Pregnancy (current)—complication

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Data Element Concept |
| METEOR identifier: | 269439 |
| Registration status: | [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 01/03/2005 |
| Definition: | Complications arising up to the period immediately preceding delivery that are directly attributable to the pregnancy and may have significantly affected care during the current pregnancy and/or pregnancy outcome. |
| Context: | Perinatal statistics |

## Object Class attributes

### Identifying and definitional attributes

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| Object class: | [Pregnancy](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/268966) |
| 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](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/280947) |
| 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

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| Property: | [Complication](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/269096) |
| Definition: | A disease or disorder concurrent with another disease, disorder or condition. |
| Property group: | [Illness and/or Injury event](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/524414) |
| Source and reference attributes | |
| Submitting organisation: | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
| Origin: | Dorland's Illustrated Medical Dictionary 30th ed. Philadelphia: Saunders |

## Data element concept attributes

### Relational attributes



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| Data Elements implementing this Data Element Concept: | [Pregnancy (current)—complication, code (ICD-10-AM 3rd edn) ANN{.N[N]}](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/269999)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 28/06/2004  [Pregnancy (current)—complication, code (ICD-10-AM 4th edn) ANN{.N[N]}](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/333936)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 07/12/2005  [Pregnancy (current)—complication, code (ICD-10-AM 5th edn) ANN{.N[N]}](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/333938)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 05/02/2008  [Pregnancy (current)—complication, code (ICD-10-AM 6th edn) ANN{.N[N]}](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/405790)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Superseded 22/12/2009  [Pregnancy (current)—complication, code (ICD-10-AM 7th edn) ANN{.N[N]}](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/content/405823)  [Health!](https://meteor-uat.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/14), Standard 22/12/2009 |