

# Patient—ear grommet status

**Metadata item type:** Data Element Concept  
**METEOR identifier:** 505161  
**Registration status:**

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**Definition:** The status of an existing [grommet](#) located within a patient's eardrum.

## 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:** [Ear grommet status](#)  
**Definition:** The condition of the small, plastic tube that has been inserted through the eardrum into the middle ear to assist in preventing infection.  
**Property group:** [Service provision event](#)

### Source and reference attributes

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

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## Relational attributes

**Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept:** [Patient—ear grommet status, code N](#)

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