

perinatal *(per-i-na-tal)*

Definition

adj. relating to the period shortly before and after birth.

Example Sentence

The **perinatal** period is a critical time for the health of both the mother and the baby.

More Example Sentences

Doctors monitor **perinatal** health closely.

Synonyms

birth-related; neonatal; prenatal

Antonyms

preconception; postpartum

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