

2. Observation items and points

items	points
Positioning	Mother's posture, position and attitude of mother holding baby, state
	when baby attaches, appearance of infant's body attached to mother,
	method of supporting breast, etc.
Latch-on	Infant's head and latching on to breast when suckling, position of mouth
	and tongue when suckling, curling of tongue when suckling
	Rhythm of suckling, desire to breastfeed, signs of effective suckling,
	etc.
Breast and nipple	Painful nipple/breast, whether injury to areola/nipple, appearance of
	engorged breasts, whether breast blockage or rash, etc.
Mother's	Confirmation of feeding cues, practicing independent breastfeeding,
confidence and	desire to breastfeed, methods for continuing support
motivation	