

# Referral source code AAA

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Value Domain
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	643286
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">WA Health, Standard 01/06/2017</a>
<b>Definition:</b>	A set of alphabetic characters that identifies the person or agency responsible for referring a person to a health care provider or other organisation.

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	String
<b>Format:</b>	AAA
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	3

	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	AHP	Allied Health professional
	ANI	Another institution
	CLN	Clinician
	COM	Community
	CON	Same consultant
	EDU	Education Department
	EMD	Emergency Department
	FAF	Family or friend
	GEP	General Practitioner
	GOV	Government agency
	INW	Inpatient ward
	MCE	Mental Health Emergency Response Line (MHERL) or Community Emergency Response Team (CERT)
	MEP	Medical Practitioner
	MHC	Mental Health clinic or team
	NGO	Non-Government Organisation
	NPR	Nurse Practitioner
	NUR	Nurse
	OMH	Other
	OPH	Outpatient Department this Hospital
	OPR	Other professional
	OTS	Other service
	POL	Police
	PPS	Private Psychiatrist
	PRI	Private referral
	PRN	Private referral by General Practitioner
	SLF	Self

<b>Supplementary values:</b>	SPR	Specialist rooms
	NSP	Not specified
	OTH	Other hospital
	UNK	Unknown

## Relational attributes

**Data elements  
implementing this value  
domain:**

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