

**Appendix 1. BORN Information System (BIS) variables used to define medical or pre-labour indications for cesarean delivery**

<b>Medical or pre-labour indications for cesarean delivery</b>	<b>Coding</b>
Fetal \ Anomaly(ies)	1023710
Fetal \ Intrauterine Growth Restriction	1023730
Fetal \ Macrosomia	1023740
Maternal \ Gestational hypertension	3100157
Maternal \ HIV – Human Immunodeficiency Virus	1023775
Maternal \ HSV - Herpes Simplex Virus	3000123
Maternal \ Hypertensive disorders of pregnancy - Eclampsia	1023780
Maternal \ Hypertensive disorders of pregnancy - HELLP	1023790
Maternal \ Hypertensive disorders of pregnancy - Preeclampsia	1023800
Maternal \ Maternal Health Conditions/s	1023860
Maternal \ Obesity	1023904
Maternal \ Placenta Increta/Accreta/Percreta	3100159
Maternal \ Placenta previa	1023840
Maternal \ Placental abruption	1023850
Maternal \ Prelabour Rupture of Membranes (PROM) in women with planned C/Section	3000128
Maternal \ Preterm prelabour rupture of membranes (PPROM) in women with planned C/Section	3000122
Maternal \ Previous T incision/classical incision/uterine surgery	3100158
Maternal \ Previous uterine rupture	3000127
Maternal \ Suspected chorioamnionitis	1023880
Maternal \ Uterine rupture	1023900