

# Pregnancy (last previous)—pregnancy outcome, code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Outcome of last previous pregnancy
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	270006
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 01/03/2005
<b>Definition:</b>	Outcome of the most recent pregnancy preceding this pregnancy, as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Pregnancy (last previous)—pregnancy outcome</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Outcome of pregnancy 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	Single live birth - survived at least 28 days
	2	Single live birth - neonatal death (within 28 days)
	3	Single stillbirth
	4	Spontaneous abortion
	5	Induced abortion
	6	Ectopic pregnancy
	7	Multiple live birth - all survived at least 28 days
	8	Multiple birth - one or more neonatal deaths (within 28 days) or stillbirths

## Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes


<b>Guide for use:</b>	In the case of multiple pregnancy with fetal loss before 20 weeks, code on outcome of surviving fetus(es) beyond 20 weeks.
<b>Comments:</b>	This data item is recommended by the World Health Organization. It is collected in some states and territories.  Adverse outcome in previous pregnancy is an important risk factor for subsequent pregnancy.

## Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** National Perinatal Data Development Committee

## Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:**

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