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PART 1: Review Comments

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
<u>Compulsory</u> REVISION comments		,
	The methodology section of the research needs detailed description so that anyone wishing to use the research can be guided	
	The results section may be a little confusing seeing that same data has been presented as narrative and then also presented as tables. The researcher could instead present the data in tables then briefly describe the main important findings that reflect the objectives.	
	Following the results, there is no discussion of results based on literature, no recommendations for further study and therefore the reader cannot make meaningful conclusions from the study. Therefore a discussion and recommendation section also needs to be included	
Minor REVISION comments		
	 The abstract should reflect the summary of the actual findings according to set objectives The objectives of the study may need revising. Suggestions have been made as follows: To describe the breastfeeding practices among mothers with Caesarean section delivery. To determine the quality of latching among post caesarian section mothers Identify factors influencing the breast feeding practices among post caesarian section mothers The dependent variable of good breastfeeding practices in not well defined. This is a good study that can be used by many nursing, midwifery, obstetric practitioners. However there are a lot of grammatical, typographical and other errors across the document including sentences that are too long, making understanding difficult. The paper needs comprehensive editing so that the reader gets a clear understanding of the research. The researcher could engage an editor with competency in English and research to look at the document 	
Optional/General comments		
	 The topic seems too long. It may be better phrased as 'BREASTFEEDING PRACTICES AMONG MOTHERS WITH CAESAREAN SECTION DELIVERY IN SELECTED MATERNITY HOSPITALS OF ANAND-KHEDA DISTRICT, GUJARAT." Most references are current except for two (2007 and 1996) which the author may consider removing. The research is very practical and related to midwifery practice and therefore applicable. If the methodology and results section are described clearly, this would make a good paper for publication. 	

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