

Establishment—obstetric/maternity unit indicator, yes/no code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Obstetric/maternity unit indicator
METEOR identifier:	619977
Registration status:	Health! , Standard 03/11/2016
Definition:	An indicator of whether an establishment includes a facility dedicated to the care of obstetric/maternity patients, as represented by a code.
Context:	Health services
Data Element Concept:	Establishment—obstetric/maternity unit indicator
Value Domain:	Yes/no 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

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Comments:	Essential to provide a broad picture of the availability of key specialised services by State and region and to assist with planning if services are over supplied in one region relative to another.
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Source and reference attributes

Origin:	National Health Data Committee
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Relational attributes

Related metadata references:	Supersedes Establishment—specialised service indicator (obstetric/maternity), yes/no code N Health! , Superseded 03/11/2016
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Implementation in Data Set Specifications: [Local Hospital Networks/Public hospital establishments NMDS 2020–21](#)
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Implementation start date: 01/07/2020

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Conditional obligation:

This metadata item is only required for the **Public Hospital Establishments (PHE)** reporting level. It is collected once for each PHE.

[Local Hospital Networks/Public hospital establishments NMDS 2021–22](#)

[Health!](#), Superseded 17/12/2021

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[Public hospital establishments data element cluster](#)

[Health!](#), Superseded 25/01/2018

Implementation start date: 01/07/2017

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[Health!](#), Superseded 17/10/2018

Implementation start date: 01/07/2018

[Public hospital establishments data element cluster](#)

[Health!](#), Standard 17/10/2018

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