, elections, disputes, strikes
	IndirectEventReference	Apply this code to indicate when the topic might be indirectly referring to a *specific* event. Use only if you need to turn to external information to identify potential specific events (e.g., your personal knowledge, wikipedia). Do not use if specific event information is contained in the description.	Legally assisted suicide, related to Kevorkian controversy. Partial birth abortion ban, related to partial birth abortion ban legislation. Surrogacy related to Baby M.
	PeriodicEvent	Apply this code to indicate when an event is periodic, recurring at regular, predictable intervals.	Super bowl, Nobel awards, Oscars, State of the Union
	FutureEvent	Apply this code to indicate when a topic refers to a future predicted specific event.	2020 Fifa, 2016 Summer Olympics
Entities			
	PersonEntity	Apply this code to identify personal names in topics	President Bush; Sasha Cohen;
	PlaceEntity	Apply this code to identify places in topics. Limit to proper names. Use PlaceEntity for references to countries as event settings. Also apply to references to nations, governments or government bodies.	Peru; Africa; African; European; Atlanta
	OrganizationEntity	Apply this code to identify organizations in topics. Limit to proper names. Do not apply to references to governments or government bodies.	Hitachi Data Systems; U.S. Congress;
	OtherEntity	Apply this code to named entities that are not people, places or organizations. Limit to proper names. Includes movies, books., etc.	Hubble Telescope; The Avengers; Euro
Terms/Dates			
	ExplicitDate	Apply this code to identify explicit dates.	1988; June 15, 1991; October 2007; Monday
	TemporalLanguage	Apply this code to any language that indicates temporality	New, future, since, before, after.