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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Service request source |
| METEOR identifier: | 400747 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 25/01/2018  [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Standard 01/11/2012 |
| Definition: | The person or organisation that requests a service for a non-admitted patient from a healthcare provider, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Non-admitted patient service request—service request source](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/400745) |
| Value Domain: | [Service request source code N.N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/400737) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | String | |
| Format: | N.N | |
| Maximum character length: | 3 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | THIS HOSPITAL |  |
|  | 1.1 | Other outpatient clinic |
|  | 1.2 | Emergency department |
|  | 1.3 | Elsewhere in this hospital |
|  | 2.0 | Other hospital |
|  | NON-HOSPITAL |  |
|  | 3.1 | General practice |
|  | 3.2 | Specialist practice |
|  | 3.3 | Other non-hospital |
|  | 4.0 | Self |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | Service requests include both referral (e.g. a written referral from a general practitioner), and other informal requests for service (e.g. self-referral for an unplanned 'walk-in' service).  The service request should not be from another provider within the same outpatient clinic but from an organisation external to the outpatient clinic.  A client/patient may be referred (by Unit A) for services to an organisation that has multiple registered health service units. That client/patient may then be referred from one health service unit (Unit B) within the organisation to another (Unit C). In these circumstances the 'source of referral' for Unit C is Unit B (not Unit A).  For example if a patient is referred by his/her General Practitioner (GP) to a general medical clinic, such as an aged care clinic, then after assessment at this clinic the physician refers the patient to an allied health clinic, the service request source for the allied health outpatient clinic is 'Other outpatient clinic', whereas the service request source for the general medical clinic is 'General Practice'.  **THIS HOSPITAL**  The service request has come from some other part of the hospital with the same establishment ID.  **CODE 2.0     Other hospital**  The service request has come from a hospital with a different establishment ID. |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | NAP NMDS (Phase 1) working group |

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| Data element attributes | |
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| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Non-admitted patient service request—service request source, code N.N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/679552)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 25/01/2018  See also [Referral—referral source, code AAA](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/643288)  [WA Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/2), Standard 01/06/2017  See also [Referral—referral source, code AAA](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/491450)  [WA Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/2), Standard 19/03/2015 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Activity based funding: Non-admitted patient care DSS 2013-2014](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/497531)  [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Superseded 01/03/2013  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2013 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2014  [Non-admitted patient activity based funding DSS 2012-2013](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/453284)  [Independent Hospital Pricing Authority](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/3), Superseded 30/10/2012  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2012 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2013  [Non-admitted patient DSS 2011-12](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/399390)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 07/12/2011  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2011 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2012  [Non-admitted patient DSS 2012-13](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/471846)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 02/05/2013  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2012 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2013  [Non-admitted patient DSS 2013-14](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/509071)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 07/03/2014  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2013 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2014  [Non-admitted patient DSS 2014-15](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/548176)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 13/11/2014  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2014 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2015  [Non-admitted patient DSS 2015-16](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/584108)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 19/11/2015  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2015 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2016  [Non-admitted patient NBEDS 2016-17](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/612297)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/10/2016  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2016 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2017  [Non-admitted patient NBEDS 2017-18](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/650086)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 25/01/2018  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2017  ***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2018 |