# Product of birth—Apgar score at 1 minute, code NN



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## Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

**Short name:** Apgar score at 1 minute

METEOR identifier: 696348

**Registration status:** <u>Tasmanian Health</u>, Standard 24/06/2020

Health!, Superseded 03/12/2020

**Definition:** A numerical score used to indicate a baby's condition at 1 minute after birth.

Data Element Concept: Product of birth—Appar score at 1 minute

Value Domain: Apgar score code NN

## Value domain attributes

## Representational attributes

Representation class: Code

Data type: String

Format: NN

Maximum character length: 2

Value Meaning

**Permissible values:** 00-10 Apgar score

**Supplementary values:** 99 Not stated/inadequately described

# Collection and usage attributes

**Guide for use:** The score is based on the assessment of 5 characteristics of the baby: heart rate,

respiratory condition, muscle tone, reflex irritability and skin colour. Each characteristic is given a score of between 0 and 2 points with a maximum total

Apgar score of 10 points.

### Source and reference attributes

**Submitting organisation:** National Perinatal Data Development Committee

## Data element attributes

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**Comments:** Required to analyse pregnancy outcome, particularly after complications of

pregnancy, labour and birth. The Apgar score is an indicator of the health of a baby.

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Relational attributes

Related metadata references:

Supersedes <u>Birth—Apgar score (at 1 minute)</u>, code <u>NN</u> <u>Health!</u>, Superseded 12/12/2018

Has been superseded by <u>Product of birth—Apgar score at 1 minute, code NN Health!</u>, Standard 03/12/2020

See also <u>Product of birth—Apgar score at 5 minutes, code NN Health!</u>, Superseded 03/12/2020 <u>Tasmanian Health</u>, Standard 24/06/2020