Perinatal NMDS

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Set Specification |
| METEOR identifier: | 273043 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 07/12/2005 |
| DSS type: | National Minimum Data Set (NMDS) |
| Scope: | The scope of this minimum data set is all births in Australia in hospitals, birth centres and the community. The data set includes information on all births, both live and stillborn, of at least 20 weeks gestation or 400 grams birth weight. |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Collection methods: | **National reporting arrangements**  State and territory health authorities provide the data to the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare for national collation, on an annual basis.  **Periods for which data are collected and nationally collated**  Financial years ending 30 June each year. |
| Implementation start date: | 01/07/2005 |
| Implementation end date: | 30/06/2006 |
| Comments: | Statistical units are entities from or about which statistics are collected or in respect of which statistics are compiled, tabulated or published. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | National Health Information Group |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Has been superseded by [Perinatal NMDS](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/290828)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 06/09/2006  Is re-engineered from  [Perinatal, NMDS, NHIMG, Superseded 01/03/2005.pdf](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/277436)  (117.1 KB)  *No registration status* |

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| Metadata items in this Data Set Specification |
| |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | Seq No. | Metadata item | Obligation | Max occurs | | - | [Birth event—birth plurality, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269994) | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Birth event—delivery method, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270035) | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Birth event—labour onset type, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269942) | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Birth event—setting of birth (actual), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269937) | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Birth event—state/territory of birth, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270151) | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Birth—birth order, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269992) | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Birth—birth status, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269949) | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Birth—birth weight, total grams NNNN](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269938)  ***DSS specific information:***  For the provision of state and territory hospital data to Commonwealth agencies this metadata item must be consistent with diagnoses and procedure codes for valid grouping. | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Episode of admitted patient care—separation date, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270025)  ***DSS specific information:***  For the provision of state and territory hospital data to Commonwealth agencies this field must:   * be ≤ last day of financial year * be ≥ first day of financial year * be ≥ Admission date | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Establishment—organisation identifier (Australian), NNX[X]NNNNN](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269973) | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Female (pregnant)—estimated gestational age, total weeks NN](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269965) | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Person—country of birth, code (SACC 1998) NNNN](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270277) | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Person—date of birth, DDMMYYYY](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/287007)  ***DSS specific information:***  Data collection systems must be able to differentiate between the date of birth of the mother and the baby(s). This is important in the Perinatal data collection as the date of birth of the baby is used to determine the antenatal length of stay and the postnatal length of stay. | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Person—Indigenous status, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/291036) | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Person—person identifier, XXXXXX[X(14)]](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/290046) | Mandatory | 1 | | - | [Person—sex, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/287316) | Mandatory | 1 | |