

# Birth event—birth presentation, code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Presentation at birth
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	695418
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Superseded 17/12/2021
<b>Definition:</b>	The presenting part of the fetus at birth, as represented by a code.
<b>Context:</b>	Perinatal.  Presentation types other than vertex are associated with higher rates of caesarean section, instrumental delivery, perinatal mortality and neonatal morbidity.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Birth event—birth presentation</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Birth presentation code N</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code	
<b>Data type:</b>	Number	
<b>Format:</b>	N	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1	
	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Vertex
	2	Breech
	3	Face
	4	Brow
	8	Other
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	9	Not stated/inadequately described

### Source and reference attributes

<b>Submitting organisation:</b>	National Perinatal Data Development Committee
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## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	CODE 8 Other  Includes compound presentations (where an extremity prolapses simultaneously alongside the presenting part) and all other malpresentations, for example, cord, shoulder or hand.
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## Relational attributes

### Related metadata references:

Supersedes [Birth event—birth presentation, code N Health](#), Superseded 12/12/2018

Has been superseded by [Birth event—birth presentation, code N Health](#), Standard 17/12/2021  
[Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 28/03/2023

### Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

#### [Perinatal NMDS 2019–20](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 03/12/2020

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2019

**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2020

#### **DSS specific information:**

In the case of multiple births, this data element should be recorded for each baby born.

#### [Perinatal NMDS 2020–21](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 03/12/2020

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2020

**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2021

#### **DSS specific information:**

In the case of multiple births, this data element should be recorded for each baby born.

#### [Perinatal NMDS 2021–22](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 17/12/2021

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2021

**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2022

#### **DSS specific information:**

In the case of multiple births, this data element should be recorded for each baby born.

### Implementation in Indicators:

#### **Used as Numerator**

[National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 05—Induction of labour for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2021](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 09/09/2022

[National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 05—Induction of labour for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2022](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 14/07/2023

[National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 05—Induction of labour for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2023](#)

[Health](#), Standard 14/07/2023

[National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 06—Caesarean section for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2021](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 09/09/2022

[National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 06—Caesarean section for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2022](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 14/07/2023

[National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 06—Caesarean section for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2023](#)

[Health](#), Standard 14/07/2023

[National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 07—Non-instrumental vaginal birth for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2021](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 09/09/2022

[National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 07—Non-instrumental vaginal birth for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2022](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 14/07/2023

[National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 07—Non-instrumental vaginal birth for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2023](#)

[Health](#), Standard 14/07/2023

[National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 08—Instrumental vaginal birth for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2021](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 09/09/2022

[National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 08—Instrumental vaginal birth for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2022](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 14/07/2023

[National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 08—Instrumental vaginal birth for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2023](#)

[Health](#), Standard 14/07/2023

### **Used as Denominator**

[National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 05—Induction of labour for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2021](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 09/09/2022

[National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 05—Induction of labour for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2022](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 14/07/2023

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