Birth event—setting (intended)

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element Concept |
| METEOR identifier: | 269420 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 08/12/2005 |
| Definition: | The intended place of birth at the onset of labour. |
| Context: | Perinatal care:  Women who plan to give birth in birth centres or at home usually have different risk factors for outcome compared to those who plan to give birth in hospitals. Women who are transferred to hospital after the onset of labour have increased risks of intervention and adverse outcomes. |

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Object class: | [Birth event](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/268965) |
| Definition: | The sequence of actions by which a baby and the afterbirth (placenta) are expelled or extracted from the uterus at childbirth. The process usually starts spontaneously about 280 days after conception with onset of labour, but it may be started by artificial means. |
| Specialisation of: | [Life event](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/280947) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Origin: | University of Oxford 2002. Concise Colour Medical Dictionary 3rd ed. UK: Oxford University Press |

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Property: | [Setting of birth](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269110) |
| Definition: | The type of physical environment where the birth occurred. |
| Property group: | [Location characteristics](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/274653) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

## Data element concept attributes

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| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | National Perinatal Data Development Committee |

### Relational attributes

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| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Birth event—setting of birth](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269527)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 12/12/2018 |