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## List of Publications by Year in descending order

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#	ARTICLE	IF	CITATIONS
1	Conducting Online Surveys. <i>Journal of Human Lactation</i> , 2019, 35, 413-417.	0.8	225
2	Breastfeeding, Bed-Sharing, and Infant Sleep. <i>Birth</i> , 2003, 30, 181-188.	1.1	174
3	Motherâ€™infant cosleeping, breastfeeding and sudden infant death syndrome: What biological anthropology has discovered about normal infant sleep and pediatric sleep medicine. <i>American Journal of Physical Anthropology</i> , 2007, 134, 133-161.	2.1	163
4	The prevalence and characteristics associated with parent-infant bed-sharing in England. <i>Archives of Disease in Childhood</i> , 2004, 89, 1106-1110.	1.0	120
5	Reasons to bed-share: Why parents sleep with their infants. <i>Journal of Reproductive and Infant Psychology</i> , 2002, 20, 207-221.	0.9	106
6	Where Will the Baby Sleep? Attitudes and Practices of New and Experienced Parents Regarding Cosleeping with Their Newborn Infants. <i>American Anthropologist</i> , 1999, 101, 143-151.	0.7	88
7	Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS) risk reduction and infant sleep location â€™ Moving the discussion forward. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2013, 79, 84-91.	1.8	74
8	Randomised trial of infant sleep location on the postnatal ward. <i>Archives of Disease in Childhood</i> , 2006, 91, 1005-1010.	1.0	69
9	Bedâ€™sharing by breastfeeding mothers: who bedâ€™shares and what is the relationship with breastfeeding duration?. <i>Acta Paediatrica, International Journal of Paediatrics</i> , 2016, 105, 628-634.	0.7	61
10	Parent-infant bed-sharing behavior. <i>Human Nature</i> , 2006, 17, 301-318.	0.8	58
11	Maternal accounts of their breast-feeding intent and early challenges after caesarean childbirth. <i>Midwifery</i> , 2014, 30, 712-719.	1.0	54
12	Sleeping like a baby: Attitudes and experiences of bedsharing in Northeast England. <i>Medical Anthropology: Cross Cultural Studies in Health and Illness</i> , 2001, 19, 203-222.	0.6	45
13	Misrecognition of need: Women's experiences of and explanations for undergoing cesarean delivery. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2013, 85, 103-111.	1.8	40
14	Bedsharing and Breastfeeding: The Academy of Breastfeeding Medicine Protocol #6, Revision 2019. <i>Breastfeeding Medicine</i> , 2020, 15, 5-16.	0.8	40
15	Exploring Maternal Perceptions of Infant Sleep and Feeding Method Among Mothers in the United Kingdom: A Qualitative Focus Group Study. <i>Maternal and Child Health Journal</i> , 2016, 20, 33-40.	0.7	39
16	Nighttime parenting strategies and sleep-related risks to infants. <i>Social Science and Medicine</i> , 2013, 79, 92-100.	1.8	38
17	Exploring Socioeconomic Differences in Bedtime Behaviours and Sleep Duration in English Preschool Children. <i>Infant and Child Development</i> , 2014, 23, 518-531.	0.9	35
18	Infant care practices related to sudden infant death syndrome in South Asian and White British families in the UK. <i>Paediatric and Perinatal Epidemiology</i> , 2012, 26, 3-12.	0.8	34

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19	Toward an Integrated Anthropology of Infant Sleep. <i>American Anthropologist</i> , 2019, 121, 595-612.	0.7	34
20	An Integrated Analysis of Maternal-Infant Sleep, Breastfeeding, and Sudden Infant Death Syndrome Research Supporting a Balanced Discourse. <i>Journal of Human Lactation</i> , 2019, 35, 510-520.	0.8	34
21	Sleep Duration and Adiposity in Early Childhood: Evidence for Bidirectional Associations from the Born in Bradford Study. <i>Sleep</i> , 2017, 40, .	0.6	33
22	Reevaluating "Twin Infanticide". <i>Current Anthropology</i> , 1996, 37, 856-863.	0.8	32
23	Parent-infant co-sleeping: fathers' roles and perspectives. <i>Infant and Child Development</i> , 2000, 9, 67-74.	0.9	32
24	Reframing what we tell parents about normal infant sleep and how we support them. <i>Breastfeeding Review</i> , 2014, 22, 11-2.	0.7	32
25	Trade-offs underlying maternal breastfeeding decisions: a conceptual model. <i>Maternal and Child Nutrition</i> , 2013, 9, 90-98.	1.4	29
26	Bed-sharing practices of initially breastfed infants in the first 6 months of life. <i>Infant and Child Development</i> , 2007, 16, 387-401.	0.9	28
27	The relationship between early life modifiable risk factors for childhood obesity, ethnicity and body mass index at age 3 years: findings from the Born in Bradford birth cohort study. <i>BMC Obesity</i> , 2015, 2, 9.	3.1	28
28	The Possums Infant Sleep Program: parents' perspectives on a novel parent-infant sleep intervention in Australia. <i>Sleep Health</i> , 2018, 4, 519-526.	1.3	28
29	Postnatal Unit Bassinet Types When Rooming-In after Cesarean Birth. <i>Journal of Human Lactation</i> , 2012, 28, 495-505.	0.8	27
30	Discrepancies in maternal reports of infant sleep vs. actigraphy by mode of feeding. <i>Sleep Medicine</i> , 2018, 49, 90-98.	0.8	27
31	Randomised trial of sidecar crib use on breastfeeding duration (NECOT). <i>Archives of Disease in Childhood</i> , 2011, 96, 630-634.	1.0	26
32	Napping in English preschool children and the association with parents' attitudes. <i>Sleep Medicine</i> , 2013, 14, 352-358.	0.8	26
33	Association between Length of Exclusive Breastfeeding and Subsequent Breastfeeding Continuation. <i>Journal of Human Lactation</i> , 2013, 29, 579-585.	0.8	25
34	Infants bed-sharing with mothers. <i>Archives of Disease in Childhood</i> , 2004, 89, 1082-1083.	1.0	23
35	Bed- and Sofa-Sharing Practices in a UK Biethnic Population. <i>Pediatrics</i> , 2012, 129, e673-e681.	1.0	23
36	Babies in boxes and the missing links on safe sleep: Human evolution and cultural revolution. <i>Maternal and Child Nutrition</i> , 2018, 14, e12544.	1.4	21

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37	A qualitative study in parental perceptions and understanding of SIDS-reduction guidance in a UK bi-cultural urban community. <i>BMC Pediatrics</i> , 2016, 16, 23.	0.7	19
38	Development and evaluation of "Sleep, Baby & You" An approach to supporting parental well-being and responsive infant caregiving. <i>PLoS ONE</i> , 2020, 15, e0237240.	1.1	19
39	Biologically normal sleep in the mother-infant dyad. <i>American Journal of Human Biology</i> , 2021, 33, e23589.	0.8	19
40	Airway covering during bed-sharing. <i>Child: Care, Health and Development</i> , 2009, 35, 728-737.	0.8	18
41	Agreement between routine and research measurement of infant height and weight. <i>Archives of Disease in Childhood</i> , 2015, 100, 24-29.	1.0	18
42	The Atlantic Divide: Contrasting U.K. and U.S. Recommendations on Cosleeping and Bed-Sharing. <i>Journal of Human Lactation</i> , 2017, 33, 765-769.	0.8	17
43	Abnormal births and other "œill omens". <i>Human Nature</i> , 1996, 7, 381-401.	0.8	16
44	COULD PARENTAL RULES PLAY A ROLE IN THE ASSOCIATION BETWEEN SHORT SLEEP AND OBESITY IN YOUNG CHILDREN?. <i>Journal of Biosocial Science</i> , 2014, 46, 405-418.	0.5	16
45	Supporting parents who are worried about their newborn's sleep. <i>BMJ, The</i> , 2013, 346, f2344-f2344.	3.0	14
46	Infant sleep-related deaths: why do parents take risks?. <i>Archives of Disease in Childhood</i> , 2015, 100, 603-604.	1.0	14
47	Infant Sleep Development: Location, Feeding and Expectations in the Postnatal Period. <i>The Open Sleep Journal</i> , 2013, 6, 68-76.	0.4	14
48	Breastfeeding, Antidepressants, and Depression in the Mercy Pregnancy and Emotional Well-Being Study. <i>Journal of Human Lactation</i> , 2019, 35, 127-136.	0.8	13
49	Nighttime Nurturing: An Evolutionary Perspective on Breastfeeding and Sleep. , 2012, , 241-261.		13
50	Together or apart? A behavioural and physiological investigation of sleeping arrangements for twin babies. <i>Midwifery</i> , 2007, 23, 404-412.	1.0	10
51	Concerns about the promotion of a cardboard baby box as a place for infants to sleep. <i>BMJ: British Medical Journal</i> , 2018, 363, k4243.	2.4	10
52	The Anthropology of Pregnancy: Comparative Studies in Miscarriage, Stillbirth and Neonatal Death. <i>Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute</i> , 1999, 5, 305.	0.3	9
53	INSURANCE OVULATION, EMBRYO MORTALITY AND TWINNING. <i>Journal of Biosocial Science</i> , 1999, 31, 245-255.	0.5	8
54	Evolution-informed maternal-infant health. <i>Nature Ecology and Evolution</i> , 2017, 1, 73.	3.4	8

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55	Baby-box schemes in England: parent and practitioner experiences, and recommendations. <i>BMC Pediatrics</i> , 2020, 20, 154.	0.7	7
56	Triadic bed-sharing and infant temperature. <i>Child: Care, Health and Development</i> , 2002, 28, 55-58.	0.8	6
57	Lost in translation—the influence of language on infant sleep research. <i>Sleep Health</i> , 2022, 8, 96-100.	1.3	6
58	“New” practice of bedsharing and risk of SIDS. <i>Lancet, The</i> , 2004, 363, 1558.	6.3	5
59	Bi-ethnic infant thermal care beliefs in Bradford, UK. <i>International Journal of Human Rights in Healthcare</i> , 2016, 9, 120-134.	0.6	5
60	Practices, advice and support regarding prolonged breastfeeding: a descriptive study from Sri Lanka. <i>Journal of Reproductive and Infant Psychology</i> , 2008, 26, 229-243.	0.9	4
61	The Mother-Infant Sleep Nexus: Night-Time Experiences in Early Infancy and Later Outcomes. <i>Bioarchaeology and Social Theory</i> , 2020, , 157-171.	0.3	4
62	The Validity, Reliability, and Feasibility of Measurement Tools Used to Assess Sleep of Pre-school Aged Children: A Systematic Rapid Review. <i>Frontiers in Pediatrics</i> , 2021, 9, 770262.	0.9	4
63	Use of interactive telephone technology for longitudinal data collection in a large trial. <i>Contemporary Clinical Trials</i> , 2012, 33, 364-368.	0.8	3
64	Empowering families to make informed choices about sleep safety. <i>British Journal of Midwifery</i> , 2015, 23, 164-165.	0.1	3
65	Associations of diarised sleep onset time, period and duration with total and central adiposity in a biethnic sample of young children: the Born in Bradford observational cohort study. <i>BMJ Open</i> , 2021, 11, e044769.	0.8	3
66	Biocultural perspectives on infant sleep. , 2021, , 559-572.		3
67	A Box to Put the Baby in: UK Parent Perceptions of Two Baby Box Programmes Promoted for Infant Sleep. <i>International Journal of Environmental Research and Public Health</i> , 2021, 18, 11473.	1.2	3
68	Baby-Lag: Methods for Assessing Parental Tiredness and Fatigue. , 2016, , 29-46.		2
69	Maternal Depression and Early Parenting: A Comparison Between Culturally and Linguistically Diverse and Australian born Mothers. <i>Australasian Psychiatry</i> , 2022, , 103985622110528.	0.4	2
70	“Sleep and the family system” A preface. <i>Sleep Health</i> , 2022, 8, 28-30.	1.3	2
71	Daddy’s Girl? Anomalous Social Rank of a Female Rhesus Macaque ( <i>Macaca mulatta</i> ). <i>Folia Primatologica</i> , 1997, 68, 44-49.	0.3	1
72	Parental manipulation of postnatal survival and well-being: are parental sex preferences adaptive?. , 1999, , 18-36.		1

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73	Practicing Evolutionary Medicine in a Postnatal Ward: Ameliorating Iatrogenic Obstacles to Breastfeeding. <i>Anthropology News</i> , 2009, 50, 9-11.	0.1	1
74	SIDS and Infant Sleep Ecology. <i>Evolution, Medicine and Public Health</i> , 2014, 2014, 146-146.	1.1	1
75	The BMJ illustrates hazardous co-sleeping. <i>BMJ, The</i> , 2015, 350, h993-h993.	3.0	1
76	Parental knowledge of safe infant sleep and sudden infant death syndrome is inadequate in Croatia. <i>Acta Paediatrica, International Journal of Paediatrics</i> , 2020, 109, 1887-1888.	0.7	1
77	Surprised by Publication. <i>Pediatrics</i> , 2001, 108, 1239-1240.	1.0	1
78	Breastfeeding and infant sleep – what medical practitioners need to know. , 2019, , 31-40.		1
79	Bed-sharing and SIDS: an evidence-based approach. <i>Archives of Disease in Childhood</i> , 2023, 108, e6-e6.	1.0	1
80	Childbirth and Authoritative Knowledge: Cross-Cultural Perspectives. <i>Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute</i> , 1999, 5, 306.	0.3	0
81	Bonobo: The Forgotten Ape. <i>Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute</i> , 1999, 5, 110.	0.3	0
82	Response to “Breast-feeding intent and early challenges after caesarean childbirth”. <i>Midwifery</i> , 2014, 30, e167.	1.0	0
83	Early Childhood Pediatric Sleep Concerns for Parents: Co-sleeping. , 2017, , .		0
84	Effect of behavioural-educational intervention on sleep for primiparous women and their infants in early postpartum: multisite randomised controlled trial. <i>BMJ, The</i> , 0, , f3351.	3.0	0
85	Title is missing!. , 2020, 15, e0237240.		0
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