

Patient—tympanic membrane perforation location, code N

Exported from METEOR (AIHW's Metadata Online Registry)

© Australian Institute of Health and Welfare 2024

This product, excluding the AIHW logo, Commonwealth Coat of Arms and any material owned by a third party or protected by a trademark, has been released under a Creative Commons BY 4.0 (CC BY 4.0) licence. Excluded material owned by third parties may include, for example, design and layout, images obtained under licence from third parties and signatures. We have made all reasonable efforts to identify and label material owned by third parties.

You may distribute, remix and build on this website's material but must attribute the AIHW as the copyright holder, in line with our attribution policy. The full terms and conditions of this licence are available at <https://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/4.0/>.

Enquiries relating to copyright should be addressed to info@aihw.gov.au.

Enquiries or comments on the METEOR metadata or download should be directed to the METEOR team at meteor@aihw.gov.au.

Patient—tympanic membrane perforation location, code N

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Tympanic membrane perforation location (code)
METEOR identifier:	505084
Registration status:	Indigenous , Standard 05/09/2014
Definition:	The location of a perforation in the patient's tympanic membrane , as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Patient—tympanic membrane perforation location
Value Domain:	Tympanic membrane perforation location code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	N
Maximum character length:	1

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Central
	2	Marginal
	3	Attic
Supplementary values:	8	Unknown
	9	Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	<p>The tympanic membrane is divided into three main areas; central, marginal and attic.</p> <p>CODE 1 Central</p> <p>The perforation does not involve the annulus and is bound on all sides by the remnant of the tympanic membrane.</p> <p>CODE 2 Marginal</p> <p>The perforation involves the annulus of the tympanic membrane.</p> <p>CODE 3 Attic</p> <p>The perforation is located in the small, triangular, flaccid portion of the tympanic membrane.</p>
-----------------------	---

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
---------------------------------	--

Reference documents: OpenEHR Clinical Knowledge Manager Version 1.2.4, viewed 11/03/2014, <http://www.openehr.org/ckm/>

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: The position of the perforation in the tympanic membrane is significant in determining whether further referrals to medical professionals are required.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Relational attributes

Related metadata references: See also [Patient—tympanic membrane perforation dry condition, code N Indigenous](#), Standard 05/09/2014

See also [Patient—tympanic membrane perforation indicator, yes/no code N Indigenous](#), Standard 05/12/2017

See also [Patient—tympanic membrane perforation size, code N Indigenous](#), Superseded 05/12/2017

See also [Patient—tympanic membrane perforation size, code N Indigenous](#), Standard 05/09/2014

See also [Patient—tympanic membrane perforation status, code N Indigenous](#), Standard 05/09/2014

See also [Patient—tympanic membrane perforation wet condition, code N Indigenous](#), Standard 05/09/2014

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Ear diagnosis cluster Indigenous](#), Standard 05/09/2014

Implementation start date: 01/04/2012

Conditional obligation: Conditional on a 'no' response to Patient- intact tympanic membrane indicator.

DSS specific information: This data element has a maximum occurrence of 2. The first occurrence is reported for the right ear and the second occurrence is reported for the left ear.

[Pre-operative examination of ear cluster Indigenous](#), Standard 05/12/2017

Conditional obligation:

Conditional on a 'yes' response to [Patient—tympanic membrane perforation indicator, yes/no code N](#).

DSS specific information:

In this data set, code 8 is used to record when the data is invalid and code 9 is used to record when the data is missing.