2.2.2　　　　EDMP Derived Variables

Variable	Description
erec	Case number generated by Central Registry database
Byear	Baby: Year of birth
bunknown	Baby: Birth date not known
ddyear	Baby: Date of death (year)
dsyear	Baby: Date of discovery (year)
dayear	Mother's date of birth (year)
dfyear	Father's date of birth (year) used for cases born before 2005
bwconfirm	Birth weight confirmed where gestational age outside normal range (see chapter 2.5)
gaconfirm	Gestational age confirmed where birthweight outside normal range (see chapter 2.5)
dobmconfirm	Mother's DOB confirmed where outside normal range (see chapter 2.5)
death_age	Create age at death in days from the baby's date of birth and date of death
mult_malf	Provisional identification of multiply malformed cases according to EUROCAT's multiple malformation algorithm (see Chapter 3.4)
corenon	Core data / non core data exported to Central Registry (1 = core only, 2 = core and non-core)
tot_malf	Total number of valid malformations, non-zero, non-blank and at least one letter and two digits (ICD10)
tot_minor	Total number of minor malformations (see chapter 3.2)
other_in_chapter	Total number of malformations in ICD10 (Q Chapter) that are not included in EUROCAT's congenital anomaly subgroups, but are included in the total congenital anomaly case counts
out_of_chapter	Total number of malformations outside ICD10 (Q Chapter) that are not included in EUROCAT's congenital anomaly subgroups, but are included in the total congenital anomaly case counts
birth_type	Definitions of stillbirths and spontaneous abortions vary between regions. This variable recodes birth type according to EUROCAT's specifications: cases with gestational age <20 weeks are re-coded as spontaneous abortions, cases with gestational age >=20 weeks are re-coded as "stillbirths" (irrespective of the local definition of stillbirth/spontaneous abortion).
casestatus	0 = Not a EUROCAT case. This includes cases with only minor malformations (see Chapter 3.2) 1 = Case with one or more EUROCAT subgroups. This includes all cases with an ICD10 code specified in EUROCAT's congenital anomaly subgroups (see chapter 3.3) and al1-al108 below. 2 = Case with ICD10 Q chapter code not allocated to EUROCAT subgroup. This includes any case not already classified under casestatus = 0 or 1 with a congenital anomaly ICD10 code (within Q chapter) that is not included in one of EUROCAT's congenital anomaly subgroups 3 = Case with ICD10 code outside Q chapter not allocated to EUROCAT subgroup. This includes any case not already classified under casestatus = 0, 1 or 2 with a congenital anomaly code that is outside the ICD10 Q chapter, that is not included in one of EUROCAT's congenital anomaly subgroups.
al1 to al108	EUROCAT subgroups: (0 = No, 1 = Yes). Based on EUROCAT coding (Chapter 3.3 of this Guide)