

Table 1 Assessment of the early childhood developmental domains at the baseline, after 2 months and after 5 months

Subscale	Baseline		After 2 months		After 5 months	
	Intervention (N=109, %)	Control (N=101, %)	Intervention (N=96, %)	Control (N=94, %)	Intervention (N=94, %)	Control (N=94, %)
<b>Communication</b>						
Normal development	51 (46.8)	51 (50.5)	73 (76.0)	44 (46.8)	92 (97.9)	54 (57.4)
At risk of disorder	46 (42.2)	39 (38.6)	22 (22.9)	42 (44.7)	2 (2.1)	39 (41.5)
Delayed development	12 (11.0)	11 (10.9)	1 (1.1)	8 (8.5)	0 (0.0)	1 (1.1)
P-value*		0.85		0.001		<0.001
<b>Gross motor</b>						
Normal development	39 (35.8)	37 (36.6)	55 (57.3)	37 (39.4)	72 (76.6)	51 (54.3)
At risk of disorder	41 (37.6)	37 (36.6)	28 (29.2)	38 (40.4)	17 (18.1)	31 (33.0)
Delayed development	29 (26.6)	27 (26.7)	13 (13.5)	19 (20.2)	5 (5.3)	12 (12.8)
P-value*		0.99		0.04		0.005
<b>Fine motor</b>						
Normal development	51 (46.8)	40 (39.6)	68 (70.8)	38 (40.4)	80 (85.1)	60 (63.8)
At risk of disorder	48 (44.0)	51 (50.5)	22 (22.9)	51 (54.3)	13 (13.8)	31 (33.0)
Delayed development	10 (9.2)	10 (9.9)	6 (6.2)	5 (5.3)	1 (1.1)	3 (3.2)
P-value*		0.57		0.001		0.004
<b>Problem solving</b>						
Normal development	51 (46.8)	46 (45.5)	77 (80.2)	47 (50.0)	91 (96.8)	42 (44.7)
At risk of disorder	53 (48.6)	46 (45.5)	19 (19.8)	41 (43.6)	3 (3.2)	49 (52.1)
Delayed development	5 (4.6)	9 (8.9)	0 (0.0)	6 (6.4)	0 (0.0)	3 (3.2)
P-value*		0.45		0.001		<0.001
<b>Personal social</b>						
Normal development	56 (51.4)	50 (49.5)	77 (80.2)	43 (45.7)	89 (94.7)	49 (52.1)
At risk of disorder	38 (34.9)	37 (36.6)	17 (17.7)	39 (41.5)	5 (5.3)	40 (42.6)
Delayed development	15 (13.8)	14 (13.9)	2 (2.1)	12 (12.8)	0 (0.0)	5 (5.3)
P-value*		0.96		0.001		<0.001