Birth order



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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Property **METEOR** identifier: 269038

Registration status: Health!, Superseded 02/08/2017

Tasmanian Health, Superseded 24/06/2020

Definition: The sequence number in the multiple birth.

Context: National Minimum Data Set (NMDS) Perinatal:

> Required to analyse pregnancy outcome according to birth order and identify the individual baby resulting from a multiple birth pregnancy. Multiple births have higher risks of perinatal mortality and morbidity. Multiple birth pregnancies are often associated with obstetric complications, labour and delivery complications, higher rates of neonatal morbidity, low birthweight, and a higher perinatal death rate.

Data Set Specification (DSS) - Health care client identification:

While this piece of information is normally recorded for multiple births against the mother's record, if the health care client volunteers the information, it should be

recorded.

Property group: Birth event

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare Origin: AS5017 Health Care Client Identification

Relational attributes

Related metadata Has been superseded by Birth order

Health!, Recorded 21/07/2016 references:

> Has been superseded by Birth order Health!, Standard 02/08/2017

> > Tasmanian Health, Standard 24/06/2020

Data Element Concepts Birth—birth order

implementing this

Health!, Superseded 02/08/2017

Tasmanian Health, Superseded 24/06/2020 property: