

Table S1. Kappa Coefficient for each item of the awareness questionnaire.

Question	Kappa Coefficient
A beautiful smile is important for healthy development of the child's personality. Yes No	0.87
The causes of malocclusion in children are: Heredity Bad oral habits like mouth breathing or thumb sucking Both I don't know	0.89
If a primary tooth was lost prematurely due to decay. What should be done? Nothing. The permanent tooth will replace it Check if a space maintainer is needed I don't know	0.92
Who will you first go to consult regarding orthodontic treatment for your child? General physician/pediatrician General dentist Orthodontist I don't know	0.86
At what age should your child go to his/her first orthodontic consult? 7 years 10 years 13 years 18 years I don't know	0.84
Do you think the age of a person when starting orthodontic treatment can affect the treatment outcome? No Yes I don't know	0.80
Do you think children can have orthodontic treatment during their growth period? No Yes I don't know	0.88