

## Interview guide

1. What is your full name?
2. How old are you?
3. Where were you born?
4. Where do you live now?
5. Who is at home with you?
6. Do you have any other children?
7. Do you feel you have the support you need at home?
8. What was (were) your previous birth experience(s) like for you?
9. Why did you decide to have a skin-to-skin C-section this time?
10. What did you expect skin-to-skin would be like?
11. What was your skin-to-skin C-section like for you?
12. How does this compare to your expectations of the skin-to-skin method?
13. How was your skin-to-skin C-section compared to your standard C-section(s)?
14. Was your partner present during your surgery?
15. Was the medical team supportive during your surgery?
16. Who looked after you in the hospital after your surgery?
17. Was your caregiver/other family member(s) supportive?
18. How did your caregiver's opinions of the skin-to-skin method compare to your doctor's?
19. Are you breastfeeding your baby?
20. How did your breastfeeding experience this time compare to after your standard C-section(s)?
21. What do you experience in bonding?
22. Do you feel you and your baby are bonding?
23. How does your baby demonstrate bonding?
24. How did your bonding experience this time compare to after your standard C-section(s)?
25. Is there anything else you would like to add that I didn't ask you about?