New Zealand Ministry of Health: Mortality Collection (MORT)



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Identifying and definitional attributes

Item type: Data Source **METEOR identifier:** 742139

Description: The Mortality Collection (MORT) combines death registration and stillbirth

registration data with cause of death information, which is then collated and coded to create national cause of death statistics for New Zealand. Extra variables—gestation and birthweight—are collected for fetal and infant data, a subset of MORT. Data is provided on a monthly basis by the New Zealand Government's Births, Deaths and Marriages to be corroborated with Certificates of Causes of Death, and includes demographic and cause of death information. The major datasets used are the Fetal and Infants Deaths annual report tables, and the annual

Mortality data tables.

Link to data source: https://www.health.govt.nz/nz-health-statistics/national-collections-and-

surveys/collections/mortality-collection

Collection and usage attributes

National reporting

1998-2016

arrangement: Frequency:

Annual

Implementation start date:

01/07/1998

Source and reference attributes

Data custodian:New Zealand Ministry of HealthSubmitting organisation:New Zealand Ministry of Health