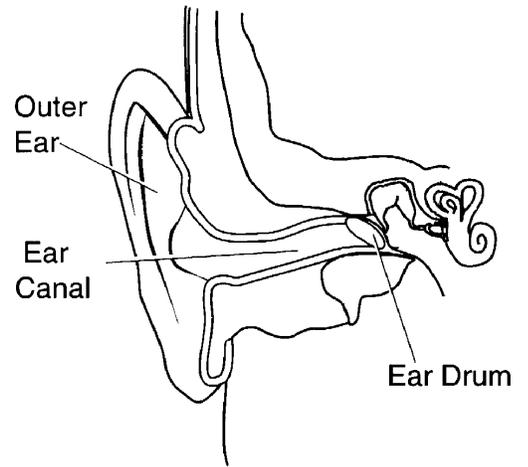


# Middle Ear Infection

Middle ear infection is called otitis media. This infection occurs when germs get into the middle ear and the area fills with fluid. Germs from a cold or flu can lead to a middle ear infection. Fluid build-up in the middle ear can put pressure on your eardrum causing pain or other signs.



## Signs

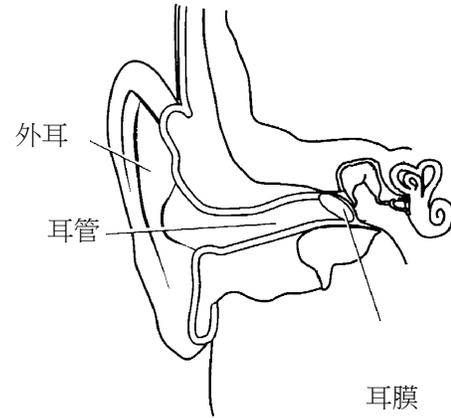
- Pain
- Fever
- Drainage
- Hearing loss

## Your Care

- Your doctor will look at your ears and ask you about your signs.
- Antibiotic medicine may be ordered. Take all of your medicine as directed.
- You may use a heating pad on a **low** setting.
- Do not put anything in your ears including liquids, herbs or cotton-tipped applicators unless directed to by your doctor. They can block your ear canal, causing a loss of hearing or infection.

# 中耳炎

中耳感染稱為中耳炎。細菌進入中耳，中耳充滿液體時會發生中耳炎。患感冒或流感時，細菌可能導致中耳感染。液體在中耳積聚，可能對耳鼓造成壓力，導致疼痛或其他癥狀。



## 癥狀

- 疼痛
- 發燒
- 有排出物
- 聽力喪失

## 您的醫療

- 您的醫生將查看您的雙耳並詢問您癥狀。
- 可能會開抗菌素。按說明服完全部藥物。
- 使用電熱毯可能需低熱設定。
- 除非您的醫生要求，否則不要把任何東西放入您的耳中，包括液體、草藥或頂端敷棉花的塗藥籤。它們能阻塞您的耳管，造成失聰或發炎。

**Call your doctor right away if you have:**

- Pain that gets worse
- Fever that gets higher or does not go away
- Drainage that gets worse
- Hearing loss

**Talk to your doctor or nurse if you have any questions or concerns.**

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如有以下癥狀，請立刻打電話給您的醫生：

- 疼痛加劇
- 發燒加劇或持續不退
- 液體流出情形惡化
- 聽力喪失

如果您有任何疑問或關注事項，請告知您的醫生或護士。

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