

# Patient—hearing impairment indicator, yes/no code N

## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Hearing impairment indicator
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	530424
<b>Registration status:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Indigenous</a>, Standard 11/08/2014</li></ul>
<b>Definition:</b>	An indicator of whether a patient has a <a href="#">hearing impairment</a> , as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Patient—Hearing impairment indicator</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>Permissible values:</b>	<table><thead><tr><th>Value</th><th>Meaning</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td>1</td><td>Yes</td></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>No</td></tr></tbody></table>	Value	Meaning	1	Yes	2	No		
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### Source and reference attributes

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

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:** Hearing impairment is a classification of functional impairment of the 3 frequency average (dBHL): 500Hz, 1000Hz and 2000Hz of thresholds in the better hearing ear.

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## Relational attributes

### Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Stronger Futures in the Northern Territory Children's Health Checks: Audiology services DSS, May 2011-March 2012Indigenous](#), Superseded 18/02/2015

*Implementation start date:* 01/05/2011

*Implementation end date:* 31/03/2012

[Stronger Futures in the Northern Territory: Audiology services DSS, April 2012-April 2013Indigenous](#), Superseded 18/02/2015

*Implementation start date:* 01/04/2012

*Implementation end date:* 30/04/2013

[Stronger Futures in the Northern Territory: Audiology services DSS, May 2013-August 2014Indigenous](#), Standard 18/02/2015

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