

Product of birth—perinatal death type, code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Perinatal death type
METEOR identifier:	716377
Registration status:	Health! , Standard 17/12/2021
Definition:	The type of perinatal death assigned to a product of birth as determined by the timing of the death in relation to the birth, as represented by a code.

Data element concept attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Data element concept:	Product of birth—perinatal death type
METEOR identifier:	716368
Registration status:	Health! , Standard 17/12/2021
Definition:	The type of perinatal death assigned to a product of birth as determined by the timing of the death in relation to the birth.
Object class:	Product of birth
Property:	Perinatal death type

Value domain attributes

Identifying and definitional attributes

Value domain:	Type of perinatal death code N
METEOR identifier:	716370
Registration status:	Health! , Standard 17/12/2021
Definition:	A code set representing the type of perinatal death assigned to a product of birth.

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Stillbirth
	2	Neonatal death
Supplementary values:	9	Not stated/inadequately described

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation:	Australian Institute of Health and Welfare
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Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:

CODE 1 Stillbirth

Use this code for a [fetal death](#), when the death of the fetus occurred prior to the complete expulsion or extraction from its mother. Death is indicated by the fact that after such separation, the product of birth does not breathe or show any other evidence of life.

CODE 2 Neonatal death

Use this code for a [neonatal death](#), when the death of a [liveborn baby](#) occurs within 28 days of birth. Life is indicated by the fact that after complete expulsion or extraction from its mother, the product of birth breathes or shows other evidence of life.

CODE 9 Not stated/inadequately described

Use this code when data is missing or inadequately described. It is not intended for use on primary collection instruments

Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set Specifications:

[Perinatal Mortality NBEDS 2022–23 Health!](#), Standard 17/12/2021

Implementation start date: 01/07/2022

Implementation end date: 30/06/2023

DSS specific information:

In the case of multiple births, this data element should be recorded for each perinatal death.