

# Establishment—obstetric/maternity unit indicator, yes/no code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Obstetric/maternity unit indicator
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	619977
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 03/11/2016
<b>Definition:</b>	An indicator of whether an establishment includes a facility dedicated to the care of obstetric/maternity patients, as represented by a code.
<b>Context:</b>	Health services
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Establishment—obstetric/maternity unit indicator</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Yes/no code N</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code	
<b>Data type:</b>	Boolean	
<b>Format:</b>	N	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1	
	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Yes
	2	No

### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** Australian Institute of Health and Welfare

## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

**Comments:** Essential to provide a broad picture of the availability of key specialised services by State and region and to assist with planning if services are over supplied in one region relative to another.

### Source and reference attributes

**Origin:** National Health Data Committee

### Relational attributes

**Related metadata references:** Supersedes [Establishment—specialised service indicator \(obstetric/maternity\), yes/no code N](#)  
[Health](#), Superseded 03/11/2016

**Implementation in Data Set Specifications:**

[Local Hospital Networks/Public hospital establishments NMDS 2020–21](#)  
[Health](#), Superseded 05/02/2021

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2020

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**Conditional obligation:**

This metadata item is only required for the **Public Hospital Establishments (PHE)** reporting level. It is collected once for each PHE.

[Local Hospital Networks/Public hospital establishments NMDS 2021–22](#)  
[Health](#), Superseded 17/12/2021

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**Conditional obligation:**

This metadata item is only required for the **Public Hospital Establishments (PHE)** reporting level. It is collected once for each PHE.

[Local Hospital Networks/Public hospital establishments NMDS 2022–23](#)  
[Health](#), Superseded 09/12/2022

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[Local Hospital Networks/Public hospital establishments NMDS 2023–24](#)  
[Health](#), Superseded 06/12/2023

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[Health](#), Standard 06/12/2023

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[Public hospital establishments data element cluster](#)

[Health](#), Superseded 25/01/2018

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2017

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[Health](#), Superseded 17/10/2018

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