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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Referral source text  |
| METEOR identifier: | 574843 |
| Registration status: | [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 16/09/2014 |
| Definition: | The person or agency responsible for the referral of a client to an agency, as represented by text. |

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| Data element concept attributes |
| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Data element concept: | [Referral—referral source](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/297450) |
| METEOR identifier: | 297450 |
| Registration status: | [Community Services (retired)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/1), Standard 02/06/2005[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Recorded 13/05/2008[Housing assistance](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/11), Standard 23/08/2010[Homelessness](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 23/08/2010[Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 16/09/2014[WA Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/2), Standard 19/03/2015 |
| Definition: | The person or agency responsible for the referral of a client to an agency. |
| Object class: | [Referral](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269015) |
| Property: | [Referral source](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269061) |
| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Value domain attributes  |
| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Value domain: | [Extended text X[X(∞)]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/536173) |
| METEOR identifier: | 536173 |
| Registration status: | [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 16/09/2014[Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 29/05/2024 |
| Definition: | A combination of alphanumeric characters. |

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| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Text |
| Data type: | String |
| Format: | X[X(∞)] |
| Maximum character length: | 2147483647 |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Data element attributes  |
| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | See also [Referral—referral source, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services referral sources code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/571852)[Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 16/09/2014 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services DSS](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/664760)[Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Superseded 07/12/2017***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2008***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2009***Conditional obligation:*** This data element is used when an 'Other, please specify' response is provided for Referral—referral source, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services referral sources code N[N].[Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services DSS](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/561172)[Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Superseded 07/12/2017***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2010***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2011***Conditional obligation:*** This data element is used when an 'Other, please specify' response is provided for Referral—referral source, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services referral sources code N[N].[Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services DSS](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/664861) [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Superseded 07/12/2017***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2009***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2010***Conditional obligation:*** This data element is used when an 'Other, please specify' response is provided for Referral—referral source, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services referral sources code N[N].[Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services DSS](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/664879) [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 07/12/2017***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2011***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2012***Conditional obligation:*** This data element is used when an 'Other, please specify' response is provided for Referral—referral source, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander standalone substance use services referral sources code N[N]. |