# Ear operation details cluster



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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: **Data Set Specification** 

**METEOR** identifier: 567130

**Registration status:** Indigenous, Standard 05/12/2017

DSS type: Data Element Cluster

Scope: The Ear operation details cluster defines information relating to patient

demographics and the surgery including operation date, hospital and specialist

performing the operation.

### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Department of Health and the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Steward: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

#### Relational attributes

**Specifications:** 

Implementation in Data Set Closing the Gap/Child Health Check Initiative: Ear, nose and throat operation

summary form DSS

Indigenous, Standard 05/12/2017

## Metadata items in this Data Set Specification

Seg Metadata item **Obligation Max** No. occurs

1 Service event—date of service, DDMMYYYY

Mandatory 1

DSS specific information:

This data element is used to record the date of the operation. The date is recorded as DD/MM/YY. Slashes must be entered.

'01/01/1800' is used to record data that is invalid.

'01/01/1900' is used to record data that is not stated.

2 Patient—name of Northern Territory hospital, code AA[A]

Mandatory 1

DSS specific information:

This data element is used to record the name of the hospital performing the ear surgery.

3 Patient—post-operative transport home, code N

Mandatory 1

Discrete Indigenous community—Indigenous community name, text AA[A(38)]

Conditional 1

Conditional obligation:

Applicable if the Indigenous community identifier has not been provided.

DSS specific information:

This data element is used to record the name of the community, town camp or homeland where the service was provided.

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#### 5 <u>Discrete Indigenous community—identifier, AANNA</u>

Conditional 1

#### Conditional obligation:

Applicable if the Indigenous community name has not been provided.

#### DSS specific information:

This data element is used to record the identifier of the community, town camp or homeland where the service was provided.

#### 6 Person (name)—given name, text X[X(39)]

Mandatory 2

#### DSS specific information:

This data element is used to record the given name for the patient and the specialist.

#### 7 Person (name)—family name, text X[X(39)]

Mandatory 2

#### DSS specific information:

This data element is used to record the family name for the patient and the specialist.

#### 8 Person—date of birth, DDMMYYYY

Mandatory 1

#### DSS specific information:

The date is recorded as DD/MM/YY. Slashes must be entered.

'01/01/1800' is used to record data that is invalid.

'01/01/1900' is used to record data that is not stated.

#### 9 Person—sex, code N

Mandatory 1

#### DSS specific information:

In this data set Code 9 is used to record data that is missing.

#### 10 Person—person identifier, XXXXXX[X(14)]

Mandatory 1

#### DSS specific information:

This data element is used to record the Hospital Registration Number (HRN).

HRNs are allocated to people when they are born in Northern Territory public hospitals or when they first attend a Northern Territory public hospital to receive a service. It is a unique number that is not associated with a Medicare number. As at May 2013, the HRNs are either 6 or 7 digits long but there is capacity to increase to more digits as required.

A person's HRN does not change. It remains with them for the duration of their life.

'88888888' is used to record data that is invalid.

'9999999' is used to record data that is not stated.