## **Supplementary Material**

## Experience of primary caregivers in utilising an mHealth application for remote dental screening in preschool children

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## Appendix Table S1. Questionnaire

Theme	No	Items	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree/Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree
PE	1	Learning to operate a smartphone camera for dental photography would be easy for me					
	2	My interaction with dental photography app would be clear and understandable					
	3	It would be easy for me to become skilful at using such an app					
PU	4	Using an app like this could improve the dental care I receive for my child					
	5	If I were to use the dental photography app I could use that in the dental emergency					
	6	Using such an app would enable me to accomplish my child dental needs more quickly					
BI	7	I intend to use dental photography app when it becomes available					
	8	In the light of the COVID-19 pandemic, I consider future use of dental photography as an alternative of dental exam					
ANX	9	I do not like the loss of personal contact with dentists associated with using apps like this					
	10	More research is needed on the effectiveness of apps like this before I would use the app for my child dental needs					

	11	I think dental			
		professionals can			
		adequately make an			
		dental assessment of			
		my child when not			
		being physically			
		present			
	12	I hesitate to use such			
		an app for fear of			
		making mistakes I			
		cannot correct			
ATB	13	Using an app like this			
		for child dental			
		assessment is a good			
		idea			
	14	An app like this			
		would make my child			
		dental screening more			
		interesting			
SE	15	I could use the dental			
		photography app even			
		if I had never used an			
	10	app like it before			
	16	I could use the dental			
		photography app if someone showed me			
		how to use the app beforehand			
	17	I could use the dental			
	1/	photography even if			
		there was no one			
		around to tell me what			
		to do as I go			
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Abbreviation description: PE: Perceived ease of use; PU: Perceived usefulness; BI: Behavioural intention to adopt; AT: Anxiety; ABT: Attitude toward a behaviour; SE: Self-Efficacy