



West Midlands Maternity Core Dataset

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Data items: 96

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DATA ITEM	FIELD / OPTIONS	COMMENT
MATERNAL DETAILS		
1. NHS number	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Number 	
2. Hospital Number	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Number Undocumented 	
3. Maternal Date of Birth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> dd/mm/yyyy Undocumented 	
4. Postcode of mother at time of birth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Postcode No fixed abode Undocumented 	
5. GP code at time of birth	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Not registered with a GP GP Code Undocumented 	
6. Ethnic Origin	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Africa: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> North/Sub Sahara/Other Asia: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> India/Pakistan/Bangladesh/China/Far East/South East/Other/Undocumented Caribbean Europe: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Britain/Ireland/Eastern/Northern/Western/Southern/ Other/Undocumented Middle East Mixed – African-European Mixed – Asian-European Mixed – Caribbean-European Mixed – Other Mixed - Undocumented Other - Freetext Declined to answer Undocumented 	
7. Was the woman born in the UK?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> No Yes Undocumented 	
8. If no: a) What country was the woman born in?	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Countries dropdown list 	

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9. b) What year did the woman move to the UK?
10. c) Status of citizenship
11. Did the woman need an interpreter during the pregnancy?
12. Highest educational level
13. Marital status
- yyyy
 - Undocumented
 - British citizen
 - Asylum seeker
 - Economic migrant (European Union)
 - Failed asylum seeker
 - Given refugee status with indefinite leave to remain
 - Spouse is British citizen
 - Student/work visa
 - Other – Freetext
 - Undocumented
- No
 - Yes
 - Undocumented
- No qualificatio
 - GSCE/O level
 - A level
 - First degree
 - Higher degree (PgD,Msc, Mphil, PhD)
 - NVQ level1/2/3/4/5
 - Other qualifications (City&Guilds, RCA/OCR,BTE/EdExcel)
 - Professional qualifications
 - Undocumented
- Single
 - Married / civil partnership
 - Divorced / civil partnership dissolved
 - Widowed
 - Separated
 - Undocumented

PARTNER / FATHER DETAILS

14. Did the woman have a partner at booking?
15. If yes, are they employed?
16. Is the baby's father a blood relation?
- No
 - Yes
 - Undocumented
- No
 - Yes
 - Undocumented
- No
 - Yes - First cousin
 - Yes - Second cousin
 - Yes - Other

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17. Father's Ethnic Origin

- Yes – Undocumented
- Undocumented

- Africa:
 - North/Sub Sahara/Other
- Asia:
 - India/Pakistan/Bangladesh/China/
Far East/South East/Other/Undocumented
- Caribbean
- Europe:
 - Britain/Ireland/Eastern/Northern/Western/Southern/ Other/Undocumented
- Middle East
- Mixed – African-European
- Mixed – Asian-European
- Mixed – Caribbean-European
- Mixed – Other
- Mixed - Undocumented
- Other - Freetext
- Declined to answer
- Undocumented

SOCIAL CIRCUMSTANCES

18. Employment status of mother at booking

- Full-time employed
- Part-time employed
- Employed undocumented
- Looking after home / family
- Student
- Permanently sick /disabled
- Unemployed
- Retired
- Undocumented

19. Housing tenure at booking

- Owns
- Rents
- With family / friends
- UKBA/NASS
- No fixed abode
- Care services
- Temporary accommodation
- Other
- Undocumented

20. Support from partner/family/friend?

- No
- Yes
- Undocumented

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| 21. Was there any social factors identified during the pregnancy? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes • Undocumented | |
| 22. If yes, was there any referrals made? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes | Non-exclusive |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Common Assessment Framework b) Housing officer c) Pregnancy Outreach Worker (POW) d) Psychiatrist e) Social worker f) Teenage pregnancy specialist g) Other support worker | | |
| 23. Was the woman asked if she had a history of domestic abuse during this pregnancy? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes | |
| 24. If yes, was there a history of domestic abuse in this pregnancy? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes • Undocumented | |

SMOKING, ALCOHOL, NON-MEDICINAL DRUGS

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| 25. Was the woman smoking at booking? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes • Undocumented | |
| 26. If yes: | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) How many per day | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number • Undocumented | |
| 27. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> b) Was the woman offered smoking cessation support during the pregnancy? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes • Undocumented | |
| 28. If no, did the woman smoke during the 12 months prior to conception? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes • Undocumented | |
| 29. Was the woman smoking at the end of pregnancy? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes • Undocumented | |
| 30. If yes, how many per day | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number • Undocumented | |
| 31. Did anyone in the household smoke at booking? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes • Undocumented | |

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32. Was the woman consuming alcohol at booking?
- No
 - Yes
 - Undocumented
33. If yes:
a) How many units per week?
- Number
 - Undocumented
34. Was the woman taking non-medicinal drugs at booking?
- No
 - Yes
 - Undocumented
35. If yes, was the woman referred to a drug misuse advisor?
- No
 - Yes
 - Undocumented

MEDICAL HISTORY

36. Were there any previous medical problems identified during the pregnancy?
- No
 - Yes
 - Undocumented
37. If yes:
- a) Diabetes
 - b) Heart problems
 - c) Hypertension
 - d) Mental health problems
- No
 - Yes
 - Undocumented
- Non-exclusive
38. Were there any previous mental health problems identified during the pregnancy?
- No
 - Yes
 - Undocumented
39. Were there any medical factors identified during the pregnancy?
- No
 - Yes
 - Undocumented
40. If yes, was the woman referred to a specialist antenatally?
- No
 - Yes
 - Undocumented

OBSTETRIC HISTORY

41. Has the woman had any previous pregnancies?
- No
 - Yes
 - Undocumented
42. If yes:
- a) Previous pregnancies reaching 24 weeks gestation or more
- Number
 - Undocumented

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| 43. | b) Previous pregnancies reaching less than 24 weeks gestation | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Number• Undocumented |
| 44. | c) Previous live births | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Number• Undocumented |
| 45. | d) Previous stillbirths | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Number• Undocumented |
| 46. | Were there any obstetric factors identified during the pregnancy? | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• No• Yes• Undocumented |
| 47. | If yes, was the woman referred to a specialist antenatally? | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• No• Yes• Undocumented |

BOOKING AND SCREENING

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| 48. | Date of first appointment with the midwife/GP | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• dd/mm/yyyy• Undocumented |
| 49. | Date of second appointment with the midwife/GP | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• dd/mm/yyyy• Undocumented |
| 50. | Date of completed social and health assessment | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• dd/mm/yyyy• Undocumented |
| 51. | Maternal height at completed assessment | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• cm• Undocumented |
| 52. | Maternal weight at completed assessment | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• kg• Undocumented |
| 53. | Estimated date of delivery | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• dd/mm/yyyy |
| 54. | Method of calculation of estimated date of delivery | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ultrasound• LMP• Clinical estimate• Undocumented |
| 55. | Was folic acid taken antenatally? | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• No• Yes• Undocumented |
| 56. | If yes:
a) When was it commenced? | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• dd/mm/yyyy• Undocumented |

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57. b) What was the dose?
- 400mcg
 - 5mg
 - Undocumented
58. Screening for Downs syndrome offered?
- No
 - Yes
 - Too late
 - Undocumented
59. Data collection discussed?
- No
 - Yes

ANTENATAL VISITS

60. Number of antenatal visits with community midwifery service
- Number
 - Undocumented
61. Number of antenatal visits with same midwife
- Number
 - Undocumented
62. Name of the midwife
- Freetext
 - Undocumented

PREGNANCY COMPLICATIONS

63. Was a growth scan conducted during the pregnancy?
- No
 - Yes
 - Undocumented
64. Ask for each scan:
- i. Date
- dd/mm/yyyy
 - Undocumented
65. ii. Estimated fetal weight
- g
 - Undocumented
66. iii. What was the reason for the growth scan?
- No
 - Yes
- a) Risk identified at completed assessment
- b) Late booker
- c) Suspected IUGR
- d) DFM
- e) Pregnancy complications
- f) Other – Freetext
- g) Undocumented
67. iv. Was Intra-Uterine Growth Restriction diagnosed?
- No
 - Yes
 - Undocumented
- Non-exclusive

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| 68. | Did the woman report diminished fetal movements during the pregnancy? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes | |
| 69. | Did the woman have any pregnancy-related complications during the pregnancy? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes • Undocumented | |
| 70. | If yes: | | Non-exclusive |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Antepartum haemorrhage b) Hypertension diseases: | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes | |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Pregnancy induced hypertension ii. Pre-eclampsia iii. HELLP | | |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> c) Gestational diabetes | | |

LABOUR SUMMARY

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| 71. | Was the labour induced? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes • Undocumented |
| 72. | Did the woman have an episiotomy? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes • Undocumented |
| 73. | Did the woman have a perineal tear | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No tear • 1st degree • 2nd degree • 3rd (a) degree • 3rd (b) degree • 3rd (c) degree • 3rd degree undocumented what grade • 4th degree • Undocumented |

BABY BIRTH DETAILS (asked for each baby)

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| 74. | Number of babies | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Singleton • Twins • 3 • 4 • 5 • 6 |
| 75. | Date and time of delivery | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • dd/mm/yyyy • hh:mm |

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| 76. Place of delivery | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Home • Born before arrival • Hospital • Hospital midwife-led • Undocumented | |
| 77. Baby NHS number | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Number | |
| 78. Hospital responsible for care | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • List of hospitals within the region → | <p>Hospitals in the region:
 Alexandra, Bridgenorth, Burton, BWH-
 birth centre, BWH- acute, City, George
 Elliot, Good Hope, Heartlands,
 Hereford, Lichfield, Ludlow, New Cross,
 Oswestry, Royal Shrewsbury, Russell's
 Hall, Sandwell, Solihull, Stafford,
 UHNS, Walsall Manor, Walsgrave,
 Warwick, Worcester, Wrekin.</p> |
| 79. Final mode of birth | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spontaneous cephalic vaginal • Ventouse • Forceps • Vaginal Breech • Caesarean section • Undocumented | |
| 80. If caesarean section, what grade | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Emergency • Urgent • Scheduled • Elective • Undocumented | |
| 81. Outcome? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Livebirth • Stillbirth | |
| 82. If stillbirth: | | |
| a) Date and time when the death was confirmed? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • dd/mm/yyyy hh:mm • Undocumented | |
| 83. b) Date and time of start of labour? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • dd/mm/yyyy hh:mm • Undocumented | |
| 84. Was there a congenital anomaly at birth? | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No • Yes • Uncertain • Undocumented | |
| 85. Sex | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Male • Female • Indeterminate • Undocumented | |

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| 86. | Birth weight | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• g |
| 87. | Apgar at 1 minute | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Number• Undocumented |
| 88. | Apgar at 5 minutes | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Number• Undocumented |

MATERNAL POSTNATAL

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| 89. | Date of discharge to the health visitor | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• dd/mm/yyyy• Undocumented |
| 90. | Number of postnatal visits with community midwifery service | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Number• Undocumented |
| 91. | Number of postnatal visits with the same midwife | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Number• Undocumented |
| 92. | Name of the midwife | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Freetext• Undocumented |

BABY POSTNATAL

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| 93. | Date of postnatal discharge | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• dd/mm/yyyy• Undocumented |
| 94. | Destination of discharge | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Health visitor• Neonatal unit• Died• Undocumented |
| 95. | Was the baby put to the breast or receive breastmilk at any stage? | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• No• Yes• Undocumented |
| 96. | Date and time when the baby was put to the breast for the first time or given EBM | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• dd/mm/yyyy hh:mm• Undocumented |