

# Patient—type of grommet, text X[X(99)]

## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Type of grommet (text)
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	568520
<b>Registration status:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Indigenous</a>, Standard 05/12/2017</li></ul>
<b>Definition:</b>	A description of the type of <a href="#">grommet</a> a patient has inserted through their <a href="#">tympanic membrane</a> , as represented by text.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Patient—type of grommet</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Text
<b>Data type:</b>	String
<b>Format:</b>	X[X(99)]
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	100

## Data element attributes

## Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	Department of Health Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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## Relational attributes

<b>Related metadata references:</b>	See also <a href="#">Patient—ear grommet indicator, yes/no code N</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Indigenous</a>, Standard 05/09/2014</li></ul> See also <a href="#">Patient—ear grommet status, code N</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Indigenous</a>, Standard 05/09/2014</li></ul> See also <a href="#">Patient—myringotomy indicator, yes/no code N</a> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Indigenous</a>, Standard 05/12/2017</li></ul>
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**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:**

[Myringotomy clusterIndigenous](#), Standard 05/12/2017

***Conditional obligation:***

Conditional on a 'yes' response to [Patient—ear grommet indicator, yes/no code N](#).

***DSS specific information:***

This data element is used to record the health-professional's comments on the type of grommet a patient has inserted through their tympanic membrane.