## Supplementary table 1. Chi-square analyses of maternal knowledge, attitudes and practices

related to neonatal jaundice (N=403)

Vari	Variables		Knowledge*		Attitude*		Behaviour*	
variables		$\chi^2$	p	$\chi^2$	р	$\chi^2$	p	
Sociodemographic data								
Age(years)	19~27	2.008	0.366	1.385	0.500	0.292	0.864	
	28~32							
	33~45							
Blood group	Ο	1.668	0.644	3.873	0.276	4.244	0.236	
	А							
	В							
	AB							
Education level	High school and below	16.921	0.000	9.800	0.007	6.084	0.048	
	University							
Occupation	Postgraduate and above Employed	15.279	0.002	2.007	0.571	6.865	0.076	
	Self-employed							
	Housewife							
	Others							
Average family monthly income (RMB)	≤5000	10.444	0.034	6.849	0.144	8.683	0.070	
	5001~10000							
	10001~20000							
	20001~30000							
	≥30001							
Time from the slace of	≤10	1 450	0.692	3.289	0.349	1.635	0.652	
Time from the place of	10~30							
residence to the delivery hospital (minutes)	30~60	1.458						
nospital (initiates)	≥60							
Delivery history								
Parity	Primiparous	0.021	0.885	4.536	0.033	0.629	0.428	
	Multipara	0.021						
Delivery mode	Spontaneous vaginal	0.014	0.907	0.152	0.696	0.500	0.479	
	Caesarean section	0.011						
Infant's Information								
Sex	Male	6.409	0.011	2.241	0.134	0.804	0.370	
	Female				0.101	0.001		

Birth weight <sup>1</sup>	Low										
	Normal	1.008	0.615	2.034	0.402	4.216	0.130				
	Hight										
	Exclusive breastfeeding										
Feeding way	Mixed feeding	5.479	0.065	0.873	0.647	5.604	0.062				
	Exclusive Formula-feeding										
_	Yes										
Cranial hematoma <sup>2</sup>	No	7.288	0.026	0.342	0.843	0.380	0.827				
	Not sure										
Whether to pass meconium	Yes	0.052	0.820	1.626	0.202	3.247	0.072				
with in 24 hours	No										
Predischarge bilirubin level	Normal	1.253	0.263	0.022	0.882	1.837	0.175				
	Hight										
"yuesao" <sup>3</sup>	Yes	1.067	0.320	11.878	0.001	0.327	0.567				
	No										
Previous experience/exposu	re to NNJ										
Prior health education on	Yes	0.004	0.002	0.170	0.672	9.236	0.002				
neonatal jaundice	No	8.824	0.003	0.179							
Previous child history of	Yes		0.302	0.140	0.708	0.133	0.715				
neonataljaundice	No	1.067									
Current child admitted to											
the hospital for treatment	Yes		0.549	0.012	0.912	3.156	0.076				
due to jaundice after disch	No	0.358									
arge											
Family history/friends with	Yes			0.100	0.752	0.860	0.354				
NNJ history (N=373)	No	0.351	0.554								
Mother's knowledge level	good						0.000				
	poor		NA	9.478 0.002		35.751	0.000				
Mother's attitude level	good				NA		0.007				
	poor		NA								
Note: NA, not applicable. *Knowledge attitude and behaviour were all divided into two levels ( po											
or or good)											