

Patient—tympanic membrane perforation size, code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Tympanic membrane perforation size
METEOR identifier:	567834
Registration status:	Indigenous , Superseded 05/12/2017
Definition:	The size of the perforation in a patient's tympanic membrane , as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Patient—tympanic membrane perforation size
Value Domain:	Tympanic membrane perforation size code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

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

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Pinhole
	2	Less than 40% of tympanic membrane
	3	Greater than 40% of tympanic membrane
	4	Subtotal/total
Supplementary values:	8	Unknown
	9	Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	CODE 4 Subtotal/total A subtotal perforation is present in the tympanic membrane: the pars tensa is absent but the perforation does not include the annulus. A total perforation is present in the tympanic membrane; the tympanic membrane is essentially absent. CODE 8 Unknown This code is used when the data is invalid. CODE 9 Not stated/inadequately described This code is used when the data is missing.
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Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Department of Health Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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Data element attributes

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

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Has been superseded by [Patient—tympanic membrane perforation size, code N Indigenous](#), Standard 05/09/2014

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 location, 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:

[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](#).