# Pregnancy—estimated date of confinement

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## Pregnancy—estimated date of confinement

### Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element Concept
METEOR identifier:	786003
Registration status:	Tasmanian Health, Standard 14/11/2023
Definition:	The estimated date of confinement.

## **Object Class attributes**

## Identifying and definitional attributes

Object class:	Pregnancy
Definition:	The period during which a woman carries a developing fetus, normally in the uterus. Pregnancy lasts for approximately 266 days, from conception until the baby is born, or 280 days from the first day of the last menstrual period. During pregnancy menstruation is absent, there may be a great increase in appetite, and the breasts increase in size; the woman may also experience morning sickness. These and other changes brought about by a hormone (progesterone) produced at first by the ovary and later by the placenta. Definite evidence of pregnancy is provided by various pregnancy tests, by the detection of the heartbeat of the fetus, and by ultrasound.
Specialisation of:	Life event

#### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australia Institute of Health and Welfare	
Origin:	University of Oxford 2002. Concise Colour Medical Dictionary 3rd ed. UK: Oxford University Press	

## **Property attributes**

#### Identifying and definitional attributes

Property:		Estimated date of confinement
Definition:		The estimated date of confinement.
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Submitting organisation: Tasmanian Health

## Data element concept attributes

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#### **Relational attributes**

Data Elements	Pregnancy—estimated date of confinement determination method, code N
implementing this Data	Tasmanian Health, Standard 14/11/2023
Element Concept:	Pregnancy—estimated date of confinement, DDMMYYYY
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