

## *Supplementary Materials for*

# Monitoring prevalence of breastfeeding and associated factors: results of the 2022 data collection of the Italian surveillance of children aged 0-2 years

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**Table S1**

Participants by vaccine dose and overall sample size for selected children's age

Geographical area of residence	Sample 1	Sample 2	Sample 3	Sample 4	Total	Overall sample size for selected children's ages			
	1° DTP	2° DTP	3° DTP	1° MMRV		2-3 months	4-5 months	12-15 months	Total
North	3,517	6,223	3,419	3,159	16,318	3,173	5,308	4,011	12,492
Centre	1,568	1,416	1,533	1,303	5,820	1,402	1,128	1,537	4,067
South	4,265	3,034	3,133	2,980	13,412	3,847	2,378	3,342	9,567
Total	9,350	10,673	8,085	7,442	35,550	8,422	8,814	8,890	26,126

DTP: Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis; MMRV: Measles, Mumps, Rubella, Varicella.

**Table S2**

Crude and age standardized prevalences of exclusive breastfeeding (EBF) and any breastfeeding (BF) at different ages by geographical area of residence. Cases with complete information (completed months plus days) on children's age

Geographical area of residence	Children aged 2-3 months					Children aged 4-5 months					Children aged 12-15 months		
	n.	EBF		BF		n.	EBF		BF		n.	BF	
		Age standard		Age standard			Age standard		Age standard			Age standard	
		%	%	%	%		%	%	%	%		%	%
North	2,265	55.9	56.1	79.8	79.7	3,798	37.0	35.7	68.2	67.9	2,464	41.9	41.6
Centre	1,046	49.1	49.6	75.8	76.3	814	34.8	36.3	67.0	68.7	951	43.4	44.4
South	2,974	37.3	38.0	65.0	65.6	1,533	19.9	21.0	53.1	53.4	1,889	29.7	29.9
Total	6,285	47.4		73.2		6,145	31.2		63.3		5,304	37.9	