

# Package: afrihealthsites (via r-universe)

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african\_country\_names *african country names and iso 3 letter country codes*

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## Description

african country names and iso 3 letter country codes

## Usage

afcountries

## Format

dataframe

An object of class `data.frame` with 53 rows and 2 columns.

## Slots

data dataframe

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africa\_healthsites     *africa healthsite points from healthsites.io*

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**Description**

africa healthsite points from healthsites.io

**Usage**

sf\_healthsites\_af

**Format**

sf

An object of class sf (inherits from tbl\_df, tbl, data.frame) with 56854 rows and 35 columns.

**Slots**

data healthsite points

**Source**

<https://www.healthsites.io>

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africa\_healthsites\_WHO  
*africa healthsite points from WHO*

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**Description**

africa healthsite points from WHO

**Usage**

df\_who\_sites

**Format**

dataframe

An object of class tbl\_df (inherits from tbl, data.frame) with 98745 rows and 12 columns.

**Slots**

data healthsite points

**Source**

<https://www.who.int/malaria/areas/surveillance/who-cds-gmp-2019-01-eng.xlsx>

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afrihealthsites

*afrihealthsites : healthsite locations for Africa*


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## Description

locations from WHO and healthsites.io. Part of afrimapr project.

returns healthsite locations for specified countries and optionally plots map

## Usage

```
afrihealthsites(
  country,
  datasource = "healthsites",
  plot = "mapview",
  hs_amenity = "all",
  who_type = "all",
  type_filter = "all",
  returnclass = "sf",
  type_column = "Facility Type",
  label_column = "Facility Name",
  lonlat_columns = c("Longitude", "Latitude"),
  admin_level = NULL,
  admin_names = NULL
)
```

## Arguments

country	a character vector of country names or iso3c character codes.
datasource	data source, 'healthsites' predownloaded, 'who', 'healthsites_live' needs API, 'hdx' not working yet
plot	option to display map 'mapview' for interactive, 'sf' for static
hs_amenity	filter healthsites data by amenity. 'all', 'clinic', 'dentist', 'doctors', 'pharmacy', 'hospital' to exclude dentist <code>hs_amenity=c('clinic', 'doctors', 'pharmacy', 'hospital')</code>
who_type	filter by Facility type
type_filter	filter by facility type (from the type_column, or internally defined for healthsites & who)
returnclass	'sf' or 'dataframe', currently 'dataframe' only offered for WHO so that can have points with no coords
type_column	for user provided files which column has information on type of site, default : 'Facility Type'
label_column	for user provided files which column has information on name of site, default : 'Facility Name'

lonlat\_columns for user provided files which columns contain longitude, latitude. option of NULL if no coords

admin\_level what admin level to filter regions from FALSE or NULL if no filtering

admin\_names names of admin regions to filter NULL if no filter

**Value**

sf

**See Also**

[afrihealthsites compare\\_hs\\_sources](#)

**Examples**

```
sfnga <- afrihealthsites("nigeria", datasource='who', plot='sf')

afrihealthsites('chad', datasource='who', plot='sf')
afrihealthsites('chad', datasource='healthsites', plot='sf')

sfnga <- afrihealthsites("nigeria", plot='mapview')

#to return raw dataframe for WHO data including any rows with no coordinates
dfzaf <- afrihealthsites("south africa", datasource='who', plot=FALSE, returnclass='dataframe')
#note that ISO 3 letter codes and country names with upper case letters can also be used
#afrihealthsites("ZAF")
#afrihealthsites("South Africa")

#filter healthsites data by amenity type
afrihealthsites('chad',datasource = 'healthsites', hs_amenity=c('clinic','hospital'))
#filter who data by Facility type
afrihealthsites('chad',datasource = 'who',who_type=c('Regional hospital','Health Centre'))

#filter by admin regions
afrihealthsites('togo', admin_level=1, admin_names=c('Maritime Region', 'Centrale Region'))
```

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check\_rhealthsites      *Check whether to install rhealthsites and install if necessary*

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**Description**

If the rhealthsites package is not installed, install it from GitLab using remotes.

**Usage**

```
check_rhealthsites()
```

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compare\_hs\_sources      *compare healthsite points from different sources for a country*

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### Description

main aim to plot map comparing different sources

### Usage

```
compare_hs_sources(
  country,
  datasources = c("healthsites", "who"),
  plot = "mapview",
  plotshow = TRUE,
  plotcex = c(6, 4),
  col.regions = list(RColorBrewer::brewer.pal(9, "YlGn"), RColorBrewer::brewer.pal(9,
    "BuPu")),
  alpha = c(0.1, 0.1),
  alpha.regions = c(0.7, 0.7),
  layer.names = NULL,
  plotlegend = TRUE,
  hs_amenity = "all",
  who_type = "all",
  canvas = FALSE,
  plotlabels1 = FALSE,
  plotlabels2 = FALSE,
  map.types = c("CartoDB.Positron", "OpenStreetMap.HOT"),
  type_column = "Facility Type",
  label_column = "Facility Name",
  lonlat_columns = c("Longitude", "Latitude"),
  admin_level = NULL,
  admin_names = NULL
)
```

### Arguments

country	a character vector of country names or iso3c character codes.
datasources	vector of 2 datasources from 'healthsites' predownloaded, 'who', 'healthsites_live' needs API, 'hdx' not working yet
plot	option to display map 'mapview' for interactive, 'sf' for static
plotshow	whether to show the plot, otherwiser just return plot object
plotcex	sizes of symbols for each source default=c(6,3), helps view symbol overlap
col.regions	list of two colour palettes to pass to mapview
alpha	list of two alphas to pass to mapview - low keeps borders light
alpha.regions	list of two alpha.regions to pass to mapview

layer.names	allow mapview layer.names to be set c('a','b')
plotlegend	whether to add legend to mapview plot
hs_amenity	filter healthsites data by amenity. 'all', 'clinic', 'dentist', 'doctors', 'pharmacy', 'hospital'
who_type	filter by Facility type
canvas	mapview plotting option, TRUE by default for better performance with larger data
plotlabels1	whether to add static labels for source1
plotlabels2	whether to add static labels for source2
map.types	optional specification of background map tiles for mapview, default c('CartoDB.Positron','OpenStreetMap')
type_column	just for user provided files which column has information on type of site, default : 'Facility Type'
label_column	just for user provided files which column has information on name of site, default : 'Facility Name'
lonlat_columns	for user provided files which columns contain longitude, latitude. option of NULL if no coords
admin_level	what admin level to filter regions from FALSE or NULL if no filtering
admin_names	names of admin regions to filter NULL if no filter

**Value**

sf

**Examples**

```
#compare_hs_sources("nigeria", datasources=c('who', 'healthsites'), plot='mapview')
#compare_hs_sources(c('malawi', 'zambia'))

#filter by admin regions
compare_hs_sources('togo', admin_level=1, admin_names=c('Maritime Region', 'Centrale Region'))
```

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country2iso

*conversion from country names to iso3c code*


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**Description**

#todo vectorise

**Usage**

country2iso(country)

**Arguments**

country            a character vector of country names

**Value**

character vector of iso3c codes

**Examples**

```
iso3c <- country2iso("nigeria")
```

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facility_types	<i>get &amp; plot freq of facility types for a country</i>
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**Description**

get & plot freq of facility types for a country

**Usage**

```
facility_types(
  country,
  datasource = "healthsites",
  datasource_title = NULL,
  type_filter = "all",
  type_column = "Facility Type",
  label_column = "Facility Name",
  brewer_palette = "BuPu",
  lonlat_columns = c("Longitude", "Latitude"),
  admin_level = NULL,
  admin_names = NULL,
  plot_title = "default",
  plot = TRUE
)
```

**Arguments**

country            a character vector of country names or iso3c character codes.

datasource        data source, 'healthsites' predownloaded, 'who', 'healthsites\_live' needs API, 'hdx' not working yet

datasource\_title   optional title for datasource to be used in plots - particularly if a filename has been passed for datasource

type\_filter        filter by facility type - will depend on the data source



type_column	just for user provided files which column has information on type of site, default : 'Facility Type'
label_column	just for user provided files which column has information on name of site, default : 'Facility Name'
brewer_palette	ColorBrewer palette default 'BuPu',
lonlat_columns	just for user provided files which columns contain longitude, latitude
admin_level	what admin level to filter regions from FALSE or NULL if no filtering
admin_names	names of admin regions to filter NULL if no filter
plot_title	title for plot, 'default', string or NULL for no title
plot	whether to display plot

**Value**

ggplot2 object

**Examples**

```

ggnga <- facility_types("nigeria", datasource='who')

facility_types('chad', datasource='who')
facility_types('chad', datasource='healthsites')

#filter healthsites data by amenity type
facility_types('chad',datasource = 'healthsites', type_filter=c('clinic','hospital'))
#filter who data by Facility type
facility_types('chad',datasource = 'who', type_filter=c('Regional hospital','Health Centre'))

# from an sf object
data(sfssd)
ggssd <- facility_types("south sudan",
                        datasource=sfssd,
                        type_column = "type")

# using consistent 9 class facility types for WHO data, specify type_column='facility_type_9'
facility_types('all', datasource='who', type_column='facility_type_9')

```

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install\_rhealthsites *Install the rhealthsites package after checking with the user*

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**Description**

Install the rhealthsites package after checking with the user

**Usage**

```
install_rhealthsites()
```

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iso2country	<i>conversion from iso3c code to country names</i>
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**Description**

#todo vectorise

**Usage**

```
iso2country(iso3c)
```

**Arguments**

iso3c            a character vector of country codes

**Value**

character vector of country names

**Examples**

```
name <- iso2country("nga")
```

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merge_points	<i>merge healthsite points from different sources for a country</i>
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**Description**

IN DEVELOPMENT aim is to identify and remove duplicates first version just tests distance, between points in layer1 and 2 BUT problem maybe that there are points in each layer that are duplicates too may want to move this to separate package later

**Usage**

```
merge_points(  
  country,  
  datasources = c("healthsites", "who"),  
  hs_amenity = c("clinic", "doctors", "pharmacy", "hospital"),  
  dist_same_m = 50,  
  toreturn = "summary"  
)
```

**Arguments**

country	a character vector of country names or iso3c character codes.
datasources	vector of 2 datasources from 'healthsites' predownloaded, 'who', 'healthsites_live' needs API, 'hdx' not working yet
hs_amenity	filter healthsites data by amenity. 'all', 'clinic', 'dentist', 'doctors', 'pharmacy', 'hospital' to exclude dentist hs_amenity=c('clinic', 'doctors', 'pharmacy', 'hospital')
dist_same_m	distance below which a site from source 1 and 2 is considered same
toreturn	whether to return 'summary' or the merged 'sf' object

**Value**

sf

**Examples**

```
#merge_points("nigeria", datasources=c('who', 'healthsites'), plot='mapview')
#merge_points(c('malawi', 'zambia'))
```

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nameof_labcol	<i>name of label column according to datasource</i>
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**Description**

name of label column according to datasource

**Usage**

```
nameof_labcol(datasource, label_column)
```

**Arguments**

datasource	vector of 2 datasources from 'healthsites' predownloaded, 'who', 'healthsites_live' needs API, 'hdx' not working yet
label_column	just for user provided files which column has information on name of site, default : 'Facility Name'

**Value**

character column name

**Examples**

```
nameof_labcol('who')
```

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nameof_zcol	<i>name of z column according to datasource</i>
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**Description**

name of z column according to datasource

**Usage**

```
nameof_zcol(datasource, type_column = NULL)
```

**Arguments**

datasource	'healthsites' predownloaded, 'who', 'healthsites_live' needs API, 'hdx' not working yet
type_column	just for user provided files which column has information on type of site, default : 'Facility Type'

**Value**

character column name

**Examples**

```
nameof_zcol('who')
```

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national_list_avail	<i>availability of a national master facility list by country</i>
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**Description**

returns data availability dataframe for 'all' countries or 1 row for a single country TODO add calculation of stats on numbers of countries satisfying criteria

**Usage**

```
national_list_avail(country = "all")
```

**Arguments**

country	'all' (default) or a single country name or iso3c character code.
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**Value**

dataframe or single value

**Examples**

```
national_list_avail('Togo')
```

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national_list_url	<i>data url for national master facility lists by country</i>
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**Description**

returns urls for 'all' available countries or url for a single country

**Usage**

```
national_list_url(country = "all")
```

**Arguments**

country            'all' (default) or a single country name or iso3c character code.

**Value**

dataframe or single value

**Examples**

```
national_list_url('South Sudan')

#example of reading in data direct from a url and mapping
#will only work for countries where "machine_readable" is TRUE
#dfgha <- read.csv(national_list_url("Ghana"))
#sfgha <- sf::st_as_sf(dfgha, coords=c("Longitude","Latitude"), crs=4326, na.fail=FALSE)
#mapview::mapview(sfgha, zcol='Type')
#afrihealthsites('gha',datasource=sfgha, type_column='Type')
#compare_hs_sources("ghana", datasources=list(sfgha,"who"), type_column='Type')
#3756 facilities from mfl
#facility_types('gha',datasource=sfgha, type_column='Type')
#1878 facilities in who-kemri data
#facility_types('gha',datasource='who', type_column='Type')

#to return a dataframe with all countries that have urls
national_list_url()
```

---

near_points	<i>find near points for a country initially in one datasource</i>
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**Description**

IN DEVELOPMENT aim is to help identify and remove duplicates

**Usage**

```
near_points(
  country,
  datasources = c("healthsites", "who"),
  hs_amenity = c("clinic", "doctors", "pharmacy", "hospital"),
  dist_same_m = 50,
  toreturn = "summary"
)
```

**Arguments**

country	a character vector of country names or iso3c character codes.
datasources	vector of 2 datasources from 'healthsites' predownloaded, 'who', 'healthsites_live' needs API, 'hdx' not working yet
hs_amenity	filter healthsites data by amenity. 'all', 'clinic', 'dentist', 'doctors', 'pharmacy', 'hospital' to exclude dentist hs_amenity=c('clinic', 'doctors', 'pharmacy', 'hospital')
dist_same_m	distance below which a site from source 1 and 2 is considered same
toreturn	whether to return 'summary' or the merged 'sf' object

**Value**

sf

**Examples**

```
#near_points("burundi", datasources=c('who', 'healthsites'), plot='mapview')
```

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runviewer	<i>to run the shiny web application.</i>
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**Description**

to run the shiny web application.

**Usage**

```
runviewer()
```

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south_sudan_moh	<i>south sudan health facility points from moh</i>
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**Description**

south sudan health facility points from moh

**Usage**

sfssd

**Format**

sf

An object of class sf (inherits from data.frame) with 2889 rows and 18 columns.

**Slots**

data health facility points

**Source**

<https://www.southsudanhealth.info/facility/fac.php?list&s=0&p=0&ps=2889>

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tiers4	<i>takes a vector of facility types and classes them into 4 tiers following Falchetta type definition</i>
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**Description**

to reclass facility types into a 4 tier classification, any types not passed will be classed as 0

**Usage**

```
tiers4(
  types,
  tier1 = NULL,
  tier2 = NULL,
  tier3 = NULL,
  tier4 = NULL,
  nametier0 = "Tier0 unknown",
  nametier1 = "Tier1 health post",
  nametier2 = "Tier2 health centre",
  nametier3 = "Tier3 provincial hospital",
  nametier4 = "Tier4 central hospital",
  to_return = "Tier"
)
```

**Arguments**

types	facility types, one per health facility as a vector
tier1	types to be classed as tier1
tier2	types to be classed as tier2
tier3	types to be classed as tier3
tier4	types to be classed as tier4
nametier0	name for tier0 i.e. when it isn't classed into other tiers
nametier1	name for tier1
nametier2	name for tier2
nametier3	name for tier3
nametier4	name for tier4
to_return	"Tier" or "Tier_name" potentially others later

**Value**

vector of numeric values or strings representing tiers

**Examples**

```
tiers4(c("a","b","c"), tier1=c("a","b"), tier2="c", to_return="Tier_name")
```

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who_type_lookup	<i>lookup table to convert 173 WHO facility types to 9 broad categories</i>
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**Description**

lookup table to convert 173 WHO facility types to 9 broad categories

**Usage**

```
who_type_lookup
```

**Format**

dataframe

An object of class `tbl_df` (inherits from `tbl`, `data.frame`) with 318 rows and 3 columns.

**Slots**

data who type lookup

**Source**

<https://link.springer.com/article/10.1186/s12916-019-1459-6>



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