

Birth event—anaesthesia administered indicator, yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Anaesthesia administered during birth event indicator
METEOR identifier:	762141
Registration status:	Health , Standard 09/12/2022
Definition:	An indicator of whether anaesthesia was administered to the female during a birth event with instrumental or operative delivery, as represented by a code.
Context:	Perinatal
Data Element Concept:	Birth event—anaesthesia administered 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.
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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:	This data element should be recorded in conjunction with the Birth event—type of anaesthesia administered, code N[N] data element when the anaesthesia administered indicator is Code 1 (Yes).
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Source and reference attributes

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Relational attributes

Related metadata references: Supersedes [Birth event—anaesthesia administered indicator, yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N](#)
[Health](#), Superseded 09/12/2022

See also [Birth event—birth method, code N](#)
[Health](#), Superseded 09/12/2022

See also [Birth event—type of anaesthesia administered, code N\[N\]](#)
[Health](#), Standard 17/12/2021
[Tasmanian Health](#), Standard 08/11/2023

Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Perinatal NMDS 2023–24](#)
[Health](#), Superseded 06/12/2023
Implementation start date: 01/07/2023
Implementation end date: 30/06/2024
Conditional obligation:

This data element is only to be recorded if the response to the [Birth event—birth method, code N](#) data element is Code 2 (Vaginal—forceps), Code 4 (Caesarean section) or Code 5 (Vaginal—vacuum extraction).

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