# **Appendix S1.** The questionnaire.

### Notice:

- This is the translated version (from Chinese to English) of the questionnaire.
- This is merely the main content of the questionnaire, not covering the informed consent, the brief introduction, the tips for filling in and the acknowledgments.
- Unless otherwise mentioned, the questions are single-choice questions with options below or blank-filling questions with a horizontal line.
- Bolded fonts were barely used to sort questions and cannot been seen by participants.

Part One: Background Information
1. Demographic:
1.1. <b>Age:</b> Your age is
1.2. Education: Your highest educational background
A: junior middle school and below
B: senior middle school (including technical secondary school)
C: university and above (including junior college)
1.3. Employment: Your employment status
A: no, unemployed B: yes, currently working
1.4. Income: Family monthly income (including you and your spouse)
A: < 5,000 CNY B: 5,000-9,999 CNY
C: 10,000-49,999 CNY D: >50,000 CNY
2. Pregnant:
2.1. <b>Gestational age:</b> Your gestational age:week(s) +day(s)
2.2. Ways of conception: How did you get pregnant
A: spontaneous pregnancy
B: by assisted reproductive technology (IVF-ET)
2.3. Parity: How many children do you have (not including this pregnancy):
2.4. Foetal number: Number of foetus in this pregnancy
A: one (singleton) B: two or more (multiple)
2.5. Comorbidity and Complication:
(1) Do you have any pregnancy comorbidity or complication?
A: no B: yes
If "yes", automatically switch to (2), otherwise participants do not need to complete this.
(2) What are these (multiple choices allowed)?
A: threatened miscarriage: vaginal bleeding or prevention of miscarriage
B: threatened preterm labour
C: foetal malformation or suspected malformation: chromosomal or structural
abnormalities
D: foetal growth restriction (FGR)
E: foetal distress or suspected distress: possible hypoxia or low volume of amniotic fluid
F: placenta previa (PP)
G: hypertensive disorder complicating pregnancy
H: gestational diabetes mellitus (GDM)
I: intrahepatic cholestasis of pregnancy (ICP)

J: other comorbidity or complication\_\_\_\_\_

### 3. Epidemic:

## 3.1. City: Wuhan or Chongqing, from backstage (the source of the questionnaire)

3.2. Information sources: What is your main information source regarding COVID-19?

A: official media (TV news, government official accounts, hospital official account, etc.)

B: unofficial media (friends, family members, unofficial accounts, etc.)

C: other (community campaign, etc.)

## 3.3. Exposure:

Are there any COVID-19 diagnosed or suspected case among your family or friends?

A: no B: yes

# 3.4. Infected symptoms:

Do you or your family members have any symptom of fever, cough, diarrheal, etc.?

A: no B: yes

#### **Part Two: Attitudes**

There are 12 items, please read each item carefully.

There are five options after each item, which respectively indicates:

A. totally disagree B. comparative disagree

C. neutral attitude D. comparative agree E. strongly agree

## 1. Attitudes towards knowing about the COVID-19

- 1.1. I know the SARS-CoV-2 and relevant prevention knowledge well.
- 1.2. I am very concerned about the real-time progress of epidemic control.
- 1.3. I think this epidemic is far away from me.

# 2. Attitudes towards the objective impact of COVID-19

- 2.1. (general) I feel nervous about the control of this epidemic.
- 2.2. (general) I feel nervous when my relatives or friends come to my house.
- 2.3. (general) I feel nervous when I go out.
- 2.4. (general) I feel nervous when I'm in contact with people who have fever or cough.
- 2.5. (general) I feel better if my family members reduce going out and refuse meetings.

#### 2.6. (pregnancy-related)

I think pregnant women and their foetuses are more vulnerable to this epidemic than others.

### 3. Attitudes towards the assistance

- 3.1. (medical) I think the online medical consultation is beneficial to my pregnancy now.
- 3.2. (mental) I think the psychological consultation and counselling is necessary and beneficial now.

### **Part Three: Anxiety**

There are 20 items, please read each item carefully.

There are four choices after each item, which respectively indicates:

A: None or a little of the time (In the past week, there have been such cases no more than one day.)

B: Some of the time (In the past week, there have been such cases in 1-2 days.)

C: Good part of the time (In the past week, there have been such cases in 3-4 days.)

- D: Most or all of the time (In the past week, there have been such cases in 5-7 days.)
- 1. I feel more nervous and anxious than usual
- 2. I feel afraid for no reason at all
- 3. I get upset easily or feel panicky
- 4. I feel like I'm falling apart and going to pieces
- 5. I feel that everything is all right and nothing bad will happen
- 6. My arms and legs shake and tremble
- 7. I am bothered by headaches, neck and back pains
- 8. I feel weak and get tired easily
- 9. I feel calm and can sit still easily
- 10. I can feel my heart beating fast
- 11. I am bothered by dizzy spells
- 12. I have fainting spells or feel like it
- 13. I can breathe in and out easily
- 14. I get feelings of numbness and tingling in my fingers, toes
- 15. I am bothered by stomach-aches or indigestion
- 16. I have to empty my bladder often
- 17. My hands are usually dry and warm
- 18. My face gets hot and blushes
- 19. I fall asleep easily and get a good night's rest
- 20. I have nightmares

### **Part Four: Obstetric Decisions**

- 1. Request of online consultation: Are you willing to consult doctors online?
  - A: yes B: no
- 2.**Hospital preference:** Recently (within 1 month), your choice of hospital for prenatal check or delivery is mainly based on (multiple choices allowed)
  - A: Refuse to go to any hospital.
  - B: Go to the hospital where the previous routine check was conducted.
  - C: Go to a hospital closer to my home.
  - D: Go to a large comprehensive hospital.
  - E: Go to a specialized hospital of Obstetrics.
- 3. **Schedule change:** According to your original plan, do you plan to see a doctor in the near future (within 1 month) for prenatal care or hospitalized delivery
  - A: Yes, there is an appointment for prenatal check in the near future.
  - B: Yes, there is an appointment for hospitalized delivery in the near future.
  - C: No, there is no plan for prenatal check or hospitalized delivery in the near future.

# If "A" in question "3", automatically switch to "3.1"

- 3.1. Do you think your recent prenatal care has been affected by this epidemic? (multiple choices allowed)
- A: Yes, it will be postponed, because of the traffic bans and the inconvenience of attending hospital.
- B: Yes, it will be postponed, because of the worries about myself being infected in hospital.
- C: No, it will be done as planned, because online remote medical check-up is available recently.

D: No, it will be done as planned. I will take protective measures and see my doctor face-to-face.

## If "B" in question "3", automatically switch to "3.2"

3.2. Do you think your recent hospitalized delivery has been affected by this epidemic? (multiple choices allowed)

A: Yes, it will be postponed, because of the traffic bans and the inconvenience of attending hospital.

B: Yes, it will be postponed, because of the worries about myself being infected in hospital.

C: Yes, it will be postponed, because of the worries about my new-born baby being infected.

D: Yes, I will consider hospitalization ahead of time to wait for delivery, because of the traffic bans and the inconvenience of attending hospital.

E: Yes, I will consider hospitalization ahead of time to have a caesarean section in advance, because of the worries about the uncertain influence of this epidemic whilst I am waiting at home.

F: No, it will be done as planned. I will take protective measures and go to hospital on time.

Otherwise, participants do not need to answer these two questions above.

#### 4. Decisions:

- 4.1. Whether your choice of delivery mode changes due to the epidemic
  - A: No, I'm always going to prefer vaginal delivery if possible.
  - B: No, I'm always going to prefer caesarean delivery.
  - C: Yes, I planned vaginal delivery but the epidemic changed my mind to caesarean delivery.
  - D: Yes, I planned caesarean delivery but the epidemic changed my mind to vaginal delivery.
- 4.2. Whether your choice of lactation mode changes due to the epidemic
  - A: No, I always prefer breastfeeding if possible.
  - B: No, I always prefer bottle feeding.
  - C: Yes, I planned breastfeeding but the epidemic changed my mind to bottle feeding.
  - D: Yes, I planned bottle feeding but the epidemic changed my mind to breastfeeding.
- 4.3. Whether your choice of postnatal resting place changes due to the epidemic
  - A: No, I always intend to be at home.
  - B: No, I always intend to go to a specialized postnatal resting institution.
  - C: Yes, I changed my mind from home to a specialized postnatal resting institution.
  - D: Yes, I changed my mind from the postnatal resting institution to stay at home.

### 5. Subjective impact:

There are 3 items, please read each item carefully.

There are five options after each item, which respectively indicates:

A: completely no impact on my pregnancy

B: almost no impact on my pregnancy

C: slight impact on my pregnancy D: comparative impact on my pregnancy

E: significant impact on my pregnancy

- 5.1. The schedule change of prenatal check or delivery due to the epidemic has...
- 5.2. Reduced activities due to the requirement of epidemic control has...
- 5.3. Contingency plan of COVID-19 screening examination (chest CT scan) has...