Information system on pregnancy in Estonia

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New information system on pregnancy since 15.03.2019

- Consists of two personalised registries since 15.03.2019
 - Estonian Medical Birth Registry
 - Estonian Abortion Registry
- Gradual digitalisation: registry cards can be still sent in on paper, but also possible to fulfil on screen and send in a decrypted format. Future automated exchange between ehealth record and registry is elaborated.
- Aim to follow the pregnancy from the start to its outcome for monitoring women's and children's health



New in Estonian Medical Birth Registry

For mothers information expanded:

- Date of first visit to medical system due to pregnancy,
- Mother's height and weight before pregnancy (BMI before pregnancy)
- Diagnoses aggravated by pregnancy, delivery and after (ICD codes)
- Artificial fertilisation (method: IUI, IVF(incl ICSI), FET) in 2021-6%
- Procedures during delivery: analgetics, blood transfer in ml, preeclampsia/eclampsia, antibiotics, induction and stimulation differentiated
- Smoking remained (due to our argumentation)



New in Estonian Medical Birth Registry

Data on a child expanded

- Types of placentation added
- 10 min Apgar added to 1 and 5 min
- Arterial and venous cord pH and BE
- Procedures after delivery: % of add.oxygen, mask ventilation, CPAP, intubation, heart massage, adrenaline etc;
- Procedures: support for inhaling, intensive care, blood exchange, phototherapy etc
- Head circumference
- Screening tests: OAE (hearing), Sp02 (saturation), red eye reflex
- Immunization: BCG (tub), B-hepatitis, chickenpox
- ICD codes for congenital anomalies, other diagnoses
- Feeding after birth (fully/partially breastfeeding, mix, diet)



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- Additionally in case of a pre-term born child (GA before 33 weeks and 6 days):
 - Transportation after birth, diagnoses (ICD), procedures and medication, feeding, analyses arterial and venous, picture diagnostics, etc

