Female—estimated blood loss indicating primary postpartum haemorrhage

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element Concept |
| METEOR identifier: | 524213 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 07/03/2014 |
| Definition: | The estimated amount of blood lost by a female postpartum indicating the occurrence of  [**primary postpartum haemorrhage.**](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/524114) |

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Object class: | [Female](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269000) |
| Definition: | A human being of the sex which conceives and brings forth young. |
| Specialisation of: | [Person/group of persons](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/281123) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australia Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Origin: | Macquarie University 2003. The Macquarie Dictionary 3rd ed. Sydney: The Macquarie Library Pty Ltd. |

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Property: | [Estimated blood loss indicating primary postpartum haemorrhage](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/524208) |
| Definition: | Estimated volume of abnormal or excessive blood loss from the genital tract within the first 24 hours postpartum.  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. |
| Property group: | [Birth event](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/274641) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | National Perinatal Data Development Committee |

## Data element concept attributes

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### Relational attributes

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| Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept: | [Female—estimated blood loss indicating primary postpartum haemorrhage, estimated blood loss volume category code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/655567)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 03/12/2020  [Female—estimated blood loss indicating primary postpartum haemorrhage, estimated blood loss volume category code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/735069)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 03/12/2020  [Female—estimated blood loss indicating primary postpartum haemorrhage, estimated blood loss volume category, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/522192)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 05/10/2016 |