

# Product of birth—Apgar score at 1 minute, code NN

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Apgar score at 1 minute
METEOR identifier:	733421
Registration status:	<a href="#">Health</a> , Standard 03/12/2020 <a href="#">Tasmanian Health</a> , Standard 24/03/2023
Definition:	A numerical score used to indicate a baby's condition at 1 minute after birth.
Data Element Concept:	<a href="#">Product of birth—Apgar score at 1 minute</a>
Value Domain:	<a href="#">Apgar score code NN</a>

## Value domain attributes

### Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code	
<b>Data type:</b>	String	
<b>Format:</b>	NN	
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	2	
	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	00-10	Apgar score
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	99	Not stated/inadequately described

### Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	The score is based on the assessment of 5 characteristics of the baby: heart rate, respiratory condition, muscle tone, reflex irritability and skin colour. Each characteristic is given a score of between 0 and 2 points with a maximum total Apgar score of 10 points.
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### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	National Perinatal Data Development Committee
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## Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

Comments:	Required to analyse pregnancy outcome, particularly after complications of pregnancy, labour and birth. The Apgar score is an indicator of the health of a baby.
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### Relational attributes

**Related metadata  
references:**

Supersedes [Product of birth—Apgar score at 1 minute, code NN  
Health](#), Superseded 03/12/2020  
[Tasmanian Health](#), Superseded 24/03/2023

See also [Product of birth—Apgar score at 5 minutes, code NN  
Health](#), Standard 03/12/2020  
[Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 24/03/2023

**Implementation in Data Set  
Specifications:**

[Baby data elements \(TDLU\) cluster](#)  
[Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 17/11/2023  
**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2023  
**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2025

[Tasmanian Perinatal Data Set - 2023](#)  
[Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 23/11/2023  
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