

Supplementary table 2 Contributions of each group in the Robson Ten Group Classification System to the overall caesarean section rates in the study hospitals (n=4337)

Robson Ten Group Classification System	All hospitals n (%)*	Hospital 1 n (%)*	Hospital 2 n (%)*	Hospital 3 n (%)*
1	324 (7.5)	113 (12.8)	62 (7.3)	149 (5.7)
2	314 (7.2)	46 (5.2)	51 (6.0)	217 (8.4)
3	239 (5.5)	57 (6.4)	73 (8.5)	109 (4.2)
4	236 (5.4)	23 (2.6)	58 (6.8)	155 (6.0)
5	1846 (42.6)	448 (50.7)	283 (33.1)	1115 (42.9)
6	206 (4.7)	38 (4.3)	23 (2.7)	145 (5.6)
7	312 (7.2)	69 (7.8)	79 (9.2)	164 (6.3)
8	501 (11.6)	45 (5.1)	132 (15.4)	324 (12.5)
9	8 (0.2)	4 (0.5)	2 (0.2)	2 (0.1)
10	351 (8.1)	41 (4.6)	92 (10.8)	218 (8.4)
Total	4337 (100)	884 (100)	855 (100)	2598 (100)

*n= number of caesarean sections in the group / total number of caesarean sections in the hospital/s