Birth event—complication, code (ICD-10-AM 6th edn) ANN{.N[N]}

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Complication of labour and delivery |
| METEOR identifier: | 361071 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 22/12/2009 |
| Definition: | Medical and obstetric complications (necessitating intervention) arising after the onset of labour and before the completed delivery of the baby and placenta, as represented by a code. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Birth event—complication](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269436) |
| Value Domain: | [Pregnancy/childbirth and puerperium code (ICD-10-AM 6th edn) ANN{.N[N]}](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/361004) |

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| Value domain attributes | | |
| Representational attributes | | |
| Classification scheme: | [International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, Tenth Revision, Australian Modification 6th edition](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/360927) | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | String | |
| Format: | ANN{.N[N]} | |
| Maximum character length: | 6 | |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | Complications and conditions should be coded within the Pregnancy, Childbirth, Puerperium chapter 15 of Volume 1, ICD-10-AM. |



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| Data element attributes | |
| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Guide for use: | There is no arbitrary limit on the number of conditions specified. |
| Comments: | Complications of labour and delivery may cause maternal morbidity and may affect the health status of the baby at birth. |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | National Perinatal Data Development Committee |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Birth event—complication, code (ICD-10-AM 5th edn) ANN{.N[N]}](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/333818)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/02/2008  Has been superseded by [Birth event—complication, code (ICD-10-AM 7th edn) ANN{.N[N]}](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/391338)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 22/12/2009 |