Table S2: Relevance of the training content and learning curve reported by general practitioners (GPs) directly following the training (N=69 GPs from 52 practices).

	% (n)	Score, mean ± SD
How do you estimate your learning growth achieved throughout the training? (Question (Q): 2.4) <sup>a</sup>		$4.12 \pm 0.74$
Very high	31.9% (22)	
High	47.8% (33)	
Medium	17.4% (12)	
Small	1.4% (1)	
Very small	0% (0)	
N/A	1.4% (1)	
The relevance of the training content for daily GP practice became apparent (Q: 2.3) <sup>b</sup>		$4.60 \pm 0.67$
Totally Agree	65.2% (45)	
Agree	30.4% (21)	
Partly Agree	1.5% (1)	
Disagree	0% (0)	
Totally disagree	1.5% (1)	
N/A	1.5% (1)	
I plan to implement the structured brief smoking cessation advice according to the "ABC"/"5A" method more		$4.56 \pm 0.63$
frequently in my daily practice in the future (Q: 3.4) <sup>b</sup>		
Totally Agree	62.3% (43)	
Agree	29.0% (20)	
Partly Agree	7.2% (5)	
Disagree	0% (0)	
Totally disagree	0% (0)	
N/A	1.4% (1)	

Data are presented as proportions %; N/A= no answer, SD = standard deviation, Q= question number in the respective questionnaire following the training; ascores: 1 = very small, 2 = small, 3 = medium, 4 = high, 5 = very high; scores: 1 = totally disagree, 2 = partly disagree, 3 = partly agree, 4 = agree, 5 = totally agree.