

Year: Town, Country	Participants and setting	Recommended newborn foot length cut off for a reported screening outcome*
1979: Manchester, UK	123 babies born in hospital, measured between 12hrs- 5 days after birth	Foot length <7.2cm to identify babies born light for dates
1984:Udaipur, India	300 babies born in hospital, measured between 24-48 hrs of birth	Foot length <7.2cm to identify babies born birth weight <2500g
1988: Bombay, India	200 babies born in hospital, measured within 48 hrs of birth	Foot length <6.5cm to identify babies born <34 gestational weeks
1993: Pune, India	89 babies born at home, measured within 48 hrs of birth	Foot length <6.3cm to identify babies born <1500grams Foot length <7.5cm to identify babies born <2500 grams
2007: Sarlahi, Nepal	1640 babies born in an intervention project, measured within 72hrs	Foot length <6.9cm to identify babies born <2000grams
2009: Kaohsiung, Taiwan	256 hospital retrospective record review from routine birth data	Reports an association with birth weight but no foot length cut-off recommendation given

*multiple and different anthropometric outcomes were measured in each project but summarised here are those with relevance to this study