

# Ear diagnosis cluster

## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Set Specification
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	534097
<b>Registration status:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Indigenous</a>, Standard 05/09/2014</li></ul>
<b>DSS type:</b>	Data Element Cluster
<b>Scope:</b>	The ear diagnosis cluster contains data elements which collect detail to ascertain the condition of the <a href="#">tympanic membrane</a> as well as information on the use of a <a href="#">grommet</a> .

## Collection and usage attributes

**Implementation start date:** 01/04/2012

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare  
**Steward:** [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](#)

## Relational attributes

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:** [Stronger Futures Northern Territory: Ear, nose and throat \(ENT\) services DSS, 2012](#)  
[Indigenous](#), Standard 05/09/2014

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### *DSS specific information:*

This data element has a maximum occurrence of 2. The first occurrence is reported for the right ear and the second occurrence is reported for the left ear.

## Metadata items in this Data Set Specification

Seq No.	Metadata item	Obligation	Max occurs
1	<a href="#">Patient—intact tympanic membrane indicator, yes/no code N</a>	Mandatory	2
2	<a href="#">Patient—intact tympanic membrane condition, code N</a>	Conditional	2
3	<a href="#">Patient—tympanic membrane perforation location, code N</a>	Conditional	2
4	<a href="#">Patient—tympanic membrane perforation status, code N</a>	Conditional	2
5	<a href="#">Patient—tympanic membrane perforation wet condition, code N</a>	Conditional	2
6	<a href="#">Patient—tympanic membrane perforation dry condition, code N</a>	Conditional	2
7	<a href="#">Patient—tympanic membrane perforation size, code N</a>	Conditional	2
8	<a href="#">Patient—ear grommet indicator, yes/no code N</a>	Mandatory	2
9	<a href="#">Patient—ear grommet status, code N</a>	Conditional	2

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