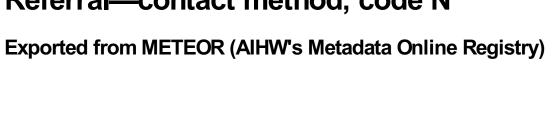
Referral—contact method, code N



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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Referral contact method

METEOR identifier: 323145

Registration status: Community Services (retired), Standard 29/04/2006

Definition: The means by which a person makes contact with an agency at the time of referral,

as represented by a code.

 Data Element Concept:
 Referral—contact method

 Value Domain:
 Contact method code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: Number

Format: N

Maximum character length: 1

Value Meaning
Permissible values: 1 Face to face

2 Over the telephone

In writing (including electronic)
 Other method of referral/contact

Supplementary values: 9 Not stated/inadequately described

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: This metadata item only describes the way in which contact regarding referral to an

agency was made. It can be applied to anyone, including self referral, or any party making referral. Source of referral to a service provider agency provides the

information on who is actually making the referral.

Collection methods: This information should be collected at the time initial contact regarding the referral

is made.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Reference documents: Supported Accommodation Assistance Program (SAAP) National Data Collection

Agency 2001. National Data Collection Data Dictionary. Version 2. Unpublished

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

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