

# Female—type of diabetes mellitus therapy during pregnancy, code N

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

<b>Metadata item type:</b>	Data Element
<b>Short name:</b>	Diabetes therapy type during pregnancy
<b>METEOR identifier:</b>	668948
<b>Registration status:</b>	<a href="#">HealthI</a> , Superseded 12/12/2018
<b>Definition:</b>	The type of diabetes mellitus treatment which a female is prescribed during pregnancy, as represented by a code.
<b>Data Element Concept:</b>	<a href="#">Female—type of diabetes mellitus therapy during pregnancy</a>
<b>Value Domain:</b>	<a href="#">Type of diabetes mellitus therapy during pregnancy code N</a>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

<b>Representation class:</b>	Code
<b>Data type:</b>	Number
<b>Format:</b>	N
<b>Maximum character length:</b>	1

	<b>Value</b>	<b>Meaning</b>
<b>Permissible values:</b>	1	Insulin
	2	Oral hypoglycaemic
	3	Diet and exercise
<b>Supplementary values:</b>	9	Not stated/inadequately described

## Collection and usage attributes

<b>Guide for use:</b>	<p>All therapies prescribed during pregnancy should be recorded. Therefore more than one code can be selected when reporting this item.</p> <p>CODE 2 Oral hypoglycaemic</p> <p>This code includes the options of sulphonylurea, biguanide (e.g. metformin), alpha-glucosidase inhibitor, thiazolidinedione, meglitinide, combination (e.g. biguanide and sulphonylurea), or other.</p> <p>CODE 3 Diet and exercise</p> <p>This code includes the options of generalised prescribed diet; avoid added sugar/simple carbohydrates (CHOs); low joule diet; portion exchange diet and uses glycaemic index and a recommendation for increased exercise.</p> <p>CODE 9 Not stated/inadequately described</p> <p>To be recorded by data entry personnel (state/territory health authority) if the data field is left blank or is inadequately completed in the perinatal data collection form or extract. Clinicians should not record Code 9.</p>
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# Data element attributes

## Collection and usage attributes

### Collection methods:

Jurisdictions that record perinatal data using the ICD-10-AM should apply the following codes, noting that the ICD-10-AM uses a hierarchical coding system for therapy type, and therefore not all types of therapy will necessarily be recorded:

'Code 1 Insulin' is equivalent in the ICD-10-AM to a code in the range O24.1–O24.9 used in conjunction with the fifth character '2' (insulin treated). Note that where a female has Type 1 diabetes, there is no equivalent fifth character applied to the ICD-10-AM code because Type 1 diabetes is always insulin-treated.

'Code 2 Oral hypoglycaemic' is equivalent in the ICD-10-AM to a code in the range O24.1–O24.9 used in conjunction with the fifth character '3' (oral hypoglycaemic therapy).

'Code 3 Diet and exercise' is equivalent in the ICD-10-AM to a code in the range O24.1–O24.9 used in conjunction with the fifth character '4' (other; diet; exercise; lifestyle management).

For example, for a female who has pre-existing Type 2 diabetes mellitus and uses oral hypoglycaemic therapy and insulin, this would be coded in the ICD-10-AM as O2412 and would be reported against this data item using Code 1.

## Source and reference attributes

### Reference documents:

Australian Consortium for Classification Development (ACCD) 2017. The International Statistical Classification of Diseases and Related Health Problems, Tenth Revision, Australian Modification (ICD-10-AM), Australian Classification of Health Interventions (ACHI) and Australian Coding Standards (ACS), Tenth edn. Sydney: ACCD, University of Sydney.

## Relational attributes

### Related metadata references:

Supersedes [Female—type of diabetes mellitus therapy during pregnancy, code N Health!](#), Superseded 02/08/2017

Has been superseded by [Female—type of diabetes mellitus therapy during pregnancy, code N Health!](#), Superseded 20/11/2019

See also [Female—diabetes mellitus during pregnancy indicator, yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N Health!](#), Superseded 20/11/2019

See also [Female—type of diabetes mellitus during pregnancy, code N Health!](#), Superseded 20/11/2019

See also [Person—diabetes therapy type, code NN Health!](#), Standard 01/03/2005

### Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Perinatal NBEDS 2018-19 Health!](#), Superseded 12/12/2018

**Implementation start date:** 01/07/2018

**Implementation end date:** 30/06/2019

**Conditional obligation:**

This data element is conditional on [Female—diabetes mellitus during pregnancy indicator, yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N](#) being coded to Yes.