# Supplementary file 1

Hand/wrist

### Health status questionnaire

Thank you very much for reading and filling in this questionnaire. This questionnaire is to investigate current health status and work-related factors among obstetrics and gynecology staff.

Please answer each question in the questionnaire according to your personal situation. All the information you provide will be kept confidential and only be used for the purpose of this survey, please feel free to answer it!

If you agree to participate in this investigation, please sign your name. Thanks again for your cooperation!

Signature:

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<b>General inform</b>	ation	
1. Gender: ①m	nale; ②female.	
2. Age:		
3. Vocation: ①	gynecologist; ②obstetrician; ③m	idwife.
4. Length of em	ployment in the department of obst	etrics and gynecology:years.
5. Height:	_cm; weight:kg.	
6. Education:	Dsenior high school and below; 2	junior college; ③bachelor degree;
4 master degree	or above.	
7. Marital status	s: ①unmarried; ②married but sep	parated; 3 married and living with
spouse.	-	_
8. Monthly inco	ome: ①≤3000; ②3001~5000; ③	£35001~8000; <b>4</b> >8000.
=	avior: ①non-smoker; ②past smol	
•	havior: ①no; ②yes.	
Musculoskeleta		
	r the questions on musculoskeletal s	symptoms in the table below.
到 篇 上市 射 下 府 一 別 平 報 / 是	In the past 7 days, have you ever had musculoskeletal symptoms (discomfort, numbness, pain or limitation of movement) in the following regions (lasted for at least 24 hours)?	In the past 12 months, have you ever had musculoskeletal symptoms (discomfort, numbness, pain or limitation of movement) in
Neck		
Shoulder		
Upper back		
Lower back		
Elbow		

2. If you have experienced musculoskeletal symptoms in the past 12 months, please answer the following questions, otherwise, skip the table.

發 鷹 上階 附 下背 腕/手	Pain intensity	Cumulative	Absenteeism	Have you ever	Have you
	0~10	duration of	time in the	changed jobs or	ever been
	0 for no pain;	symptoms in the	past 12	tasks because of	injured in
	10 for unbearable	past 12 months	months	musculoskeletal	the
	pain.	①1~7 days;	①no absence;	symptoms?	accident?
下版		$28\sim30$ days;	$21\sim7$ days;	①no;	①no;
踝/足		③>30 days;	$38\sim30$ days;	②yes.	②yes.
0.0		4 almost everyday.	④>30 days.		
Neck					
Shoulder					
Upper back					
Lower back					
Elbow					
Hand/wrist					
Knee		_			

## Working posture

### **Trunk**

1. Which of the following best describes your trunk posture at work?

①flexion 0~20°

2 flexion 20~60°

3 flexion over 60°







- 2. Do you keep bending for long time at work?
- 3. Do you turn round frequently at work?
- 4. Do you keep trunk twisted for long time at work?
- 5. Do you bend and turn at the same time frequently?

①yes; ②no.

①yes; ②no.

①yes; ②no.

1)yes; 2no.

#### Neck

1. Which of the following best describes your neck posture at work?

①flexion <10°

2)flexion 10~20°

 $\Im$  flexion > 20°

4 extension









- 2. Does your head remain low for long time at work?
- 3. Do you keep your neck twisted for long time at work?
- 4. Do you turn your head frequently?

### Arm and wrist

- 1. Do you often flex and extend your wrist frequently?
- 2. Do you often twist you arm?

①yes; ②no.

①yes; ②no.

①yes; ②no.

①yes; ②no.

①yes; ②no.

3. Do you have support device in your forearm at work?	①yes; ②no.				
4. Do you keep your wrist twisted for long time?	①yes; ②no.				
5. Do you place your arm on edges of angular objects?	①yes; ②no.				
6. Do you keep shrugging for long period?	①yes; ②no.				
7. What is the usual height of the arm?					
①below shoulder; ②above shoulder.					
8. Is the tool size suitable for hand?	①yes; ②no.				
9. Do you usually operate with both hands?	①yes; ②no.				
Leg					
1. Which of the following best describes your leg posture at work?					
①sitting posture; ②keep both legs v	apright;				
3keep one leg upright with body weight on it; 4squat with both	legs;				
⑤squat with one leg; ⑥kneeling position	on;				
7 keep walking at work.					
2. Do you keep standing for long time?	①yes; ②no.				
3. Do you keep your legs bent or twisted for long time?	①yes; ②no.				
Psychosocial factors and working environment					
1. How long do you work every day?How many days do y	ou work every				
week?	•				
2. Do you have shift work?	①yes; ②no.				
3. Do you have rest time in your working hours?	•				
①no; ②yes, not regular; ③yes,regular.					
4. Do you often work overtime?	①yes; ②no.				
5. How do you feel physical tiredness after work?	•				
①not at all; ②a little bit tired; ③tired; ④can hardly b	ear.				
6. How do you feel mental tiredness after work?					
1 not at all; 2 a little bit tired; 3 tired; 4 can hardly b	ear.				
7. How do you feel about your health status: ①good; ②fine; ③bad;	4 very bad.				
8. What is the maximum carrying weight at work?kg					
9. Do you think there is enough operating space at work?	①yes; ②no.				
10. Do you have lumbar support on your seat?	①yes; ②no.				
11. Do you have adjustable workbench?	1)yes; 2no.				
12. Can you change your posture freely at work?	①yes; ②no.				
13. Do you keep the same posture for most of the working hours?	①yes; ②no.				
14. Do you feel your working postures uncomfortable?	①yes; ②no.				
15. Do you feel cold at work?	①yes; ②no.				
16. Do you feel humid at work?	①yes; ②no.				
17. Do you feel there is enough rest time?	①yes; ②no.				
18. Is it possible to rest regularly?	①yes; ②no.				
19. Do you have control over your work progress?	①yes; ②no.				
20. Do you feel stressed at work?	①yes; ②no.				
21. Do you feel hard to keep up with work pace?	①yes; ②no.				
22. Based on the current situation, do you have any suggestions for improvement?					
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