

SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

A framework of long-term breastfeeding counseling and support

Interview guide

- How do you encourage a parent to continue breastfeeding beyond infancy?
- How do you initiate discussion about breastfeeding during child health clinic visits when the child is over one year old? (Public health nurses)
- What kinds of questions do parents have about breastfeeding a child beyond infancy?
- What kinds of support do parents who breastfeed a child beyond infancy need?
- What topics do you address yourself when providing guidance on breastfeeding a child beyond infancy?
- What experiences have the parents you have supported had regarding the support received from child health clinics?
- In what ways can long-term breastfeeding be promoted in maternity and child health clinics?
- What kinds of issues related to breastfeeding a child beyond infancy would it be especially important for parents to receive support and guidance for from maternity and child health clinics?