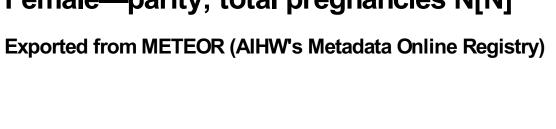
Female—parity, total pregnancies N[N]



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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type: Data Element

Short name: Parity
METEOR identifier: 733287

Registration status: <u>Health!</u>, Standard 03/12/2020

Tasmanian Health, Standard 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 <u>live birth</u> 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 Supersedes Female—parity, total pregnancies N[N] references:

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DSS specific information:

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