

Labour induction code N[N]

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Value Domain
METEOR identifier:	695344
Registration status:	Health , Superseded 03/12/2020
Definition:	A code set representing methods of labour induction.
Context:	Perinatal

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code
Data type:	Number
Format:	N[N]
Maximum character length:	2

	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Oxytocin
	2	Prostaglandins
	3	Artificial rupture of membranes (ARM)
	6	Mechanical cervical dilatation
	7	Antiprogestogen
	88	Other
Supplementary values:	99	Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	CODE 6 Mechanical cervical dilatation An example of this induction method is the use of a cervical ripening balloon catheter. CODE 7 Antiprogestogen Also known as antiprogesterone or antiprogestin.
Comments:	Code 4 has been omitted as it is no longer in use. For information about its meaning in previous data elements, see superseded versions. Code 5 has been omitted as it is no longer in use.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	National Perinatal Data Development Committee
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Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Supersedes Labour induction code N Health , Superseded 12/12/2018 Has been superseded by Labour induction code N[N] Health , Standard 03/12/2020 Tasmanian Health , Standard 08/11/2023
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**Data elements
implementing this value
domain:**

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