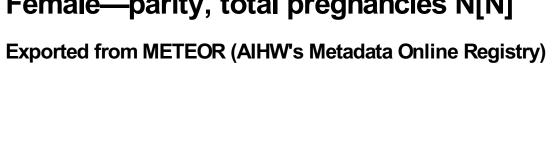
# Female—parity, total pregnancies N[N]



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## Female—parity, total pregnancies N[N]

## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Parity
METEOR identifier: 696262

**Registration status:** Health!, Superseded 03/12/2020

Tasmanian Health, Superseded 11/06/2021

**Definition:** The total number of previous pregnancies experienced by a female that have

resulted in a live birth or a stillbirth.

Context: Perinatal

Data Element Concept: Female—parity

Value Domain: <u>Total pregnancies N[N]</u>

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

Representation class: Total

Data type: Number

Format: N[N]

Maximum character length: 2

Value Meaning

**Supplementary values:** 99 Not stated

Unit of measure: Pregnancy

### Data element attributes

### Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use: To calculate parity, count all previous pregnancies that resulted in a live birth or a

stillbirth of at least 20 weeks gestation or at least 400 grams birthweight. Excluded

from the count are:

the current pregnancy

• pregnancies resulting in spontaneous or induced abortions before 20 weeks

gestation

ectopic pregnancies.

A primipara (a female giving birth for the first time) has a parity of 0.

**Collection methods:** A pregnancy with multiple fetuses is counted as one pregnancy.

**Comments:** The number of previous pregnancies that resulted in a birth is an important

component of the female's reproductive history. Parity may be a risk factor for

adverse maternal and perinatal outcomes.

#### Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: National Perinatal Data Development Committee

Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes  $\underline{\text{Female---parity, total pregnancies N[N]}}$ 

Health!, Superseded 12/12/2018

Tasmanian Health, Superseded 03/07/2020

Has been superseded by Female—parity, total pregnancies N[N]

Health!, Standard 03/12/2020

Tasmanian Health, Standard 11/06/2021

Implementation in Data Set Perinatal NMDS 2019–20

Specifications:

Health!, Superseded 03/12/2020

Implementation start date: 01/07/2019 Implementation end date: 30/06/2020

DSS specific information:

This data element is recorded for the mother only.

Perinatal NMDS 2020-21

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# Implementation in Indicators:

#### **Used as Numerator**

National Core Maternity Indicators: P103–Episiotomy for females giving birth for the first time and giving birth vaginally, 2021

Health!, Standard 17/12/2021

National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 05—Induction of labour for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2021

Health!, Standard 17/12/2021

National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 06—Caesarean section for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2021

Health!, Standard 17/12/2021

National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 07—Non-instrumental vaginal birth for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2021

Health!, Standard 17/12/2021

National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 08—Instrumental vaginal birth for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2021

Health!, Standard 17/12/2021

National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 13—Third and fourth degree tears for vaginal births, 2021

Health!, Standard 17/12/2021

National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 15—Females having their second birth vaginally whose first birth was by caesarean section, 2021

Health!, Standard 17/12/2021

#### **Used as Denominator**

National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 03—Episiotomy for females giving birth for the first time and giving birth vaginally, 2021

Health!, Standard 17/12/2021

National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 05—Induction of labour for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2021

Health!, Standard 17/12/2021

National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 06–Caesarean section for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2021

Health!, Standard 17/12/2021

National Core Maternity Indicators: PI 07—Non-instrumental vaginal birth for selected females giving birth for the first time, 2021

Health!, Standard 17/12/2021

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