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Type of fluid in middle ear code N

Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Value Domain

METEOR identifier: 568471

Registration status: Indigenous, Standard 05/12/2017

Definition: A code set representing types of fluid in the middle ear.

Representational attributes

Representation class: Code Number Data type: Format: Ν

Maximum character length: 1

Value Meaning

Permissible values: 1 Serous

> 2 Mucoid

Supplementary values: 8 Unknown

> 9 Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: CODE 1 Serous

The discharge appears to consist mostly of clear, watery fluid.

CODE 2 Mucoid

The discharge consists of a mucus like substance.

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

Reference documents: Stronger Futures in the Northern Territory (SFNT) Children's Health Checks(CHC)

Relational attributes

Data elements implementing this value

domain:

Patient—type of fluid in middle ear, code N Indigenous, Standard 05/12/2017