Myringoplasty graft attachment type code N[N]

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 568321 |
| Registration status: | [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 05/12/2017 |
| Definition: | A code set representing the technique used to attach a graft during a myringoplasty. |

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| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N[N] |
| Maximum character length: | 2 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Underlay |
|   | 2 | Inlay |
|   | 3 | Onlay |
|   | 4 | Butterfly |
|   | 5 | Patch |
| Supplementary values: | 98 | Unknown |
|   | 99  | Not stated/inadequately described  |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | CODE 1   UnderlayThe graft goes underneath the small bone (malleus) in the middle ear.CODE 2   InlayThe graft material is inserted under the squamous (skin layer) of the [**tympanic membrane**](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/562107).CODE 3   OnlayThe graft is laid directly onto the bone surface.CODE 4   ButterflyA cartilage graft resembling butterfly wings.CODE 5   PatchA paper-patch (Steri-Strip) is used at the attachment site.CODE 98   UnknownThis code is used when the data is invalid.CODE 99   Not stated/inadequately describedThis 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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| Relational attributes  |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Patient—myringoplasty graft attachment type, code N[N]](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/568365)[Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 05/12/2017 |