Birth event—caesarean urgency, code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element |
| Short name: | Caesarean urgency type |
| METEOR identifier: | 786229 |
| Registration status: | [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 15/11/2023 |
| Definition: | The urgency type of a caesarean section. |
| Data Element Concept: | [Birth event—caesarean urgency](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/786226)  |
| Value Domain: | [Caesarean urgency N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/786221) |

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| Value domain attributes |
| Representational attributes |
| Representation class: | Count |
| Data type: | Number |
| Format: | N |
| Maximum character length: | 1 |
|   | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Elective |
|   | 2  | Emergency  |
| Unit of measure: | Caesarean sections |

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| Collection and usage attributes |
| Guide for use: | Code 1 ElectiveA planned procedure performed* Prior to onset of labour and before spontaneous rupture of membranes
* Without any procedure to induce labour

Code 2 EmergencyEmergency caesarean section includes any caesarean section performed as an unplanned (at the time) procedure, including booked elective caesarean section with ROM or contractions prior to elective procedure, caesarean section performed because of abnormal fetal monitoring prior to onset of labour, failure to progress, dystocia etc.   |

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| Source and reference attributes |
| Submitting organisation: | Tasmanian Health |

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| Relational attributes |
| Implementation in Data Set Specifications: | [Mother delivery related data elements (TDLU) cluster](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/786617)       [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 17/11/2023***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2023***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2025[Tasmanian Perinatal Data Set - 2023](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/774938)       [Tasmanian Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/15), Standard 23/11/2023***Implementation start date:*** 01/07/2023***Implementation end date:*** 30/06/2024 |