

TABLE 6.01

MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2012
ONSET OF LABOUR BY PLURALITY OF PREGNANCY

Onset of labour	Plurality of pregnancy					
	Singleton		Multiple		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Spontaneous - not augmented	22,451	36.4	260	25.0	22,711	36.2
Spontaneous - augmented	12,137	19.7	78	7.5	12,215	19.5
Induced	14,443	23.4	177	17.0	14,620	23.3
No labour	12,567	20.4	524	50.4	13,091	20.9
Total^(a)	61,624	100.0	1,039	100.0	62,663	100.0

(a) Includes mothers with not stated onset of labour.

TABLE 6.02

MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2012
ONSET OF LABOUR BY AGE OF MOTHER

Onset of labour	Age of mother							
	Under 20		20 - 34		35 and over		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Spontaneous - not augmented	1,409	44.5	17,639	37.2	3,663	30.4	22,711	36.2
Spontaneous - augmented	833	26.3	9,699	20.4	1,683	14.0	12,215	19.5
Induced	762	24.1	11,147	23.5	2,711	22.5	14,620	23.3
No labour	161	5.1	8,935	18.8	3,995	33.1	13,091	20.9
Total^(a)	3,165	100.0	47,440	100.0	12,058	100.0	62,663	100.0

(a) Includes mothers with not stated onset of labour.

TABLE 6.03 MOTHERS WITH INDUCED LABOURS, QUEENSLAND, 2012
SELECTED REASON FOR INDUCTION

Reason for induction	Mothers with induced labour	
	No.	%
Prolonged pregnancy	3,530	24.2
Psychosocial and other administrative circumstances	2,845	19.5
Premature rupture of membranes	1,855	12.7
Hypertension complicating pregnancy (incl. pre-eclampsia and eclampsia)	1,427	9.8
Diabetes complicating pregnancy	1,221	8.4
Poor fetal growth	702	4.8
Excessive fetal growth	369	2.5
Previous poor obstetric history	254	1.7
Fetal distress	229	1.6
Other fetal problems (includes decreased fetal movements)	218	1.5
Intrauterine fetal death	189	1.3
Spurious / false labour	123	0.8
Twin pregnancy	110	0.8
Rhesus and other isoimmunisation	40	0.3
Infection of amniotic sac and membranes	19	0.1
Total Induced Mothers	14,620	100.0

(a) Where the membranes rupture prior to the onset of labour regardless of gestation.

**TABLE 6.04 BIRTHS, QUEENSLAND, 2012
PRESENTATION BY PLURALITY OF PREGNANCY**

Presentation	Plurality of pregnancy					
	Singleton		Multiple		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Vertex	58,451	94.9	1,389	66.2	59,840	93.9
Face	73	0.1	2	0.1	75	0.1
Brow	75	0.1	-	-	75	0.1
Breech	2,352	3.8	619	29.5	2,971	4.7
Other	670	1.1	79	3.8	749	1.2
Total ^(a)	61,624	100.0	2,099	100.0	63,723	100.0

(a) Includes babies with not stated presentation.

TABLE 6.05**BIRTHS, QUEENSLAND, 2012
METHOD OF BIRTH BY PLURALITY OF PREGNANCY**

Method of birth	Plurality of pregnancy					
	Singleton		Multiple		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Vaginal non-instrumental	35,366	57.4	478	22.8	35,844	56.3
Forceps	1,351	2.2	41	2.0	1,392	2.2
Vacuum extraction	4,866	7.9	65	3.1	4,931	7.7
LSCS	19,940	32.4	1,501	71.5	21,441	33.7
Classical CS	101	0.2	14	0.7	115	0.2
Total	61,624	100.0	2,099	100.0	63,723	100.0

TABLE 6.06**BIRTHS, QUEENSLAND, 2012
METHOD OF BIRTH BY AGE OF MOTHER**

Method of birth	Age of mother (years)							
	Under 20		20 - 34		35 and over		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Vaginal non-instrumental	2,311	72.6	27,874	57.9	5,659	45.8	35,844	56.3
Forceps	65	2.0	1,104	2.3	223	1.8	1,392	2.2
Vacuum extraction	278	8.7	3,900	8.1	753	6.1	4,931	7.7
LSCS	528	16.6	15,225	31.6	5,688	46.0	21,441	33.7
Classical CS	1	0.0	76	0.2	38	0.3	115	0.2
Total	3,183	100.0	48,179	100.0	12,361	100.0	63,723	100.0

TABLE 6.07

BIRTHS, QUEENSLAND, 2012
METHOD OF BIRTH BY PRESENTATION

Method of birth	Presentation											
	Vertex		Face		Brow		Breech		Other		Total ^(a)	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Singleton												
Vaginal non-instrumental	34,732	59.4	23	31.5	16	21.3	269	11.4	323	48.2	35,366	57.4
Forceps	1,333	2.3	2	2.7	2	2.7	3	0.1	11	1.6	1,351	2.2
Vacuum extraction	4,827	8.3	1	1.4	4	5.3	-	-	34	5.1	4,866	7.9
LSCS	17,515	30.0	47	64.4	53	70.7	2,048	87.1	277	41.3	19,940	32.4
Classical CS	44	0.1	-	-	-	-	32	1.4	25	3.7	101	0.2
Total	58,451	100.0	73	100.0	75	100.0	2,352	100.0	670	100.0	61,624	100.0
Multiple												
Vaginal non-instrumental	368	126.4	1	50.0	-	-	93	114.9	9	11.4	478	122.4
Forceps	38	2.7	-	-	-	-	2	0.3	1	1.3	41	2.0
Vacuum extraction	65	4.7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	65	3.1
LSCS	911	65.7	1	50.0	-	-	518	83.8	68	86.1	1,501	71.8
Classical CS	7	0.5	-	-	-	-	6	1.0	1	1.3	14	0.7
Total	1,389	200.0	2	100.0	-	-	619	200.0	79	100.0	2,099	200.0
Total babies	59,840	-	75	-	75	-	2,971	-	749	-	63,723	-

(a) Includes births with not stated presentation.

TABLE 6.08

BIRTHS, QUEENSLAND, 2012
METHOD OF BIRTH BY METHOD OF PHARMACOLOGICAL ANALGESIA
DURING LABOUR/BIRTH

Method of Pharmacological Analgesia during labour ^(a)	Method of birth							
	Vaginal		Forceps/ Vacuum		Caesarean		Total ^(b)	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
None reported	11,371	31.7	514	8.1	9,842	45.7	21,727	34.1
At least one method	24,472	68.3	5,809	91.9	11,714	54.3	41,995	65.9
<i>Nitrous oxide</i>	19,194	78.4	3,923	67.5	3,224	27.5	26,341	62.7
<i>Systemic Opioid</i>	7,068	28.9	1,683	29.0	1,796	15.3	10,547	25.1
<i>Epidural</i>	6,479	26.5	3,715	64.0	3,777	32.2	13,971	33.3
<i>Spinal</i>	124	0.5	88	1.5	6,350	54.2	6,562	15.6
<i>Combined Spinal-Epidural</i>	130	0.5	73	1.3	360	3.1	563	1.3
<i>Caudal</i>	12	0.1	13	0.2	2	0.0	27	0.1
<i>Other</i>	257	1.1	70	1.2	173	1.5	500	1.2
Total^(b)	35,844	100.0	6,323	100.0	21,556	100.0	63,723	100.0

(a) Reporting of multiple methods of pharmacological analgesia permitted, so numbers cannot be cumulated.

(b) Includes babies with not stated pharmacological analgesia or other methods of birth.

**TABLE 6.09 BIRTHS, QUEENSLAND, 2012
METHOD OF BIRTH BY METHOD OF NON-PHARMACOLOGICAL
ANALGESIA DURING LABOUR/BIRTH**

Type of Non- Pharmacological Analgesia during Labour ^(a)	Method of birth							
	Vaginal non- instrumental		Forceps/Vacuum		Caesarean Section		Total ^(b)	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
None reported	14,308	39.9	2,045	32.3	17,502	81.2	33,855	53.1
At least one method	21,534	60.1	4,278	67.7	4,054	18.8	29,866	46.9
<i>Shower</i>	10,947	50.8	2,151	50.3	1,770	43.7	14,868	49.8
<i>Heat pack</i>	9,797	45.5	2,015	47.1	2,043	50.4	13,855	46.4
<i>Massage</i>	6,844	31.8	1,642	38.4	1,549	38.2	10,035	33.6
<i>Birth ball</i>	5,566	25.9	1,307	30.6	1,226	30.2	8,099	27.1
<i>Water immersion</i>	1,934	9.0	290	6.8	180	4.4	2,404	8.1
<i>Aromatherapy</i>	601	2.8	114	2.7	104	2.6	819	2.7
<i>Homoeopathy</i>	545	2.5	65	1.5	95	2.3	705	2.4
<i>TENS</i>	726	3.4	271	6.3	202	5.0	1,199	4.0
<i>Acupuncture</i>	29	0.1	10	0.2	6	0.2	45	0.2
<i>Other</i>	4,879	22.7	1,110	26.0	1,005	24.8	6,994	23.4
Total ^(b)	35,844	100.0	6,323	100.0	21,556	100.0	63,723	100.0

(a) Reporting of multiple methods of non-pharmacological analgesia permitted, so numbers cannot be cumulated.

(b) Includes babies with not stated pharmacological analgesia or other methods of birth.

**TABLE 6.10 BIRTHS, QUEENSLAND, 2012
METHOD OF BIRTH BY METHOD OF ANAESTHESIA
DURING LABOUR/BIRTH**

Method of Anaesthesia for birth ^(a)	Method of birth							
	Vaginal non-instrumental		Forceps/Vacuum		Caesarean Section		Total ^(b)	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
None reported	31,883	89.0	2,881	45.6	1	-	34,765	54.6
At least one method	3,960	11.1	3,442	54.4	21,555	100.0	28,957	45.4
<i>Epidural</i>	2,668	67.4	2,434	70.7	3,601	16.7	8,703	30.1
<i>Spinal</i>	86	2.2	147	4.3	14,468	67.1	14,701	50.8
<i>Combined Spinal-Epidural</i>	21	0.5	40	1.2	2,554	11.9	2,615	9.0
<i>General Anaesthesia</i>	32	0.8	9	0.3	1,445	6.7	1,486	5.1
<i>Local to perineum</i>	1,254	31.7	946	27.5	15	0.1	2,215	7.7
<i>Pudendal</i>	16	0.4	173	5.0	3	0.0	192	0.7
<i>Caudal</i>	-	-	5	0.2	-	-	5	0.0
<i>Other</i>	26	0.7	10	0.3	79	0.4	115	0.4
Total ^(b)	35,844	100.0	6,323	100.0	21,556	100.0	63,723	100.0

(a) Reporting of multiple methods of anaesthesia permitted.

(b) Includes babies with not stated pharmacological analgesia or other methods of birth.

TABLE 6.11 MOTHERS BIRTHING BY PRIMARY CAESAREAN SECTION, QUEENSLAND, 2012

Reason for Caesarean Section	Labour status					
	No labour		Labour		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Uterine inertia (inc failure to progress)	-	-	2,339	38.01	2,339	20.31
Fetal distress and/or meconium liquor	236	4.4	1,867	30.34	2,103	18.26
Breech	954	17.79	405	6.58	1,359	11.8
Social Circumstances	1,142	21.29	129	2.1	1,271	11.04
Placenta praevia, with or without haemorrhage, abruptio placenta and other antepartum haemorrhage	386	7.2	83	1.35	469	4.07
Failed medical and/or surgical induction of labour	402	7.5	25	0.41	427	3.71
Complicating pregnancy (incl. pre-eclampsia and eclampsia)	327	6.1	52	0.85	379	3.29
Multiple pregnancy	208	3.88	71	1.15	279	2.42
Cephalopelvic disproportion	110	2.05	164	2.67	274	2.38
Previous poor obstetric history	246	4.59	24	0.39	270	2.34
Poor fetal growth	191	3.56	12	0.2	203	1.76
Total	5,363	-	6,153	-	11,517	-

Note: Excludes Born Before Arrival (BBA).

TABLE 6.12

BIRTHS, QUEENSLAND, 2012
ONSET OF LABOUR BY METHOD OF BIRTH

Onset of labour	Method of birth							
	Vaginal non-instrumental		Forceps/ Vacuum		Caesarean Section		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Spontaneous - not augmented	18,108	50.5	1,632	25.8	3,217	14.9	22,957	36.0
Spontaneous - augmented	8,053	22.5	2,397	37.9	1,869	8.7	12,319	19.3
Induced	9,683	27.0	2,294	36.3	2,821	13.1	14,798	23.2
No labour	-	-	-	-	13,622	63.2	13,622	21.4
Total	35,844	100.0	6,323	100.0	21,556	100.0	63,723	100.0

**TABLE 6.13 TERM ^(a), SINGLETON BIRTHS WITH A VERTEX PRESENTATION TO PRIMIPAROUS MOTHERS AGED BETWEEN 20 AND 34 IN PUBLIC ACCOMMODATION, QUEENSLAND, 2012
ONSET OF LABOUR BY METHOD OF BIRTH**

Onset of labour	Method of birth							
	Vaginal non-instrumental		Forceps/ Vacuum		Caesarean Section		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Spontaneous - not augmented	2,559	48.2	519	27.3	317	15.1	3,395	36.5
Spontaneous - augmented	1,495	28.1	758	39.9	629	29.9	2,882	31.0
Induced	1,259	23.7	622	32.8	842	40.1	2,723	29.2
No labour	-	-	-	-	306	14.6	306	3.3
Total	5,313	100.0	1,899	100.0	2,101	100.0	9,313	100.0

Note: Excludes Born Before Arrival (BBA).

(a) Includes babies born between 37 and 41 completed gestational weeks.

**TABLE 6.14 MOTHERS WITH A PREVIOUS CAESAREAN SECTION OR OTHER UTERINE SURGERY, QUEENSLAND, 2012
METHOD OF BIRTH BY ONSET OF LABOUR^(a)**

Onset of labour	Method of birth							
	Vaginal non-instrumental		Forceps/ Vacuum		Caesarean Section		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Spontaneous - not augmented	767	56.7	154	48.1	1,236	13.3	2,157	19.7
Spontaneous - augmented	361	26.7	126	39.4	161	1.7	648	5.9
Induced	225	16.6	40	12.5	116	1.3	381	3.5
No labour	-	-	-	-	7,752	83.7	7,752	70.9
Total	1,353	100.0	320	100.0	9,266	100.0	10,939	100.0

(a) For multiple births, the method of birth of the first born baby are used.

**TABLE 6.15 MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2012
SELECTED LABOUR AND BIRTH COMPLICATIONS**

Complication ^(a)	Mothers	
	No.	%
Precipitate labour	16,378	26.1
Fetal distress and/or meconium liquor	11,205	17.9
Uterine inertia (incl. failure to progress)	4,177	6.7
Primary post-partum haemorrhage	3,512	5.6
Previous uterine scar	3,241	5.2
Prolonged second stage	3,113	5.0
Obstructed labour	2,292	3.7
Cord entanglement with/without compression	1,537	2.5
Breech presentation	870	1.4
Retained placenta with/without haemorrhage	684	1.1
Maternal distress	69	0.1
All mothers	62,663	-

(a) Reporting of multiple complications was permitted, so numbers cannot be cumulated.

**TABLE 6.16 SELECTED LABOUR AND BIRTH COMPLICATIONS, QUEENSLAND, 2012
FOLLOWING A PERIOD OF LABOUR**

Selected complication ^(a)	Method of birth							
	Vaginal non-instrumental		Forceps/ Vacuum		Caesarean Section		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Perineal and other genital tract trauma	17,673	49.3	2,376	37.6	17	0.2	20,066	40.1
Fetal distress and/or meconium liquor	4,297	12.0	3,308	52.3	3,171	40.1	10,776	21.5
Uterine inertia (incl. failure to progress)	94	0.3	878	13.9	3,205	40.5	4,177	8.3
Long labour	617	1.7	2,563	40.5	512	6.5	3,692	7.4
Primary post-partum haemorrhage	1,923	5.4	529	8.4	445	5.6	2,897	5.8
Obstructed labour	846	2.4	498	7.9	948	12.0	2,292	4.6
Other obstetric trauma	564	1.6	86	1.4	96	1.2	746	1.5
Total babies born after a period of labour	35,844	-	6,323	-	7,907	-	50,074	-

(a) Reporting of multiple conditions permitted, so numbers cannot be cumulated.

(b) For multiple births, the method of birth of the first born baby are used.

**TABLE 6.17 MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2012
SELECTED PROCEDURES AND OPERATIONS PERFORMED
DURING PREGNANCY, LABOUR AND THE PUERPERIUM**

Procedures and Operations ^(a)	Mothers	
	No.	%
Obstetric Ultrasound	62,410	99.6
Monitoring of fetal heart during labour	36,755	58.7
Manual removal of placenta	789	1.3
Amniocentesis	670	1.1
Administration of blood and blood products	591	0.9
Female sterilisation	215	0.3
Manipulation of fetal position and presentation	198	0.3
Chorionic villus sampling	123	0.2
Surgical postpartum evacuation of uterus	119	0.2
Insertion of cervical suture	114	0.2
Total mothers	62,663	-

(a) Reporting of multiple procedures was permitted, so numbers cannot be cumulated.

(b) May also include other diagnostic procedures on fetus.

TABLE 6.18 **MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2012**
SELECTED PUERPERIUM COMPLICATIONS

Complication ^(a)	Mothers	
	No.	%
Disorders of the breast and/or lactation (excluding infection)	2,465	3.9
Anaemia	1,370	2.2
Venous complications	456	0.7
Hypertension complicating the puerperium	423	0.7
Puerperial pyrexia	330	0.5
Complications of obstetrical surgical wounds	244	0.4
Post-partum haemorrhage	144	0.2
Spinal and epidural anaesthesia induced headache during puerperium	118	0.2
Infection of genitourinary tract	89	0.1
Infection of breast	35	0.1
Total mothers	62,663	-

(a) Reporting of multiple complications was permitted so numbers cannot be cumulated.

TABLE 6.19

**MOTHERS BIRTHING VAGINALLY, QUEENSLAND, 2012
GENITAL TRACT TRAUMA BY SURGICAL REPAIR**

Genital tract trauma ^{(a) (b)}	Surgical repair ^(c)					
	Yes		No		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Nil	-	-	12,019	61.5	12,019	28.7
Other Genital Trauma	24	0.1	19	0.1	43	0.1
Vaginal tear with intact perineum	288	1.3	118	0.6	406	1.0
Graze only ^(d)	479	2.2	3,289	16.8	3,768	9.0
1st degree laceration only	3,907	17.5	3,851	19.7	7,758	18.5
2nd degree laceration only	10,836	48.5	254	1.3	11,090	26.5
3rd degree laceration only	771	3.5	1	0.0	772	1.8
4th degree laceration only	63	0.3	1	0.0	64	0.2
Episiotomy only	5,537	24.8	2	0.0	5,539	13.2
Episiotomy and laceration ^(d)	421	1.9	-	-	421	1.0
Total^(e)	22,326	100.0	19,554	100.0	41,880	100.0

(a) For multiple births, details of first born baby are used.

(b) In the case of multiple types of perineal trauma, the highest degree of trauma is used.

(c) Includes surgical repair to the lower genital tract including the cervix.

(d) May include episiotomies with lacerations, other trauma or labial and perineal grazes.

(e) Includes not stated.

TABLE 6.20

**MOTHERS BIRTHING VAGINALLY, QUEENSLAND, 2012
EPISIOTOMY BY SURGICAL REPAIR**

Episiotomy ^(b)	Surgical repair ^(a)					
	Yes		No		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Nil	16,368	73.3	19,552	100.0	35,920	85.8
Episiotomy only	5,537	24.8	2	0.0	5,539	13.2
Episiotomy and laceration ^(c)	421	1.9	-	-	421	1.0
Total^(d)	22,326	100.0	19,554	100.0	41,880	100.0

(a) Includes surgical repair to the lower genital tract including the cervix.

(b) For multiple births, the method of birth of the first born baby are used.

(c) May include episiotomies with lacerations, other trauma or labial and perineal grazes.

TABLE 6.21

MOTHERS AGED BETWEEN 20 AND 34 IN PUBLIC ACCOMMODATION WITH A VAGINAL NON-INSTRUMENTAL BIRTH OF A SINGLETON, TERM^(a) BABY, QUEENSLAND, 2012, GENITAL TRACT^(b) TRAUMA BY ACCOUCHEUR

Genital tract trauma ^{(c) (d)}	Accoucheur												Total ^(e)	
	Other													
	Obstetrician		Medical officer		Midwife		Student midwife		Medical student		Other		No.	%
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Primiparous mothers^(g)														
Nil	18	17.8	28	7.4	622	13.4	110	9.6	20	9.9	3	60.0	801	12.4
Other Genital Trauma	-	-	-	-	5	0.1	2	0.2	-	-	-	-	7	0.1
Vaginal tear with intact perineum	1	1.0	6	1.6	86	1.9	20	1.8	2	1.0	-	-	115	1.8
Graze only	3	3.0	22	5.8	417	9.0	129	11.3	27	13.3	1	20.0	599	9.3
1st degree laceration only	11	10.9	47	12.3	932	20.1	230	20.1	38	18.7	-	-	1,258	19.4
2nd degree laceration only	30	29.7	136	35.7	1,872	40.3	496	43.3	88	43.4	1	20.0	2,623	40.5
3rd degree laceration only	3	3.0	15	3.9	208	4.5	58	5.1	11	5.4	-	-	295	4.6
4th degree laceration only	-	-	-	-	15	0.3	3	0.3	-	-	-	-	18	0.3
Episiotomy only	31	30.7	121	31.8	449	9.7	86	7.5	15	7.4	-	-	702	10.8
Episiotomy and laceration	4	4.0	6	1.6	38	0.8	11	1.0	2	1.0	-	-	61	0.9
Total	101	100.0	381	100.0	4,644	100.0	1,145	100.0	203	100.0	5.0	100.0	6,479	100.0
Multiparous mothers^(g)														
Nil	49	38.9	226	39.8	4,326	43.8	768	35.6	179	38.3	3	30.0	5,551	42.1
Other Genital Trauma	-	-	1	0.2	7	0.1	4	0.2	-	-	-	-	12	0.1
Vaginal tear with intact perineum	-	-	6	1.1	68	0.7	10	0.5	2	0.4	-	-	86	0.7
Graze only	6	4.8	65	11.4	1,083	11.0	346	16.1	52	11.1	2	20.0	1,554	11.8
1st degree laceration only	27	21.4	90	15.9	1,909	19.3	426	19.8	97	20.8	3	30.0	2,552	19.3
2nd degree laceration only	28	22.2	126	22.2	2,168	22.0	510	23.7	120	25.7	2	20.0	2,954	22.4
3rd degree laceration only	1	0.8	6	1.1	91	0.9	28	1.3	4	0.9	-	-	130	1.0
4th degree laceration only	-	-	1	0.2	9	0.1	1	0.1	3	0.6	-	-	14	0.1
Episiotomy only	15	11.9	43	7.6	187	1.9	58	2.7	8	1.7	-	-	311	2.4
Episiotomy and laceration	-	-	4	0.7	21	0.2	4	0.2	2	0.4	-	-	31	0.2
Total	126	100.0	568	100.0	9,869	100.0	2,155	100.0	467	100.0	10	100.0	13,195	100.0

Note: Excludes Born Before Arrival (BBA).

(a) Includes babies born between 37 and 41 completed gestational weeks.

(b) Lower than but not including the cervix.

(c) For multiple births, details of first born baby are used.

(d) In the case of multiple types of perineal trauma, the highest degree of trauma is used.

(e) Includes mothers with not stated accoucher.

(f) May include labial and perineal graze.

(g) Primiparous mothers have had no previous viable pregnancy. Multiparous mothers have had 1 or more previous viable pregnancies.

TABLE 6.22

**MOTHERS BIRTHING IN QUEENSLAND, 2012
SELECTED ANTENATAL ULTRASOUNDS**

	Plurality of pregnancy					
	Singleton		Multiple		Total	
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%
Nuchal translucency ultrasound	39,970	64.9	779	174.9	40,749	65.0
Morphology ultrasound scan	59,663	96.8	1,006	196.8	60,669	96.8
Assessment for chorionicity scan	8	0.0	673	114.8	681	1.1
Total Mothers	61,624	-	1,039	-	62,663	-