

Perinatal death data collection form

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TYPE OF DEATH

Data should be submitted for the following types of death using information available in the maternal and/or baby case notes and discharge summary:

- Late fetal loss : a baby delivered between 22⁺⁰ and 23⁺⁶ weeks gestational age showing no signs of life, irrespective of when the death occurred.
- **Stillbirth**: a baby delivered at or after 24⁺⁰ weeks gestational age (or with a birthweight of 400g or more where an accurate estimate of gestation is not available) showing no signs of life, irrespective of when the death occurred.
- **Early neonatal death**: A live born baby (born at 20⁺⁰ weeks gestational age or later, or with a birthweight of 400g or more where an accurate estimate of gestation is not available) who died *before* 7 completed days after birth.
- Late neonatal death: A live born baby (born at 20⁺⁰ weeks gestational age or later, or with a birthweight of 400g or more where an accurate estimate of gestation is not available) who died *from* 7 completed days after birth but *before* 28 completed days after birth.

IMPORTANT:

Births showing no signs of life (stillbirths and late fetal losses) – all births delivered from 22⁺⁰ showing no signs of life must be reported to MBRRACE-UK, irrespective of when the death occurred. This is to ensure complete data collection in line with the WHO guidelines and to allow international comparisons. Please ensure that both the date of delivery and the date of confirmation of death are reported.

Termination of pregnancy: Any late fetal loss, stillbirth or neonatal death resulting from a termination of pregnancy should be reported. Limited information is collected in the initial notification only. Items marked * are required in order to complete the notification.

Multiple pregnancies: For multiple pregnancies, please complete additional copies of pages 6 to 8 for each additional birth. Where the death of a baby is confirmed before 20⁺⁰ weeks gestation but the baby is delivered at 22⁺⁰ weeks gestation or later AND the birthweight is less than 200g, you will only be required to complete the initial notification for this baby.

Person completing notification



1.1 Woman's identifiers	
Family name/surname*	Given name/first name*
Address*	Postcode*
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Date of birth* (dd/mm/yyyy) or Age* (years) / / / / /	
NHS/CHI number*	Hospital number*
Tick if ineligible for NHS/CHI number	
1.2 Woman's details	
Ethnic category*	
White British	Bangladeshi
White Irish	Asian other
White other Mixed White and Black Caribbean	Black Caribbean
Mixed White and Black African	Black other
Mixed White and Asian	
Mixed other	Other
	Not known
Pakistani	
Country of birth	Time resident in UK at booking □ < 1 year □ ≥ 1 year □ Not known
	< 1 year ≥ 1 year Not known
Documented communication difficulties?	
Yes No Not known	If yes, type of communication difficulties:
	Learning difficulties Language barrier Other*
Age at leaving full-time education (years)	
Woman's qualification attainment level (Select highest or	closest)
No qualifications	NVQ Level 3/Advanced GNVQ/City and Guilds Advanced
1 - 4 O Levels/GCSE's (any grade)/Entry Level/Foundation Diplom	Craft/ONC/OND/BTEC National/RSA Advanced Diploma
NVQ Level 1/Foundation GNVQ/Basic Skills	Degree (for example BA, BSc), Higher Degree (for example MA, PhD, PGCE)
5+ O Levels (passes)/CSE (grade 1)/GCSE (grades A* - C)/School	NVQ Level 4 - 5/HNC/HND/RSA Higher Diploma/BTEC Higher Level
Certificate/1 A Level/2 - 3 AS Levels/VCE/Higher Diploma	Professional Qualifications (e.g. teaching, nursing, accountancy)
NVQ Level 2/Intermediate GNVQ/City and Guilds Craft/BTEC First General Diploma/RSA Diploma	
2+ A Levels or VCE's/4+ AS Levels/Higher School	Foreign qualifications
Certificate/Progression or Advanced Diploma	Not known
Main support during pregnancy	
Partner (cohabiting) Family/friend	Not known
Partner (not cohabiting)	

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1.2 Woman's details continued			
Employment status at booking	Did woman have a partner?		
Employed or self-employed (full or part-time)	Yes No Not known		
Unemployed (looking for work)	Partner's employment status at booking		
Retired	Employed or self-employed (full or part-time)		
Student (full or part-time)	Unemployed (looking for work)		
Looking after home/family	Retired		
Permanently sick/disabled	Student (full or part-time)		
Contraction of the second seco	Looking after home/family		
Not known	Permanently sick/disabled		
	Other		
	Not known		
Parents' blood relationship	Was woman refugee or asylum seeker?		
Unrelated Other relation	Yes No Not known		
First cousins or closer			
Evidence of homelessness or living in temporary	History of homelessness or living in temporary		
accommodation at any point during this pregnancy?	accommodation <u>at any point prior to this pregnancy</u> ?		
Yes No	Yes No		
If Yes, accommodation types during this pregnancy (tick all that	If Yes, accommodation types prior to this pregnancy (tick all		
apply):	that apply):		
Emergency accommodation to prevent or relieve homelessness – Bed and breakfast or hotel	Emergency accommodation to prevent or relieve homelessness – Bed and breakfast or hotel		
Hostel or night shelter to prevent or relieve homelessness	Hostel or night shelter to prevent or relieve homelessness		
House/flat where Local Authority has placed family under homelessness duty (Council owned, private landlord, housing association)	House/flat where Local Authority has placed family under homelessness duty (Council owned, private landlord, housing association)		
Supported accommodation to relieve homelessness	Supported accommodation to relieve homelessness		
Rough sleeping/squatting	Rough sleeping/squatting		
Unspecified temporary accommodation	Unspecified temporary accommodation		
2.1 Woman's health			
Did this woman have any of the following pre-existing medic	al problems?		
Yes (specify below)			
Asthma requiring an increase in treatment or admission to hospital	Hypertension		
🔲 Autoimmune disease e.g. lupus, scleroderma	Inflammatory bowel disease		
Blood/clotting disorders	Learning disability		
Cardiac disease including dysrhythmia	Physical disability		
Cystic fibrosis	Psychological or mental health problems including eating disorders		
Diabetes	Renal disease		
Endocrine problem other than thyroid disease or diabetes Epilepsy treated with anti-convulsants	Thrombosis Thyroid disease		
Genetic/hereditary condition			
Haematological disorders/haemoglobinopathies	Uterine or other significant surgery		
Hepatitis B or C	Other:		
Tobacco smoking status	Electronic cigarette use		
Never used Gave up during pregnancy Gave up during pregnancy	Never used Gave up during pregnancy		
Non-user at booking (history Smoker	Non-user at booking (history Electronic cigarette user		
Gave up before pregnancy	Gave up before pregnancy		

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2.1 Woma	n's health c	ontinued				V0.2 Apr 2024
2.1 Woman's health continued Breath carbon monoxide (parts per million)						
Breath Carb		(parts per minion)				
Was there o	locumented a	alcohol abuse?		Was there do	cumented substa	nce abuse?
Yes	No	Not known		Yes	No No	ot known
3.1 Previo	us pregnanc	ies				
Number of	previous pre	gnancies (Please copy this	s sheet if more t	han 4 previou	s pregnancy outcor	mes)
For	•	s pregnancy, please list all l live births, please also sta				e whether an infant death
Pregnancy number	Fetus number	Outcome (all births)	Year (all births)	Gestation (weeks) (all births)	Birth weight (grams) (SB & LB only)	Infant death? (LB only
	of	TOP Fetal loss (0-23 w) Stillbirth (≥ 24 w) Live birth				Yes No Not known
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	of	TOP Fetal loss (0-23 w) Stillbirth (≥ 24 w) Live birth				Yes No Not known
3.2 Obstet	tric history					
Did this wo	man have an	y of the following previo	us pregnancy c	omplication	s?	
Ves (specif	y below) 🗌 No	o 🗌 Not known				
Caesarean Excessive of Gestationa Group B S Growth re Placenta a Pregnancy	a birthweight > section in any p gestational weig al diabetes trep infection in stricted baby/sn ccreta/increta/p r induced hypert	past pregnancy ght gain a previous baby nall for gestational age baby percreta		Rhesus or or Severe pre- Shoulder dy Three or mo Thromboen Uterine abn Uterine surg surgery for	ore miscarriages (<24/ hbolic disease ormality e.g. bicornua	isease mpsia '40)
4.1 Bookir	ıg					
Intended p	lace of birth a	at booking*				
	unit midwifery unit ing midwifery ur	Other Undecided Never booked Not known		Type of care Obstetrician Midwifery le Freebirthing	d 🗌 Not ki	d (obstetric & midwifery co-care) nown
Name of ur	nit/hospital in	ntended to provide care				

4.1 Booking continued	
Date of first booking appointment (dd/mm/yyyy)	Final estimated date of delivery (EDD) (dd/mm/yyyy)
Basis of final EDD	Number of babies present at the dating scan
Dating ultrasound scan	
Last menstrual period	
Not known	
Chorionicity	Assisted conception
Dichorionic, diamniotic	Not assisted
Monochorionic, diamniotic	Ovulation induction only (e.g. clomiphene)
Monochorionic, monoamniotic	In-vitro fertilisation (IVF) including egg donation
Trichorionic, triamniotic	Intra-cytoplasmic sperm injection (ICSI)
Other triplet or higher order multiples chorionicity	Artificial insemination with/without ovulation induction
Not known	Not known
Height (cm) First recorded weight	(kg) First recorded BMI (if either height or weight unavailable)
4.2 Antenatal care provision	
Documented poor appointment attender (two or mo	pre missed appointments)?
Yes No Not known	
Was there a transfer of care between booking and c	onset of Reason if there was transfer of care
labour?	Higher level of maternal care required
Yes No	Higher level of neonatal care required
	Higher level of maternal & neonatal care required
	Organisational
	Other
	Return to home unit
	Not known
Intended place of birth at onset of care in labour*	
Name of unit/hospital providing care at onset of labou	r
Type of unit	Type of care
Obstetric unit Freebirthing	Obstetrician led Shared (obstetric & midwifery co-care)
Alongside midwifery unit Other	Midwifery led Not known
Freestanding midwifery unit Undecided	Freebirthing
Home Not known	
Was there a transfer of care between onset of labou	Ir and Reason if there was transfer of care
birth?	Higher level of maternal care required
Yes No	Higher level of neonatal care required
	Higher level of maternal & neonatal care required
	Organisational
	Other
	Return to home unit
	Not known
Actual place of birth*	
Name of unit/hospital providing care at birth	

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4.2 Antenatal care provision	on continued			
Type of unit Dostetric unit Alongside midwifery unit Freestanding midwifery unit	 In transit Home Other 	Type of care Dobstetrician led Midwifery led Freebirthing Unattended	 Shared (obstetric & midwifery co-care) Other Not known 	
5.1 Delivery and outcomes	summary			
Note: If reporting more than or additional birth.	ne death from this pregnancy, ple	ease complete an additiona	al copy of pages 6 to 8 for each	
Case definition*				
	between 22 ⁺⁰ and 23 ⁺⁶ weeks gestation after 24 ⁺⁰ weeks gestational age+ show		ife, irrespective of when the death occurred) e of when the death occurred)	
 Early neonatal death (a live born Late neonatal death (a live born completed days after birth) Currently alive 	 Fetal loss before 22 weeks (as part of a multiple pregnancy) Early neonatal death (a live born baby [born at 20⁺⁰ gestational age or later†] who died before 7 completed days after birth) Late neonatal death (a live born baby [born at ²⁰⁺⁰ weeks gestational age or later†] who died from 7 completed days after birth but before 28 completed days after birth) 			
⁺ Or from 400g where an accurate e	estimate of gestation is not available			
Termination of pregnancy*	Reason for termination of pre			
Yes		reduction Not known		
No	Maternal health Othe	er		
5.1A Labour and delivery				
Onset of labour		Presentation at delive	ery	
Spontaneous Nev	er in labour	Vertex	Other	
Induced Not	known	Breech	Not known	
Date and time of onset of car induction (dd/mm/yyyy hh:mm	-	Brow/Face		
Attempted modes of delivery	(tick all that apply)	Final mode of delivery	/	
Spontaneous vaginal		Spontaneous vaginal		
Ventouse Ventouse		Ventouse		
Non-rotational forceps		Non-rotational forceps		
Rotational forceps		Rotational forceps		
Assisted breech		Assisted breech		
Breech extraction		Breech extraction		
Destructive operative delivery		Destructive operative o	-	
Pre-labour caesarean section		Pre-labour caesarean s		
Caesarean section after onset of	labour	Caesarean section after		
Perimortem caesarean section		Perimortem caesarean	section	
Type of caesarean section (if a	applicable)	Primary indication for	r caesarean section	
Immediate threat to life of moth	ner or fetus	Abnormal presentation	n Slow progress	
Maternal compromise that is no	t immediately life threatening	Previous caesarean sec	ction 🗌 Other	
No maternal or fetal compromis	e but needs early delivery	Fetal compromise	Not known	
Delivery timed to suit woman of Not known	r staff (elective)	Maternal compromise		
Was the baby born in water?		Delivery complication	s (tick all that apply)	
Yes No	Not known		Antepartum haemorrhage	
		Shoulder dystocia		
		Cord prolapse	Not known	
		Cord accident		

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5.1A Labour and delivery continued	
Date and time of delivery/birth* (dd/mm/yyyy hh:mm)	
5.1B Baby/fetus outcomes (all deaths)	
Baby's given name/first name*	Sex of fetus or baby*
	Male Indeterminate
	Female Not known
NHS/CHI number* (if stillbirth or livebirth)	Hospital number*
Tick if ineligible for NHS/CHI number	
Ethnic category*	
White British	🗌 Bangladeshi
White Irish	Asian other
White other	Black Caribbean
Mixed White and Black Caribbean	Black African
Mixed White and Black African	Black other
Mixed White and Asian	Chinese
Mixed other	Other
Indian	Not known
Pakistani	
Birth order / Number of babies at delivery	Birth weight* (grams) Gestation at delivery* (weeks + days)
of	+
Signs of life in first minute (include any signs, even if stillbirth of	or late fetal loss)
Heart beat	Cord pulse
Yes (select rate band from below)	Yes (select rate band from below)
< 100 bpm (60 – 99 bpm) Not known	< 100 bpm (60 – 99 bpm) Not known
<pre> < 100 bpm (unspecified)</pre>	<pre>< 100 bpm (unspecified)</pre>
No Not known	No Not known
Active body movement	Apgar score
Yes No Not known	At 1 minute At 5 minutes
Respiratory activity	
Yes No Not known	
Resuscitation at birth Was active respiratory support provided?	
Yes (select active respiratory support provided:	No (state reason active respiratory support <u>not</u> provided):
Condition stabilised and neonatal care provided	Condition stable, resuscitation not required
Attempts to sustain life were stopped	Decision made prior to birth
Number of minutes after which attempts were stopped	Decision made following review of care at delivery
Not known	
Other issues	
Documented child protection issues	Documented history of domestic violence
5.1B Baby/fetus outcomes (late fetal losses & stillbirths of Gostation at confirmation of death (weeks + days)	Date death confirmed*
Gestation at confirmation of death (weeks + days)	

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5.1B Baby/fetu	s outcomes (late fetal losses & stillbi	rths only) continued
Baby alive at ons	et of care process that led to delivery	
Yes N	No 🗌 Not known	
5.1B Baby/fetu	s outcomes (live births only)	
Was baby admitt	ed to a neonatal unit?	Place of death*
Yes N	No	Type of unit
		Labour ward PICU In transit
		Neonatal unit A&E Other
		Paediatric unit Home Not known
Name of unit/hos	pital/hospice providing care at time of de	eath
If the baby did no	ot die in hospital what was the reason	for the transfer?*
Baby transferred	here for palliative care 🛛 Baby was	discharged home Baby was never in hospital
Unit of care prior	to transfer for palliative care/discharge	
Was the death un	nattended?	Date and time of death* (dd/mm/yyyy hh:mm)
L Yes	NO	
5.1C Cause of d	leath	
Sources of inform	nation used to determine cause of deat	
(tick all that apply))	on the Death Certificate)
Hospital post mo		
	rator fiscal's post mortem	
Limited post mor		
Placental histolog Clinical assessme		
	f primary cause of death (if appropriate)	Baby/fetus associated condition (maximum 2)
		2.
		Is this the final agreed cause of death following results of
		any inquest and all requested investigations (e.g. post- mortem, placental histology, blood and genetic tests,
		perinatal mortality review?
		Yes No – awaiting results
5.1D Post-mort	tem	
Was a post-mort		
	No Not known	
	en for a post-mortem?	Consented procedures (tick all that apply)
Full	None	
Limited	Not known	X-ray
		Other (please specify)
Was a post-mort	em undertaken?	Undertaken procedures (tick all that apply)
Full	None	
Limited	Not known	X-ray
		Other (please specify)

Was the case discussed with a coroner/procurator fiscal?
Yes No Not known
Was the case accepted as a coroner/procurator fiscal's case? Yes No Not known

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