

Patient—fluid in middle ear indicator, yes/no code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Fluid in middle ear indicator |
| METEOR identifier: | 568448 |
| Registration status: | Indigenous , Standard 05/12/2017 |
| Definition: | An indicator of whether a patient has fluid in the middle ear, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | Patient—fluid in middle ear indicator |
| Value Domain: | Yes/no/unknown/not stated/inadequately described code N |

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

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

| | Value | Meaning |
|------------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|
| Permissible values: | 1 | Yes |
| | 2 | No |
| Supplementary values: | 8 | Unknown |
| | 9 | Not stated/inadequately described |

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

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| Guide for use: | 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. |

Source and reference attributes

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

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

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

See also [Patient—type of fluid in middle ear, code N Indigenous](#), Standard 05/12/2017

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Myringotomy cluster Indigenous](#), Standard 05/12/2017

Conditional obligation:

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