

# Referral—referral reason

**Metadata item type:** Data Element Concept  
**METEOR identifier:** 492471  
**Registration status:**

- [WA Health](#), Standard 19/03/2015

**Definition:** The reason for recommending further care or services (referral).

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

**Object class:** [Referral](#)  
**Definition:** A recommendation for further care or services.  
**Specialisation of:** [Service/care event](#)

### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australia Institute of Health and Welfare

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

**Property:** [Referral reason](#)  
**Definition:** Reason for recommending further care or services (referral).

## Data element concept attributes

### Relational attributes

**Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:** [Referral—referral reason, code AAA](#)

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