

Estimated blood loss indicating primary postpartum haemorrhage

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Property
METEOR identifier:	524208
Registration status:	Health , Standard 07/03/2014
Definition:	<p>Estimated volume of abnormal or excessive blood loss from the genital tract within the first 24 hours postpartum.</p> <p>A blood loss of 500 mls is the usual minimum amount for identification of postpartum haemorrhage however a woman's haemodynamic instability is also taken into account, meaning that a smaller blood loss may be significant in a severely compromised woman. A loss of 1,000 mls or more is considered major or severe although definitions of severity vary.</p>
Property group:	Birth event

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	National Perinatal Data Development Committee
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Relational attributes

Data Element Concepts implementing this property:	Female—estimated blood loss indicating primary postpartum haemorrhage Health , Standard 07/03/2014
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