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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Stillbirths: recall to action in high-income countries. <i>Lancet</i> , The, 2016, 387, 691-702.	13.7	481
2	Trends in perinatal health in metropolitan France from 1995 to 2016: Results from the French National Perinatal Surveys. <i>Journal of Gynecology Obstetrics and Human Reproduction</i> , 2017, 46, 701-713.	1.3	272
3	Migration to western industrialised countries and perinatal health: A systematic review. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2009, 69, 934-946.	3.8	268
4	Preterm birth time trends in Europe: a study of 19 countries. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2013, 120, 1356-1365.	2.3	252
5	The Impact of the Increasing Number of Multiple Births on the Rates of Preterm Birth and Low Birthweight: An International Study. <i>American Journal of Public Health</i> , 2002, 92, 1323-1330.	2.7	239
6	Trends in perinatal health in France from 1995 to 2010. Results from the French National Perinatal Surveys. <i>Journal De Gyn�cologie, Obst�trique Et Biologie De La Reproduction</i> , 2012, 41, e1-e15.	0.9	236
7	Wide differences in mode of delivery within Europe: risk�stratified analyses of aggregated routine data from the Euro�Peristat study. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2016, 123, 559-568.	2.3	190
8	International migration and adverse birth outcomes: role of ethnicity, region of origin and destination. <i>Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health</i> , 2010, 64, 243-251.	3.7	144
9	Birth outcomes of immigrant women in the United States, France, and Belgium. <i>Maternal and Child Health Journal</i> , 1999, 3, 177-187.	1.5	142
10	Variations in rates of severe perineal tears and episiotomies in 20 European countries: a study based on routine national data in Euro�Peristat Project. <i>Acta Obstetrica Et Gynecologica Scandinavica</i> , 2016, 95, 746-754.	2.8	138
11	General obstetrics: Preterm birth and multiple pregnancy in European countries participating in the PERISTAT project. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2006, 113, 528-535.	2.3	127
12	Poor effectiveness of antenatal detection of fetal growth restriction and consequences for obstetric management and neonatal outcomes: a French national study. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2015, 122, 518-527.	2.3	127
13	Migrant Women�s Utilization of Prenatal Care: A Systematic Review. <i>Maternal and Child Health Journal</i> , 2013, 17, 816-836.	1.5	124
14	Use of evidence based practices to improve survival without severe morbidity for very preterm infants: results from the EPICE population based cohort. <i>BMJ</i> , The, 2016, 354, i2976.	6.0	122
15	Psychological consequences of having triplets: a 4-year follow-up study. <i>Fertility and Sterility</i> , 1997, 67, 1162-1165.	1.0	105
16	International migration and caesarean birth: a systematic review and meta-analysis. <i>BMC Pregnancy and Childbirth</i> , 2013, 13, 27.	2.4	100
17	A global reference for caesarean section rates (C�Model): a multicountry cross�sectional study. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2016, 123, 427-436.	2.3	92
18	Variations in breastfeeding rates for very preterm infants between regions and neonatal units in Europe: results from the MOSAIC cohort. <i>Archives of Disease in Childhood: Fetal and Neonatal Edition</i> , 2011, 96, F450-F452.	2.8	88

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19	What contributes to disparities in the preterm birth rate in European countries?. <i>Current Opinion in Obstetrics and Gynecology</i> , 2015, 27, 133-142.	2.0	82
20	Cannabis use during pregnancy in France in 2010. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2014, 121, 971-977.	2.3	69
21	Out-of-hospital births and the supply of maternity units in France. <i>Health and Place</i> , 2011, 17, 1170-1173.	3.3	68
22	Breastfeeding Duration, Social and Occupational Characteristics of Mothers in the French "EDEN Mother-Child" Cohort. <i>Maternal and Child Health Journal</i> , 2013, 17, 714-722.	1.5	68
23	Stabilising the caesarean rate: which target population?. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2015, 122, 690-699.	2.3	68
24	European indicators of health care during pregnancy, delivery and the postpartum period. <i>European Journal of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Biology</i> , 2003, 111, S53-S65.	1.1	66
25	Declines in stillbirth and neonatal mortality rates in Europe between 2004 and 2010: results from the Euro-Peristat project. <i>Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health</i> , 2016, 70, 609-615.	3.7	66
26	Obstetric Interventions for Low-Risk Pregnant Women in France: Do Maternity Unit Characteristics Make a Difference?. <i>Birth</i> , 2012, 39, 183-191.	2.2	65
27	Perinatal health monitoring in Europe: results from the EURO-PERISTAT project. <i>Informatics for Health and Social Care</i> , 2010, 35, 64-79.	2.6	63
28	Poor antenatal care in 20 French districts: risk factors and pregnancy outcome. <i>Journal of Epidemiology and Community Health</i> , 1998, 52, 501-506.	3.7	55
29	Low breastfeeding continuation to 6 months for very preterm infants: a European multiregional cohort study. <i>Maternal and Child Nutrition</i> , 2019, 15, e12657.	3.0	55
30	Association between inadequate antenatal care utilisation and severe perinatal and maternal morbidity: an analysis in the PreCARE cohort. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2018, 125, 587-595.	2.3	52
31	Factors Associated with the Choice of Delivery without Epidural Analgesia in Women at Low Risk in France. <i>Birth</i> , 2008, 35, 171-178.	2.2	51
32	International Comparisons of Fetal and Neonatal Mortality Rates in High-Income Countries: Should Exclusion Thresholds Be Based on Birth Weight or Gestational Age?. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2013, 8, e64869.	2.5	49
33	Association between maternal social deprivation and prenatal care utilization: the PreCARE cohort study. <i>BMC Pregnancy and Childbirth</i> , 2017, 17, 126.	2.4	46
34	Maternal and health care determinants of preconceptional use of folic acid supplementation in France: results from the 2010 National Perinatal Survey. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2013, 120, 1661-1667.	2.3	42
35	Socioeconomic inequalities in stillbirth rates in Europe: measuring the gap using routine data from the Euro-Peristat Project. <i>BMC Pregnancy and Childbirth</i> , 2016, 16, 15.	2.4	42
36	Impact of maternity unit closures on access to obstetrical care: The French experience between 1998 and 2003. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2008, 67, 1521-1529.	3.8	40

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37	Varying gestational age patterns in cesarean delivery: an international comparison. <i>BMC Pregnancy and Childbirth</i> , 2014, 14, 321.	2.4	40
38	Variability in the management and outcomes of extremely preterm births across five European countries: a population-based cohort study. <i>Archives of Disease in Childhood: Fetal and Neonatal Edition</i> , 2017, 102, F400-F408.	2.8	39
39	Discordant time trends in maternal body size and offspring birthweight of term deliveries in France between 1972 and 2003: data from the French National Perinatal Surveys. <i>Paediatric and Perinatal Epidemiology</i> , 2011, 25, 210-217.	1.7	37
40	The risk of prelabor and intrapartum cesarean delivery among overweight and obese women: possible preventive actions. <i>American Journal of Obstetrics and Gynecology</i> , 2015, 212, 241.e1-241.e9.	1.3	37
41	Duration and Time Trends in Hospital Stay for Very Preterm Infants Differ Across European Regions*. <i>Pediatric Critical Care Medicine</i> , 2018, 19, 1153-1161.	0.5	37
42	Seasonal influenza vaccine uptake and vaccine refusal among pregnant women in France: results from a national survey. <i>Human Vaccines and Immunotherapeutics</i> , 2020, 16, 1093-1100.	3.3	36
43	International versus national growth charts for identifying small and large-for-gestational age newborns: A population-based study in 15 European countries. <i>Lancet Regional Health - Europe</i> , The, 2021, 8, 100167.	5.6	36
44	New index of social deprivation during pregnancy: results from a national study in France. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2016, 6, e009511.	1.9	35
45	Quantifying the burden of stillbirths before 28 weeks of completed gestational age in high-income countries: a population-based study of 19 European countries. <i>Lancet</i> , The, 2018, 392, 1639-1646.	13.7	35
46	Failure of the vaccination campaign against A(H1N1) influenza in pregnant women in France: Results from a national survey. <i>Vaccine</i> , 2012, 30, 5661-5665.	3.8	33
47	Risk factors of preterm birth in France in 2010 and changes since 1995: Results from the French National Perinatal Surveys. <i>Journal of Gynecology Obstetrics and Human Reproduction</i> , 2017, 46, 19-28.	1.3	31
48	Differential trends in breastfeeding according to maternal and hospital characteristics: results from the French National Perinatal Surveys. <i>Acta Paediatrica, International Journal of Paediatrics</i> , 2007, 96, 1290-1295.	1.5	30
49	Approaches to supporting lactation and breastfeeding for very preterm infants in the NICU: a qualitative study in three European regions. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2015, 5, e006973.	1.9	29
50	Influenza during pregnancy: Incidence, vaccination coverage and attitudes toward vaccination in the French web-based cohort G-GrippeNet. <i>Vaccine</i> , 2016, 34, 2390-2396.	3.8	29
51	Where does distance matter? Distance to the closest maternity unit and risk of foetal and neonatal mortality in France. <i>European Journal of Public Health</i> , 2014, 24, 905-910.	0.3	28
52	Choice in maternity care: associations with unit supply, geographic accessibility and user characteristics. <i>International Journal of Health Geographics</i> , 2012, 11, 35.	2.5	27
53	Distribution of maternity units and spatial access to specialised care for women delivering before 32 weeks of gestation in Europe. <i>Health and Place</i> , 2010, 16, 531-538.	3.3	26
54	How do late terminations of pregnancy affect comparisons of stillbirth rates in Europe? Analyses of aggregated routine data from the EuroPeristat Project. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2018, 125, 226-234.	2.3	26

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55	Does the Presence of Risk Factors for Fetal Growth Restriction Increase the Probability of Antenatal Detection? A French National Study. <i>Paediatric and Perinatal Epidemiology</i> , 2016, 30, 46-55.	1.7	25
56	Perinatal health monitoring through a European lens: eight lessons from the EuroPeristat report on 2015 births. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2019, 126, 1518-1522.	2.3	25
57	Potential avoidability of planned cesarean sections in a French national database. <i>Acta Obstetrica Et Gynecologica Scandinavica</i> , 2014, 93, 905-912.	2.8	24
58	Cohort Profile: the Etude Epidémiologique sur les Petits Ages Gestationnels-2 (EPIPAGE-2) preterm birth cohort. <i>International Journal of Epidemiology</i> , 2021, 50, 1428-1429m.	1.9	24
59	Are risk factors for preterm and early-term live singleton birth the same? A population-based study in France. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2018, 8, e018745.	1.9	23
60	International variations in the gestational age distribution of births: an ecological study in 34 high-income countries. <i>European Journal of Public Health</i> , 2018, 28, 303-309.	0.3	23
61	La santé périnatale en France métropolitaine de 1995 à 2010. Résultats des enquêtes nationales périnatales. <i>Revue Sage - Femme</i> , 2012, 11, 128-143.	0.1	20
62	The impact of neonatal unit policies on breast milk feeding at discharge of moderate preterm infants: The EPIPAGE-2 cohort study. <i>Maternal and Child Nutrition</i> , 2019, 15, e12875.	3.0	20
63	Preterm birth and selection in utero among males following the November 2015 Paris attacks. <i>International Journal of Epidemiology</i> , 2019, 48, 1614-1622.	1.9	20
64	National Variations in Recent Trends of Sudden Unexpected Infant Death Rate in Western Europe. <i>Journal of Pediatrics</i> , 2020, 226, 179-185.e4.	1.8	19
65	Organisation of obstetric services for very preterm births in Europe: results from the MOSAIC project. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2009, 116, 1364-1372.	2.3	18
66	Mode of delivery and mortality and morbidity for very preterm singleton infants in a breech position: A European cohort study. <i>European Journal of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Biology</i> , 2019, 234, 96-102.	1.1	17
67	Elective induction of labour and maternal request: a national population-based study. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2016, 123, 2191-2197.	2.3	16
68	Why women with previous caesarean and eligible for a trial of labour have an elective repeat caesarean delivery? A national study in France. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2016, 123, 1664-1673.	2.3	16
69	Unit policies and breast milk feeding at discharge of very preterm infants: The EPIPAGE-2 cohort study. <i>Paediatric and Perinatal Epidemiology</i> , 2019, 33, 59-69.	1.7	16
70	Producing valid statistics when legislation, culture and medical practices differ for births at or before the threshold of survival: report of a European workshop. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2020, 127, 314-318.	2.3	16
71	Prevalence and characteristics of women reporting poor mental health during pregnancy: Findings from the 2010 French National Perinatal Survey. <i>Revue D'Epidemiologie Et De Sante Publique</i> , 2015, 63, 85-95.	0.5	15
72	Comparison of the performance of estimated fetal weight charts for the detection of small and large-for-gestational age newborns with adverse outcomes: a French population-based study. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2022, 129, 938-948.	2.3	14

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73	Determinants of the use of nonpharmacological analgesia for labor pain management: a national population-based study. <i>Pain</i> , 2020, 161, 2571-2580.	4.2	13
74	Characteristics of Childbearing Women, Obstetrical Interventions and Preterm Delivery: A Comparison of the US and France. <i>Maternal and Child Health Journal</i> , 2015, 19, 1107-1114.	1.5	11
75	Pregnancy planning and acceptance and maternal psychological distress during pregnancy: results from the National Perinatal Survey, France, 2016. <i>BMC Pregnancy and Childbirth</i> , 2022, 22, 162.	2.4	11
76	Very low prevalence of iron deficiency among young French children: A national cross-sectional hospital-based survey. <i>Maternal and Child Nutrition</i> , 2018, 14, .	3.0	10
77	Occupational, social and medical characteristics of early prenatal leave in France. <i>European Journal of Public Health</i> , 2016, 26, 1022-1027.	0.3	9
78	Volume of Neonatal Care and Survival without Disability at 2 Years in Very Preterm Infants: Results of a French National Cohort Study. <i>Journal of Pediatrics</i> , 2019, 213, 22-29.e4.	1.8	9
79	Physical Violence During Pregnancy in France: Frequency and Impact on the Health of Expectant Mothers and New-Borns. <i>Maternal and Child Health Journal</i> , 2019, 23, 1108-1116.	1.5	9
80	Indications leading to termination of pregnancy between 22+0 and 31+6 weeks of gestational age in France: A population-based cohort study. <i>European Journal of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Biology</i> , 2019, 233, 12-18.	1.1	9
81	Delivery Hospital Characteristics and Postpartum Maternal Mortality: A National Case-Control Study in France. <i>Anesthesia and Analgesia</i> , 2020, 130, 52-62.	2.2	9
82	Association of Oxytocin Use and Artificial Rupture of Membranes With Cesarean Delivery in France. <i>Obstetrics and Gynecology</i> , 2020, 135, 436-443.	2.4	9
83	Who are the Women Who Work in Their Last Month of Pregnancy? Social and Occupational Characteristics and Birth Outcomes of Women Working Until the Last Month of Pregnancy in France. <i>Maternal and Child Health Journal</i> , 2016, 20, 1774-1779.	1.5	8
84	Young children formula consumption and iron deficiency at 24 months in the general population: A national-level study. <i>Clinical Nutrition</i> , 2021, 40, 166-173.	5.0	8
85	Predictors of incomplete maternal satisfaction with neuraxial labor analgesia: A nationwide study. <i>Anaesthesia, Critical Care & Pain Medicine</i> , 2021, 40, 100939.	1.4	8
86	First nationwide web-based surveillance system for influenza-like illness in pregnant women: participation and representativeness of the French G-GrippeNet cohort. <i>BMC Public Health</i> , 2016, 16, 253.	2.9	7
87	Frequency and determinants of misuse of augmentation of labor in France: A population-based study. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2021, 16, e0246729.	2.5	7
88	Clarity and consistency in stillbirth reporting in Europe: why is it so hard to get this right?. <i>European Journal of Public Health</i> , 2022, 32, 200-206.	0.3	7
89	Recent historic increase of infant mortality in France: A time-series analysis, 2001 to 2019. <i>Lancet Regional Health - Europe</i> , The, 2022, 16, 100339.	5.6	7
90	Anesthetic and Obstetrical Factors Associated With the Effectiveness of Epidural Analgesia for Labor Pain Relief. <i>Regional Anesthesia and Pain Medicine</i> , 2017, 42, 109-116.	2.3	6

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91	Travel Time to Hospital for Childbirth: Comparing Calculated Versus Reported Travel Times in France. <i>Maternal and Child Health Journal</i> , 2018, 22, 101-110.	1.5	6
92	Impact of national guidelines on the cesarean delivery rate in France: A 2010–2016 comparison using the Robson classification. <i>European Journal of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Biology</i> , 2020, 252, 359-365.	1.1	6
93	Unisex vs sex-specific estimated fetal weight charts for fetal growth monitoring: a population-based study. <i>American Journal of Obstetrics & Gynecology MFM</i> , 2022, 4, 100527.	2.6	6
94	Decreases in preterm birth during the first COVID-19 lockdown in France by gestational age sub-groups and regional COVID-19 incidence. <i>Annals of Epidemiology</i> , 2022, 72, 74-81.	1.9	6
95	Preterm Birth Time Trends in Europe. <i>Obstetric Anesthesia Digest</i> , 2014, 34, 209-210.	0.1	5
96	How perinatal health in France compared with other European countries in 2015: some progress but also some concerns about newborn health. <i>Journal of Gynecology Obstetrics and Human Reproduction</i> , 2019, 48, 437-439.	1.3	5
97	A rise in births following contraceptive failure in France between 2010 and 2016: results from the French national perinatal surveys. <i>BMC Women's Health</i> , 2021, 21, 115.	2.0	5
98	Maternal characteristics associated with gestational weight gain in France: a population-based, nationally representative study. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2021, 11, e049497.	1.9	5
99	Use of labour neuraxial analgesia according to maternal immigration status: a national cross-sectional retrospective population-based study in France. <i>British Journal of Anaesthesia</i> , 2021, 127, 942-952.	3.4	5
100	Contemporary duration of spontaneous labor and association with maternal characteristics: A French national population-based study. <i>Birth</i> , 2021, 48, 86-95.	2.2	5
101	Changes in conditions at birth in France from 1995 to 2016: Results of the National Perinatal Surveys. <i>Archives De Pediatrie</i> , 2018, 25, 245-246.	1.0	4
102	How perinatal health in France compared with other European countries in 2015 : some progress but also some concerns about newborn health. <i>Archives De Pediatrie</i> , 2019, 26, 249-251.	1.0	4
103	Trends in Tobacco Smoking in Pregnant Women: Data From French National Perinatal Surveys. <i>International Journal of Public Health</i> , 2021, 66, 602873.	2.3	4
104	Overuse of antenatal visits and ultrasounds in low-risk women: A national population-based study. <i>Paediatric and Perinatal Epidemiology</i> , 2021, 35, 674-685.	1.7	4
105	Does women's place of birth affect their opportunity for an informed choice about Down syndrome screening? A population-based study in France. <i>BMC Pregnancy and Childbirth</i> , 2021, 21, 590.	2.4	4
106	Exploring the socioeconomic disparities of maternal body mass index: a national study in France. <i>European Journal of Public Health</i> , 2022, 32, 528-534.	0.3	4
107	Une géographie de l'offre de soins en restructuration: les territoires des maternités en Bourgogne. <i>Cahiers De Géographie De Quebec</i> , 0, 55, 491-509.	0.1	3
108	Antenatal HIV screening: results from the National Perinatal Survey, France, 2016. <i>Eurosurveillance</i> , 2019, 24, .	7.0	3

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109	Durée de séjour en maternité après un accouchement par voie basse en France. <i>Revue Sage - Femme</i> , 2013, 12, 105-115.	0.1	2
110	Risk factors for very preterm delivery out of a level III maternity unit: The EPIPAGE2 cohort study. <i>Paediatric and Perinatal Epidemiology</i> , 2021, 35, 694-705.	1.7	2
111	Classification de Robson: un outil d'évaluation des pratiques de césarienne en France. <i>Revue Sage - Femme</i> , 2015, 14, 199-207.	0.1	1
112	L'épisiotomie en France en 2010: variations des pratiques selon le contexte obstétrical et le lieu d'accouchement. <i>Revue Sage - Femme</i> , 2016, 15, 228-237.	0.1	1
113	Of episiotomies, implementation science, and repeating trials. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2020, 127, 404-404.	2.3	1
114	International comparisons and holistic patient care. <i>BJOG: an International Journal of Obstetrics and Gynaecology</i> , 2021, 128, 1557-1558.	2.3	1
115	Testing the assumptions of customized intrauterine growth charts using national birth studies. <i>Acta Obstetrica Et Gynecologica Scandinavica</i> , 2022, 101, 405-416.	2.8	1
116	No pain management for labour: individual and organisational determinants. <i>European Journal of Anaesthesiology</i> , 2022, 39, 489-497.	1.7	1
117	Les femmes de Seine-Saint-Denis ont-elles un suivi prénatal différent de celui des autres femmes de Île-de-France?. <i>Revue Sage - Femme</i> , 2014, 13, 200-210.	0.1	0
118	Prise en charge et santé périnatale en cas de grossesse gémellaire: situation en 2010 et évolution récente en France. <i>Revue Sage - Femme</i> , 2015, 14, 100-109.	0.1	0
119	Authors' reply to Page and Rafi. <i>BMJ, The</i> , 2016, 354, i4671.	6.0	0
120	Duration of second stage of labor and factors associated with prolonged second stage: A national population-based study in France. <i>European Journal of Obstetrics, Gynecology and Reproductive Biology</i> , 2022, 273, 12-19.	1.1	0