

Table 2 Causes of the deaths of the newborn infants stratified by gestational weeks.

Gestational weeks (Number of neonatal deaths)	22-27 (n=18)	28-31 (n=31)	32-36 (n=48)	>37 (n=79)	Total (n=176*)
HMD**	16(88.9)	20(64.5)	25(52.1)	1(1.2)	62(35.2)
Sepsis	0	7(22.6)	10(20.8)	17(21.5)	34(19.3)
Malformation	0	1(4.0)	6(12.5)	17(21.5)	24(13.6)
Asphyxia	0	1(4.0)	0	13(16.5)	14(8.0)
MAS***	0	0	0	18(22.8)	18(10.2)
Pneumonia	0	2(6.5)	3(6.3)	7(8.9)	12(6.8)
Others	2(11.1)	0	4(8.3)	6(7.6)	12(6.8)

Notes: Data are n (%) unless otherwise specified.

*Out of 253 neonatal deaths from January 2015 to June 2017, 77 cases were excluded in the analysis on death causes due to missing information on either birth weights or gestational ages. A total number of 176 cases were analyzed.

**HMD: Hyaline membrane disease.

***MAS: Meconium aspiration syndrome.