

Supplemental Material for

“Ohio First Steps for Healthy Babies: A Program Supporting Breastfeeding Practices in Ohio Birthing Hospitals”

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Supplemental Table 1. Ohio First Steps: Pre-Program and Post-Program Period Dates

	Pre-Program Period	Program Period
Baseline^o	Jan 15 - April 14, 2012	April 15 - July 14, 2015
Q1	April 15 - Jul 14, 2012	July 15 - Oct 14, 2015
Q2	Jul 15 - Oct 14, 2012	Oct 15 - 2015 - Jan 14, 2016
Q3	Oct 15 - 2012 - Jan 14, 2013	Jan 15 - Apr 14, 2016
Q4	Jan 15 - April 14, 2013	April 15 - Jul 14, 2016
Q5	April 15 - Jul 14, 2013	Jul 15 - Oct 14, 2016
Q6	Jul 15 - Oct 14, 2013	Oct 15 - 2016- Jan 14, 2017
Q7	Oct 15 - 2013 - Jan 14, 2014	Jan 15 - Apr 14, 2017
Q8	Jan 15 - April 14, 2014	Apr 15 - July 14, 2017
Q9	April 15 - Jul 14, 2014	Jul 15 - Oct 14, 2017
Q10	Jul 15 - Oct 14, 2014	Oct 15 - 2017 - Jan 14, 2018
Q11	Oct 15 - 2014 - Jan 14, 2015	Jan 15 - Apr 14, 2018
Q12	Jan 15 - Apr 14, 2015	Apr 15 - Jul 14, 2018

Program = Ohio First Steps

^oBaseline = The 3 month period preceding the analysis period.

Q = Quarter, i.e., 3 month period

Supplemental Table 2. Number of Steps Achieved and Number of Quarters of Participation Among Participating Ohio First Steps Hospitals

Stars Achieved by End of Study Period ^a	n, (%) of Participating ^b Hospitals
1 Star	11 (13.8)
2 Stars	11 (13.8)
3 Stars	22 (27.6)
4 Stars	17 (21.3)
5 Stars	19 (23.8)
Quarters of Participation by End of Study Period	
1 Quarter	1 (1.3)
2 Quarters	4 (5.0)
3 Quarters	2 (2.5)
4 Quarters	4 (5.0)
5 Quarters	6 (7.5)
6 Quarters	2 (2.5)
7 Quarters	6 (7.5)
8 Quarters	3 (3.8)
9 Quarters	6 (7.5)
10 Quarters	12 (15.0)
11 Quarters	12 (15.0)
12 Quarters	22 (27.5)

^a Each star represents two steps achieved

^b Participation is defined by achieving at least one step by April 2018