Birth event—birth plurality

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element Concept |
| METEOR identifier: | 669969 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 12/12/2018  [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Superseded 02/04/2019 |
| Definition: | An indicator of multiple births resulting from a single pregnancy. |

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Object class: | [Birth event](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/268965) |
| Definition: | The sequence of actions by which a baby and the afterbirth (placenta) are expelled or extracted from the uterus at childbirth. The process usually starts spontaneously about 280 days after conception with onset of labour, but it may be started by artificial means. |
| Specialisation of: | [Life event](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/280947) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Origin: | University of Oxford 2002. Concise Colour Medical Dictionary 3rd ed. UK: Oxford University Press |

## Property attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Property: | [Birth plurality](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/669966) |
| Definition: | An indicator of multiple births resulting from a single pregnancy. |
| Property group: | [Birth event](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/274641) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |

## Data element concept attributes

### Relational attributes



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| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [Birth event—birth plurality](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/269433)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 02/08/2017  [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Superseded 22/10/2018  Has been superseded by [Pregnancy—birth plurality](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/695301)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 12/12/2018  [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Standard 02/04/2019 |
| Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept: | [Birth event—birth plurality, code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/668881)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Superseded 12/12/2018  [Indigenous](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/6), Superseded 02/04/2019 |