Supplementary table. Questionnaire baseline characteristics of the participants stratified by complete cases and cases lost to follow-up.

| Characteristics at baseline (Q1) | Q1+Q2 N=177 | Missing Q2 N=60 |
|----------------------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| **Age**                          |             |                 |
| Median age in years (min- max)   | 30.0 (19 – 41) | 30.5 (20 – 41) |
| < 25 years                       | 19 (10.9)   | 5 (8.3)         |
| ≥ 25 years and < 35 years        | 116 (66.3)  | 43 (71.7)       |
| ≥ 35 years                       | 40 (22.9)   | 12 (20.0)       |
| **Ethnicity † ‡**                |             |                 |
| Dutch                            | 119 (68.8)  | 26 (46.4)       |
| **Educational attainment §**     |             |                 |
| Low                              | 13 (7.5)    | 5 (8.9)         |
| Intermediate                     | 59 (33.9)   | 25 (44.6)       |
| High                             | 97 (55.7)   | 24 (42.9)       |
| Other – foreign education        | 5 (2.9)     | 2 (3.6)         |
| **Pregnancy intention**          |             |                 |
| Currently pregnant               | 3 (1.8)     | 1 (1.8)         |
| Within next 3 months             | 82 (48.5)   | 32 (56.1)       |
| Within next 3 - 6 months         | 48 (28.4)   | 11 (19.3)       |
| After > 6 months                 | 36 (21.3)   | 13 (22.8)       |
| **Subfertility**                 |             |                 |
| Current or previous fertility treatment | 13 (7.4) | 8 (13.8)       |
| **Previous pregnancy**           |             |                 |
| Yes                              | 49 (27.7)   | 20 (33.3)       |

* Data are expressed as numbers (percentages) unless otherwise specified. Not > 5% missing on an item.
† Self-defined ethnicity.
‡ Significant difference between groups, \( p <0.05 \).
§ Educational attainment level was defined as the highest completed educational level classified according to the International Standard Classification of Education (ISCED) i.e. low (level 0-2: early childhood; primary education; lower secondary education); intermediate (level 3-5: upper secondary; post-secondary; short cycle tertiary); and high (level 6-8: bachelor; master; doctoral). Unesco institute for statistics 2014.