National Framework for Protecting Australia's Children 2009-2020: Indicator 0.4–Low birthweight, 2022

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Indicator |
| Indicator type: | Indicator |
| Short name: | 0.4–Proportion of live born infants of low birthweight, 2022 |
| METEOR identifier: | 757258 |
| Registration status: | [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 15/06/2022 |
| Description: | The proportion of live born infants of low birthweight. |
| Indicator set: | [National Framework for Protecting Australia's Children 2009-2020 (2022)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/757256)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Standard 15/06/2022 |

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| Collection and usage attributes | |
| Numerator: | Number of low birthweight (<2,500 grams) live born infants in the reference period. |
| Numerator data elements: | **Data Element / Data Set**  **Data Source**  [AIHW National Perinatal Data Collection (NPDC)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/392479) |
| Denominator: | Number of births (live born) registered in the reference period. |
| Denominator data elements: | **Data Element / Data Set**  **Data Source**  [AIHW National Perinatal Data Collection (NPDC)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/392479) |
| Representational attributes | |
| Representation class: | Percentage |
| Data type: | Real |
| Unit of measure: | Life event (e.g. birth, death) |
| Format: | N[NN].N |
| Data source attributes | |
| Data sources: | **Data Source**  [AIHW National Perinatal Data Collection (NPDC)](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/392479)  **Frequency**  Calendar years ending 31 December each year  **Data custodian**    Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Accountability attributes | |
| Reporting requirements: | Not applicable |
| Organisation responsible for providing data: | Not applicable |
| Accountability: | Not applicable |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Steward: | [Australian Institute of Health and Welfare](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/246013) |
| Relational attributes | |
| Related metadata references: | Supersedes [National Framework for Protecting Australia's Children 2009-2020: Indicator 0.4–Low birthweight, 2021](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/744636)  [Children and Families](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/17), Superseded 15/06/2022 |