

Birth event—analgesia administered

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element Concept
METEOR identifier:	269488
Registration status:	Health , Superseded 07/12/2005
Definition:	Agents administered to the mother by injection or inhalation to relieve pain during labour and delivery.
Context:	Perinatal statistics: Analgesia use may influence the duration of labour, may affect the health status of the baby at birth and is an indicator of obstetric intervention.

Object Class attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class:	Birth event
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

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

Property:	Analgesia administered
Definition:	An agent given to alleviate pain without causing loss of consciousness.
Property group:	Service provision event

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
Origin:	Dorland's Illustrated Medical Dictionary 30th ed. Philadelphia: Saunders

Data element concept attributes

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	National Perinatal Data Development Committee
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Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Has been superseded by Birth event—analgesia administered Health , Superseded 07/02/2013
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**Data Elements
implementing this Data
Element Concept:**

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