**Which skincare practices do you recommend for babies in your country?**

Thank you for answering this questionnaire. We hope to broaden our understanding of skin care practices across different countries.

Job role \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Specialty \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Region and country of practice \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you practice in an urban or rural population? \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Years of working in this field \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Regarding your patient population, do you see children aged… (please select all age group/s that apply)

* Up to 4 weeks of age
* 1 -12 months

In your country of residence, what do you think is the prevalence of eczema in children?

*Prevalence: the proportion of children who have eczema within your population*

Is your reference for this figure from your own experience or reported in a paper? Please provide further details of the paper if you can.

**BATHING**

How soon after birth would you recommend bathing a baby?

For a baby in the first 4 weeks of life, do you advise:

* Regular bathing (how often?)
* Reduced bathing (how often?)
* Avoiding bathing

Which of the following do you advise bathing a baby with? Please select as many as you would recommend.

* Soap
* Emollient
* Essential oils
* Bubble bath
* Bath additive
* Water only
* Other (please provide further details)
* Avoiding bathing

Please give details of above if relevant

Please select the water temperature you would advise for bathing a baby in the first 4 weeks of life:

* Warm
* Cold tap
* Avoiding bathing

**MOISTURISERS**
For a baby in the first two weeks of life, do you advise application ofany of the following? Please select as many as you would recommend.

* Plain unscented cream
* Plain unscented ointment
* Scented creams and/or ointments
* Medicinal emollients
* Shea butter
* Coconut oil
* Olive oil
* Nut-based product e.g. almond oil
* None of the above
* Other, please provide further details \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

If you advise applying any of these, do you advise applying them:

* More than once daily
* Once daily
* Occasionally (1-2x/week)
* Other, please provide further details \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

For a baby in the first two weeks of life, do you advise avoiding use of the following? Please select as many as you would advise families to avoid

* Plain unscented cream
* Plain unscented ointment
* Scented creams and/or ointments
* Medicinal emollients
* Shea butter
* Coconut oil
* Olive oil
* Nut-based product e.g. almond oil
* None of the above
* Other, please provide further details \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Would you advise on any other skincare in babies within this age group that have not mentioned above? If so, please provide more information.

Thank you for your time

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