## SUPPLEMENTARY MATERIAL

Gestational diabetes mellitus and offspring's carotid intima-media thickness at birth: *MySweetHeart* Cohort Study

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Supplemental material

Table S1 The relationship of GDM and assignment or not to a lifestyle and psychosocial intervention with offspring's CIMT at birth.

	Mean (sd), mm	Model 1 (n=200)		Model 2 (n=165)		Model 3 (n=165)	
		Mean difference (95% CI),	р	Mean difference (95% CI),	р	Mean difference (95% CI),	р
		mm		mm		mm	
Non-GDM	0.30 (0.04)	ref	ref	ref	ref	ref	ref
GDM, non-l	0.30 (0.04)	0.00 (-0.01 to 0.01)	0.94	0.00 (-0.02 to 0.02)	0.93	0.00 (-0.02 to 0.01)	0.91
GDM, I	0.30 (0.04)	0.00 (-0.01 to 0.01)	0.98	-0.01 (-0.03 to 0.01)	0.19	-0.01 (-0.02 to 0.01)	0.25

Estimates were obtained from linear regression models with the following specification: Model 1: unadjusted estimates; Model 2: estimates adjusted for maternal pre-pregnancy BMI, education, and tobacco smoking; offspring family history of diabetes and sex; Model 3: estimates adjusted for maternal pre-pregnancy BMI, education, and tobacco smoking; offspring family history of diabetes, sex, body surface area and age at CIMT assessment. The outcome variable (i.e., CIMT) was continuous. The exposure variable was categorical with 3 levels (Non-GDM/ GDM, non-I/ GDM, I; the reference category was Non-GDM). Similar results were obtained when Model 1 was run in the sample (n=165) with data on outcome, exposure, and all covariates included in Models 2 and 3 (GDM, non-I: 0.00 mm (95% CI: -0.01 to 0.01; p=0.99); GDM, I: -0.01 mm (95% CI: -0.02 to 0.01; p=0.29)). Abbreviations: CI, confidence interval; CIMT, carotid intima-media thickness; GDM, gestational diabetes mellitus; I, intervention; n, total number of participants; p, p-value; sd, standard deviation; ref, reference group.

**Fig. S1** Illustration of the relationship of GDM and assignment or not to a lifestyle and psychosocial intervention with offspring's CIMT through a forest plot.

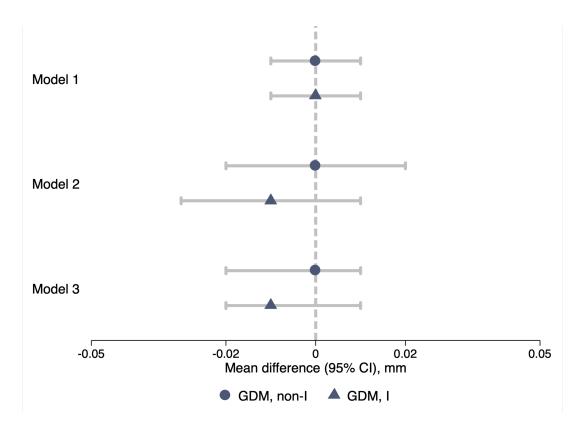
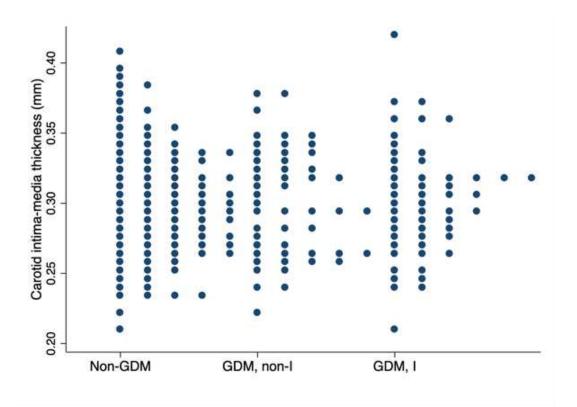


Figure legend The circles represent mean differences in CIMT between offspring of women with GDM assigned to no intervention (*GDM*, *non-I*) and offspring of women without GDM (*Non-GDM*). The triangles represent mean differences in CIMT between offspring of women with GDM assigned to a lifestyle and psychosocial intervention (*GDM*, *I*) and offspring of women without GDM (*Non-GDM*). The horizontal lines represent the 95% CIs. The plot was constructed using regression estimates and models presented in Table S1. Model specification: Model 1 is unadjusted, while Models 2 and 3 are adjusted for various factors as described in the methods and footnote of Table S1. Abbreviations: CI, confidence interval; CIMT, carotid intimamedia thickness; GDM, gestational diabetes; I, intervention.

**Fig. S2** Dot plot of CIMT at birth by gestational diabetes mellitus (GDM) and assignment to a lifestyle and psychosocial intervention (I).



**Figure legend** This figure shows the distribution of CIMT in the offspring of women without GDM (*Non-GDM*) and the offspring of women with GDM who were assigned to no intervention (*GDM*, *non-I*) or to a lifestyle and psychosocial intervention (*GDM*, *I*) as part of their participation in the *MySweetHeart* Trial. Abbreviations: CIMT, carotid intima-media thickness; GDM, gestational diabetes mellitus; I, intervention.