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Methamphetamine Use during Pregnancy, and Early Infant Development 蘿蠟爛窻莂鱂鴚鮂 オ壊酸濺該鉌ヵ驊醎耰 **藤穂賂虊縺臽** # 陸糧駐語鴚蝍 **輔**穮媽韃迚譽鞻買 坧農 霍挺 **. 漁 木 蘑 艫 坧 疻 饕 檕 虐 漣 爛 膄 鯆 浏** 馬鞼渡 羅釀 that persist into adulthood. Early identification in infants of risk factors related to r I facilitate timely and appropriate interventions during this critical developmental period. t include concerns such as exposure to methamphetamine and other drugs in utero, economic factors, separation after birth, exposure to high maternal stress during pregn e is clear that early detection and intervention results in improved long term outcomes.

: 115 pregnant women from 220 using Methamphetamine were recruited from July to De stered a structured questionnaire about their drug and alcohol use during each trimester of c data on maternal and infant details were collected. The ages and stages questionnaire months and included age-specific questions to assess infants. Written informed consent v rior to participation.

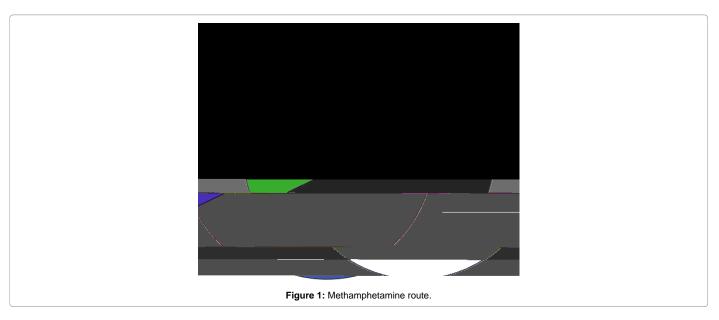
: 112 women completed the study. The majority (93%) of women were unemployed hetamine sometimes daily (50.9%) used it intravenously (67.9%) and smoked more er day (87.5%). Polysubstance use was common (17.9%). Involvement with child pro ices was common throughout pregnancy and the postpartum period (53%). The social w d protection with the Department of Child Protection and Family Support (CPF\$). They ass e parents and the risk factors associated with maternal drug use. Methamphetamine ini of 13 years. During pregnancy, some women reported that they had overdosed as a . Ages and Stages Questionnaire (ASQ-3) were completed on₁82% (n≟89) of infants a at 12 months. Infants who scored in the problem range of at least one developmental a or 39.3% of the infants assessed compared to 4983% at 12 months.

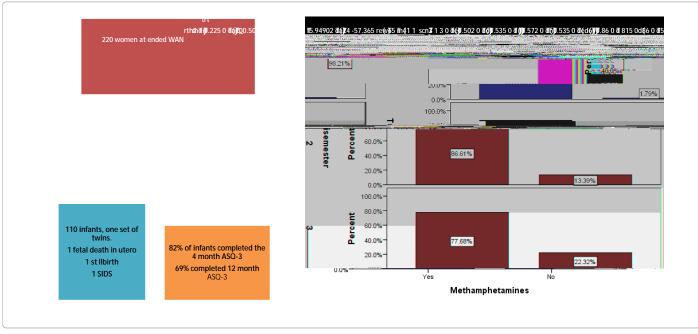
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