

# Perinatal Mortality NBEDS 2022–23

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## Identifying and definitional attributes

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| <b>Metadata item type:</b>  | Data Set Specification                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>METEOR identifier:</b>   | 750304                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| <b>Registration status:</b> | <a href="#">Health!</a> , Standard 17/12/2021                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| <b>DSS type:</b>            | Data Set Specification (DSS)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| <b>Scope:</b>               | <p>The scope of the Perinatal Mortality National Best Endeavours Data Set (NBEDS) is all <a href="#">perinatal deaths</a> in Australia in hospitals, birth centres and the community. The data set includes information on both <a href="#">neonatal deaths</a> and fetal deaths (<a href="#">stillbirths</a>) of at least 20 weeks gestation or 400 grams birthweight.</p> <p>These data have two dimensions, which are the baby and the mother. All data relevant to the birth are conveyed in relation to one of these.</p> |

## Collection and usage attributes

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| <b>Statistical unit:</b>          | <p>As there are two dimensions to the data, there are two statistical units:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Mother</li><li>2. Baby (Product of birth).</li></ol> <p>In the case of multiple births, data are collected once for each mother and once for each perinatal death.</p>  |
| <b>Guide for use:</b>             | This NBEDS is intended as an interim standard only. If jurisdictions are able to report the data elements then they should do so.                                                                                                                                                                 |
| <b>Collection methods:</b>        | <p>National reporting arrangements:</p> <p>State and territory health authorities provide the data to the Australian Institute of Health and Welfare for national collation, on an annual basis.</p> <p>Periods for which data are collected:</p> <p>Financial year ending 30 June each year.</p> |
| <b>Implementation start date:</b> | 01/07/2022                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <b>Implementation end date:</b>   | 30/06/2023                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| <b>Comments:</b>                  | <p>Glossary items that are relevant to this NBEDS are included here.</p> <p><a href="#">Live birth</a></p> <p><a href="#">Neonatal death</a></p> <p><a href="#">Perinatal death</a></p> <p><a href="#">Stillbirth (fetal death)</a></p> <p><a href="#">Termination of pregnancy</a></p>           |

## Source and reference attributes

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| <b>Submitting organisation:</b> | Australian Institute of Health and Welfare |
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## Relational attributes

## Metadata items in this Data Set Specification

| Seq No. | Metadata item                                                                                                                                                      | Obligation  | Max occurs |
|---------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|------------|
| -       | <a href="#">Pregnancy—primary reason for termination of pregnancy, code N[N]</a>                                                                                   | Mandatory   | 1          |
|         | <i>DSS specific information:</i>                                                                                                                                   |             |            |
|         | This data element is recorded for the mother only.                                                                                                                 |             |            |
| -       | <a href="#">Product of birth—perinatal death type, code N</a>                                                                                                      | Mandatory   | 1          |
|         | <i>DSS specific information:</i>                                                                                                                                   |             |            |
|         | In the case of multiple births, this data element should be recorded for each perinatal death.                                                                     |             |            |
| -       | <a href="#">Product of birth—timing of fetal death, code N</a>                                                                                                     | Conditional | 1          |
|         | <i>Conditional obligation:</i>                                                                                                                                     |             |            |
|         | This data element is only to be recorded if the response to the <a href="#">Product of birth—perinatal death type, code N</a> data element is Code 1 (Stillbirth). |             |            |
|         | <i>DSS specific information:</i>                                                                                                                                   |             |            |
|         | In the case of multiple births, this data element should be recorded for each stillbirth.                                                                          |             |            |
| -       | <a href="#">Product of birth—type of autopsy performed, code N</a>                                                                                                 | Mandatory   | 1          |
|         | <i>DSS specific information:</i>                                                                                                                                   |             |            |
|         | In the case of multiple births, this data element should be recorded for each perinatal death.                                                                     |             |            |