

Female—childbirth indicator, yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Female childbirth indicator
Synonymous names:	Female parturition indicator
METEOR identifier:	739132
Registration status:	Indigenous , Standard 14/07/2021
Definition:	An indicator of whether a female person has given birth, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Female—childbirth indicator
Value Domain:	Yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Boolean	
Format:	N	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Yes
	2	No
Supplementary values:	9	Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	CODE 9 Not stated/inadequately described
	This code is not for use in primary data collections.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:

CODE 1 Yes

Record when a female person has given birth.

CODE 2 No

Record when a female person has not given birth.

CODE 9 Not stated/inadequately described

Record when the information is not stated or inadequately described.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW)

Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander specific primary health care NBEDS December 2023](#)[Indigenous](#), Superseded 27/04/2024**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2023**Implementation end date:** 31/12/2023**Conditional obligation:**Reporting against this data element is conditional on a 'CODE 2 Female' response to '[Person—sex, code X](#)'.

Data are only provided to the AIHW for females who gave birth during the 12 months up to the census date.

Data are provided to the AIHW relating to live births, and still births if the birthweight was at least 400 grams or the gestational age was 20 weeks or more.

DSS specific information:

In the ATSI PHC NBEDS only aggregated data with 'CODE 1 Yes' are provided to the AIHW.

[Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander specific primary health care NBEDS June 2024](#)[Indigenous](#), Standard 27/04/2024**Implementation start date:** 01/01/2024**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2024**Conditional obligation:**Reporting against this data element is conditional on a 'CODE 2 Female' response to '[Person—sex, code X](#)'.

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[Indigenous-specific primary health care NBEDS December 2020](#)[Indigenous](#), Superseded 03/07/2022**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2020**Implementation end date:** 31/12/2020**Conditional obligation:**Reporting against this data element is conditional on a 'CODE 2 Female' response to '[Person—sex, code X](#)'.

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DSS specific information:

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[Indigenous-specific primary health care NBEDS December 2021](#)

[Indigenous](#), Superseded 12/06/2023

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Implementation end date: 31/12/2021

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[Indigenous-specific primary health care NBEDS December 2022](#)

[Indigenous](#), Superseded 18/12/2023

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Implementation end date: 31/12/2022

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[Indigenous-specific primary health care NBEDS June 2021](#)

[Indigenous](#), Superseded 06/11/2022

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Implementation end date: 30/06/2021

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[Indigenous-specific primary health care NBEDS June 2022](#)

[Indigenous](#), Superseded 27/08/2023

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[Indigenous-specific primary health care NBEDS June 2023](#)

[Indigenous](#), Superseded 25/02/2024

Implementation start date: 01/01/2023

Implementation end date: 30/06/2023

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