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# Maternal medical conditions

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## *Identifying and Definitional Attributes*

Data Dictionary: NHDD  
Knowledgebase ID: 000090 Version number: 2  
Metadata type: DATA ELEMENT  
Registration Authority: NHIMG Admin status: SUPERSEDED  
Effective date: 01-MAR-05  
Definition: Pre-existing maternal diseases and conditions, and other diseases, illnesses or conditions arising during the current pregnancy, that are not directly attributable to pregnancy but may significantly affect care during the current pregnancy and/or pregnancy outcome.  
Context: Perinatal statistics:  
Maternal medical conditions may influence the course and outcome of the pregnancy and may result in antenatal admission to hospital and/or treatment that could have adverse effects on the fetus and perinatal morbidity.

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## *Relational and Representational Attributes*

Datatype: Alphanumeric  
Representational form: CODE  
Representation layout: ANN.NN  
Minimum Size: 3  
Maximum Size: 6  
Data Domain: NOVAL Current edition of ICD-10-AM disease codes  
Guide For Use: Examples of such conditions include essential hypertension, psychiatric disorders, diabetes mellitus, epilepsy, cardiac disease and chronic renal disease. There is no arbitrary limit on the number of conditions specified.  
Verification Rules: Conditions should be coded within the Pregnancy, Childbirth, Puerperium chapter 15 of Volume 1, ICD-10-AM  
Related metadata: supersedes previous data element Maternal medical conditions - ICD-9-CM code version 1  
is used in conjunction with Complications of pregnancy version 2

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### *Administrative Attributes*

Source Document: International Classification of Diseases - Tenth Revision - Australian Modification, current edition. National Centre for Classification in Health, Sydney.

Source Organisation: National Perinatal Data Development Committee

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### *Data Element Links*

#### *Information Model Entities linked to this Data Element*

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#### *Data Agreements which include this Data Element*

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