

# Patient—type of hearing loss

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

**Metadata item type:** Data Element Concept  
**METEOR identifier:** 504259  
**Registration status:** [Indigenous](#), Standard 08/08/2014  
**Definition:** The type of [hearing loss](#) diagnosed in a patient.

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

**Object class:** [Patient](#)  
**Definition:** A person for whom a health service accepts responsibility for treatment and/or care.  
**Specialisation of:** [Person/group of persons](#)

### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

**Property:** [Type of hearing loss](#)  
**Definition:** A descriptor of the type of hearing threshold response outside the normal range, at any sound stimuli, in either ear.  
**Property group:** [Impairment characteristic](#)

### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare  
**Reference documents:** [AIHW 2011. Ear and hearing health of Indigenous children in the Northern Territory. Cat. no. IHW 60. Canberra: AIHW, p.48](#)

## Data element concept attributes

### Relational attributes

**Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:** [Patient—type of hearing loss, code N](#)  
[Indigenous](#), Standard 18/02/2015  
[Patient—type of hearing loss, code N](#)  
[Indigenous](#), Superseded 18/02/2015