

Table S1. Description of the study population (at baseline unless specified). Women who responded to the questionnaires at both 4 months (baseline) and 24 months postpartum (follow-up). Distribution by urinary continence status at 4 and 24 months postpartum.

		Overall N= 1354	Continence status during the follow-up			
			Group A persistent continence N= 932	Group B persistent incontinence N= 138	Group C de novo incontinence N= 135	Group D remission N= 149
Baseline characteristics		n (%), or mean (std)				
Maternal age		32.4 (4.7)	31.9 (4.6)	34.1 (4.6)	33.5 (4.6)	32.4 (5.1)
Body mass index	< 25 kg/m ²	791 (58.4)	571 (61.2)	72 (52.2)	69 (51.1)	79 (53.0)
	25-29 kg/m ²	289 (21.3)	180 (19.3)	33 (23.9)	35 (25.9)	41 (27.5)
	≥ 30 kg/m ²	151 (11.1)	91 (9.8)	21 (15.2)	20 (14.8)	19 (12.8)
Monthly household incomes	< 800 euros	137 (10.1)	102 (10.9)	11 (8.0)	6 (4.4)	18 (12.1)
	801-1500 euros	318 (23.5)	216 (23.2)	25 (18.1)	35 (25.9)	42 (28.2)
	1501-2300 euros	370 (27.3)	243 (26.1)	43 (31.2)	36 (26.7)	48 (32.2)
	3001-3800 euros	262 (19.4)	190 (20.4)	26 (18.8)	26 (19.2)	20 (13.4)
	3801-4500 euros	126 (9.3)	86 (9.2)	14 (10.1)	13 (9.6)	13 (8.7)
	≥ 4500 euros	107 (7.9)	77 (8.3)	13 (9.4)	12 (8.9)	5 (3.4)
Education level	No baccalaureate	305 (22.5)	221 (23.7)	27 (19.6)	17 (12.6)	40 (26.8)
	baccalaureat	241 (17.8)	160 (17.2)	24 (17.4)	26 (19.3)	31 (20.8)
	baccalaureat +2	306 (22.6)	207 (22.2)	29 (21.0)	28 (20.7)	42 (28.2)
	> 2 years post-secondary	481 (35.5)	331 (35.5)	55 (39.9)	61 (45.2)	34 (22.8)
Index childbirth	spontaneous vaginal	994 (73.4)	675 (72.4)	108 (78.2)	104 (77.0)	107 (71.8)
	instrumental	146 (10.8)	102 (10.9)	15 (10.9)	12 (8.9)	17 (11.4)
	caesarean	210 (15.5)	151 (16.2)	15 (10.9)	19 (14.1)	25 (16.8)
	episiotomy	422 (31.1)	293 (32.1)	39 (28.3)	47 (34.8)	43 (28.9)
	long second stage of labour	192 (14.2)	129 (14.2)	23 (16.7)	15 (11.1)	25 (16.8)
	severe sphincter injury	75 (5.5)	49 (5.4)	7 (5.1)	8 (5.9)	11 (7.4)
	birth weight (g)	3289 (505)	3261 (502)	3386 (464)	3384 (500)	3287 (543)
Duration of breast feeding	no	362 (26.7)	261 (28.0)	34 (24.6)	27 (20.0)	40 (26.9)
	< 3months	411 (30.4)	301 (32.3)	30 (21.7)	36 (26.7)	44 (29.5)
	+ 3 months	580 (42.8)	370 (39.7)	74 (53.6)	71 (52.6)	65 (43.6)
Postpartum pelvic floor muscle training during follow-up period		799 (59.0)	524 (57.0)	96 (69.6)	85 (63.0)	94 (63.1)
Parity	1	634 (46.8)	463 (49.7)	47 (34.1)	61 (45.2)	63 (42.3)
	2	487 (36.0)	338 (36.3)	49 (35.5)	45 (33.3)	55 (36.9)
	+3	231 (17.1)	130 (14.0)	41 (29.7)	29 (21.5)	31 (20.8)
Additional delivery during the follow-up		122 (9.0)	87 (9.8)	8 (5.8)	15 (11.1)	12 (8.1)
Pregnant at follow-up		129 (9.5)	73 (8.3)	23 (16.7)	26 (19.3)	7 (4.7)
Anal incontinence (4 months postpartum)		211 (15.6)	120 (13.1)	35 (25.4)	32 (23.7)	24 (16.1)
UI type (4 months postpartum)	urge UI	20 (7.0)		5 (3.6)		15 (10.1)
	mixed UI	142 (49.5)		76 (55.1)		66 (44.3)
	stress UI	112 (39.0)		55 (39.9)		57 (38.3)
UI type (24 months postpartum)	urge UI	16 (5.9)		5 (3.6)	11 (8.1)	
	mixed UI	153 (56.0)		87 (63.0)	66 (48.9)	
	stress UI	103 (37.7)		46 (33.3)	57 (42.2)	
UI severity (4 months postpartum)	mild	159 (55.4)		68 (49.3)		91 (61.1)
	moderate-very severe	121 (42.2)		69 (50.0)		52 (34.9)
UI severity (24 months postpartum)	mild	150 (54.9)		68 (49.3)	82 (60.7)	
	moderate-very severe	115 (42.1)		68 (49.3)	46 (34.1)	