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](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 05/12/2017 |
| Definition: | An indicator of whether a patient has an ear tube removed during surgery, as represented by a code. |

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| Data element concept attributes | |
| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Data element concept: | [Patient—remove tubes indicator](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/568572) |
| METEOR identifier: | 568572 |
| Registration status: | [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 05/12/2017 |
| Definition: | An indicator of whether a patient has an ear tube removed during surgery. |
| Object class: | [Patient](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/268959) |
| Property: | [Remove tubes indicator](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/568570) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Department of Health   Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| Value domain attributes | |
| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Value domain: | [Yes/no/unknown/not stated/inadequately described code N](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/546669) |
| METEOR identifier: | 546669 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 11/04/2014  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 05/12/2017 |
| Definition: | A code set representing 'yes', 'no', 'unknown' and 'not stated/inadequately described' responses. |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| 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 |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| 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**](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/562346). |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Department of Health   Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Relational attributes | |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Ear and nose surgery cluster](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/567979)  [Indigenous](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/9), Standard 05/12/2017 |