

Pregnancy (current)—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:	Complications of pregnancy
METEOR identifier:	405790
Registration status:	Health , Superseded 22/12/2009
Definition:	Complications arising up to the period immediately preceding delivery that are directly attributable to the pregnancy and may have significantly affected care during the current pregnancy and/or pregnancy outcome, as represented by a code
Data Element Concept:	Pregnancy (current)—complication
Value Domain:	Pregnancy/childbirth and puerperium code (ICD-10-AM 6th edn) ANN{.N[N]}

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Classification scheme:	International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, Tenth Revision, Australian Modification 6th edition
Representation class:	Code
Data type:	String
Format:	ANN{.N[N]}
Maximum character length:	6

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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Guide for use:	Examples of these conditions include threatened abortion, antepartum haemorrhage, pregnancy-induced hypertension and gestational diabetes. There is no arbitrary limit on the number of complications specified.
Comments:	Complications often influence the course and outcome of pregnancy, possibly resulting in hospital admissions and/or adverse effects on the fetus and perinatal morbidity.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	National Perinatal Data Development Committee
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Relational attributes

**Related metadata
references:**

Supersedes [Pregnancy \(current\)—complication, code \(ICD-10-AM 5th edn\) ANN\(.N\[N\]\)](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 05/02/2008

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[Health](#), Standard 22/12/2009