Patient—degree of hearing impairment

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# Patient—degree of hearing impairment

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element Concept |
| METEOR identifier: | 500406 |
| Registration status: | [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 08/08/2014 |
| Definition: | A measurement of the degree of a patient's [**hearing impairment**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/530152) measured in decible hearing level (dBHL). |

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Object class: | [Patient](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/268959) |
| Definition: | A person for whom a health service accepts responsibility for treatment and/or care. |
| Specialisation of: | [Person/group of persons](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/281123) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Property: | [Degree of hearing impairment](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/500399) |
| Definition: | A measurement of the degree of handicap associated with hearing loss. |
| Property group: | [Impairment characteristic](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/525483) |

## Data element concept attributes

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### Relational attributes

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| Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept: | [Patient—degree of hearing impairment, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/500419)  [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 11/08/2014 |