

TEED SCALE DESCRIPTIONS

Grade 0 - No visible damage, normal ear



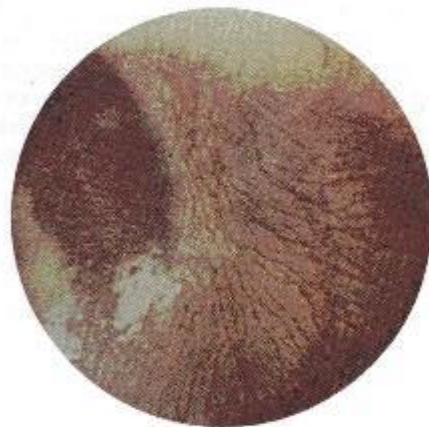
Grade 0

Grade 1 - Congestion around the umbo; occurs with a pressure differential of 2 pounds per square inch (PSI)



Grade 1

Grade 2 - Congestion of entire TM; occurs with a pressure differential of 2-3 PSI



Grade 2

Grade 3 - Hemorrhage into the middle ear



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Grade 4 - Extensive middle ear hemorrhage with blood bubbles visible behind TM; TM may rupture



Grade 4

Grade 5 - Entire middle ear is filled with dark (deoxygenated) blood



Grade 5

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