

Table 2. Patient characteristics in the four weeks postpartum

	WEEK 1	WEEK 2	WEEK 3	WEEK 4
	n = 31	n = 37	n = 35	n = 32
Postnatal age in days (range)	4 (1-6)	8 (8-11)	15 (15-19)	22 (22-29)
Weight, g (range)	831 (495-1040)	864 (483-1230)	969 (570-1235)	1095 (705-1675)
Mothers' milk usage (%)	16 (40)	34 (87)	25 (69)	21 (66)
Antibiotic exposure at same day as faeces sample day (%)	26 (65)	12 (31)	17 (41)	5 (16)

