

Female—childbirth indicator, yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N

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Identifying and definitional attributes

Metadata item type:	Data Element
Short name:	Female childbirth indicator
Synonymous names:	Female parturition indicator
METEOR identifier:	739132
Registration status:	Indigenous , Standard 14/07/2021
Definition:	An indicator of whether a female person has given birth, as represented by a code.
Data Element Concept:	Female—childbirth indicator
Value Domain:	Yes/no/not stated/inadequately described code N

Value domain attributes

Representational attributes

Representation class:	Code	
Data type:	Number	
Format:	N	
Maximum character length:	1	
	Value	Meaning
Permissible values:	1	Yes
	2	No
Supplementary values:	9	Not stated/inadequately described

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	CODE 9 Not stated/inadequately described
	This code is not for use in primary data collections.

Data element attributes

Collection and usage attributes

Guide for use:	CODE 1 Yes
	Record when a female person has given birth.
	CODE 2 No
	Record when a female person has not given birth.
	CODE 9 Not stated/inadequately described
	Record when the information is not stated or inadequately described.

Source and reference attributes

Submitting organisation: Australian Institute of Health and Welfare (AIHW)

Relational attributes

Implementation in Data Set [Indigenous-specific primary health care NBEDS December 2020](#)

Specifications: [Indigenous](#), Standard 14/07/2021

Implementation start date: 01/07/2020

Implementation end date: 31/12/2020

Conditional obligation:

Reporting against this data element is conditional on a 'CODE 2 Female' response to '[Person—sex, code X](#)'.

Data are only provided to the AIHW for females who gave birth during the 12 months up to the census date.

Data are provided to the AIHW relating to [live births](#), and [still births](#) if the birthweight was at least 400 grams or the gestational age was 20 weeks or more.

DSS specific information:

In the ISPHC NBEDS only aggregated data with CODE 1 are provided to the AIHW.