

# Referral—referral received date, DDMMYYYY

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

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| <b>Metadata item type:</b>   | Data Element   |
| <b>Short name:</b>           | Referral received date   |
| <b>Synonymous names:</b>     | REF_RECEIVED_DATE  |
| <b>METEOR identifier:</b>    | 572266   |
| <b>Registration status:</b>  | <a href="#">WA Health</a> , Standard 19/03/2015  |
| <b>Definition:</b>           | The date when a health care provider formally accepts a referral for a patient, represented as DDMMYYYY. |
| <b>Data Element Concept:</b> | <a href="#">Referral—referral received date</a>  |
| <b>Value Domain:</b>         | <a href="#">Date DDMMYYYY</a>  |

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

|                                  |           |
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| <b>Representation class:</b>     | Date      |
| <b>Data type:</b>                | Date/Time |
| <b>Format:</b>                   | DDMMYYYY  |
| <b>Maximum character length:</b> | 8         |

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

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| <b>Guide for use:</b> | <p>In the case of a self-referral this would be the date of the first contact with the service.</p> <p>The referral received date can be the same as the date of the appointment; for example, at a drop-in clinic.</p> <p>This data item is a mandatory item for national reporting, using the data element: <a href="#">Non-admitted patient service request-service request received date, DDMMYYYY</a></p> |
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## Relational attributes

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| <b>Related metadata references:</b> | <p>Has been superseded by <a href="#">Referral—referral received date, DDMMYYYY</a><br/><a href="#">WA Health</a>, Standard 01/06/2017</p> <p>See also <a href="#">Non-admitted patient service request—service request received date, DDMMYYYY</a><br/><a href="#">Health!</a>, Standard 06/10/2010<br/><a href="#">Independent Hospital Pricing Authority</a>, Standard 01/11/2012</p> |
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**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection \(NAPAAWL DC\) 2013-14](#)

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

**DSS specific information:**

This data item is a mandatory item for national reporting in the:

[Non-admitted patient DSS 2013-14](#)

[Activity based funding: Non-admitted patient care DSS 2013-2014](#)

It is reported nationally using the data element:

[Non-admitted patient service request-service request received date, DDMMYYYY](#)

[WA Health Non-Admitted Patient Activity and Wait List Data Collection \(NAPAAWL DC\) 2014-15](#)

[WA Health](#), Standard 24/04/2015

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[Non-admitted patient DSS 2014-15](#)

It is reported nationally using the data element:

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