Patient—chronic otitis media type, code N[N]

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Chronic otitis media type  |
| METEOR identifier: | 567962 |
| Registration status: | [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 05/12/2017 |
| Definition: | The type of [**chronic otitis media**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/682003) present in a patient, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Patient—chronic otitis media type](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/567958) |
| Value Domain: | [Chronic otitis media type code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/567943) |

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| Value domain attributes |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Code |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N[N] |
| Maximum character length: | 2 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Healed (intact abnormal) |
|   | 2 | Active (purulent discharge) |
|   | 3 | Inactive (dry or serous perforation) |
|   | 4 | Squamous |
|   | 5 | Mucosal |
| Supplementary values: | 98 | Unknown |
|   | 99  | Not stated/inadequately described  |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | CODE 98   UnknownThis code is used when the data is invalid.CODE 99   Not stated/inadequately describedThis code is used when the data is missing. |

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

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| Data element attributes  |
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| Relational attributes |
| Related metadata references: | See also [Patient—pre-operative ear health diagnosis, code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/567913)       [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 05/12/2017 |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Pre-operative diagnosis cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/567842)       [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 05/12/2017***Conditional obligation:*** Conditional on a 'Chronic Otitis Media (COM)' response to [Patient—pre-operative ear health diagnosis, code N[N]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/567913). |