Patient—hearing impairment indicator, yes/no code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Hearing impairment indicator |
| METEOR identifier: | 530424 |
| Registration status: | [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 11/08/2014 |
| Definition: | An indicator of whether a patient has a [**hearing impairment**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/530152), as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Patient—Hearing impairment indicator](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/530433) |
| Value Domain: | [Yes/no/not applicable/unknown/not stated/inadequately described code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/442451) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | N | |
| Maximum character length: | 1 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Yes |
|  | 2 | No |
| Supplementary values: | 7 | Not applicable |
|  | 8 | Unknown |
|  | 9 | Not stated/inadequately described |

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

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| 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. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Relational attributes | |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Stronger Futures in the Northern Territory Children's Health Checks: Audiology services DSS, May 2011-March 2012](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/496205)  [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Superseded 18/02/2015  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/05/2011 ***Implementation end date:*** 31/03/2012  [Stronger Futures in the Northern Territory: Audiology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 2013](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/577550)  [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Superseded 18/02/2015  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/04/2012 ***Implementation end date:*** 30/04/2013  [Stronger Futures in the Northern Territory: Audiology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 2014](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/578388)  [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 18/02/2015  ***Implementation start date:*** 01/05/2013 |