# Patient—remove tubes indicator, yes/no code N

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#### Identifying and definitional attributes

| Metadata item type:   | Data Element  |
|-----------------------|---|
| Short name:           | Remove tubes indicator  |
| METEOR identifier:    | 568574  |
| Registration status:  | Indigenous, Standard 05/12/2017   |
| Definition:           | An indicator of whether a patient has an ear tube removed during surgery, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | Patient—remove tubes indicator  |
| Value Domain:         | Yes/no/unknown/not stated/inadequately described code N   |

## Value domain attributes

#### **Representational attributes**

| Representation class:     | Code   |                                   |
|---------------------------|--------|-----------------------------------|
| Data type:                | Number |                                   |
| Format:                   | Ν      |                                   |
| 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**

| 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. |  |
| Comments:      | 'Tubes' refers to grommets.                 |  |

## Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Department of Health

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## **Relational attributes**

Implementation in Data SetEar and nose surgery clusterSpecifications:Indigenous, Standard 05/12/2017