

# Patient—foreign body removal recommended indicator, yes/no code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Foreign body removal recommended indicator
METEOR identifier:	508042
Registration status:	<a href="#">Indigenous</a> , Standard 05/09/2014
Definition:	An indicator of whether a health care professional has recommended that a foreign body be removed from the ear of a patient, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	<a href="#">Patient—foreign body removal indicator</a>
Value Domain:	<a href="#">Yes/no/not applicable/unknown/not stated/inadequately described code N</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code	
<b>Data type:</b>	Number	
<b>Format:</b>	N	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1	
	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Yes
	2	No
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	7	Not applicable
	8	Unknown
	9	Not stated/inadequately described

## Source and reference attributes

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## Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Actions recommended cluster](#)  
[Indigenous](#), Standard 05/09/2014  
**Implementation start date:** 01/04/2012  
**DSS specific information:** This data element has a maximum occurrence of 2. The first occurrence is reported for the right ear and the second occurrence is reported for the left ear.

