



ENT High Technology Clinic
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The difference in Otorhinolaryngology

EAR'S FOREIGN BODY

Description:	Presence of object inside the ear, more frequent in small children.
Is it an emergency?	Yes, the patient must be seen in the following 48 hours in order to avoid an infectious or an eardrum's perforation.
Test to be done :	The diagnosis is confirmed by the direct examination of the ear or by ear endoscopy.
Procedure done in office:	Extraction of foreign body in the ear. This procedure consists of withdrawing the foreign body, without causing any injury during the procedure, requiring the help of telescopic vision and micro surgery instruments. It is practised with local anaesthesia according to the age and patient's collaboration. If this is not possible, we will proceed to a general anaesthesia.
Procedure done in the operating room:	Extraction of foreign body in the ear under general anesthesia. Done only if it is not possible under local anaesthesia or if the patient does not collaborate.

INT'L PRICES *

Procedure	Prices in US Dollars *
Extraction of foreign body in the ear under local anesthesia without nurse (code 358)	\$ 370
Extraction of foreign body in the ear under local anesthesia with nurse (code 308)	\$ 409
Extraction of foreign body in the ear under general anesthesia (code 417)	\$ 1 109

* Any procedure will be preceded by a Medical Consultation (cost of \$200) in order to confirm the diagnosis and to offer the best therapeutic option. The surgery fees do not include expenses of anaesthesia, room surgery fees or medicines in case of utilization of the operating room. The prices indicated are subject to change without notice.

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