

Table 3 Clinical features of the gestational hypothyroidism group, pregnancy control group, and pre-pregnancy control group

	Abdominal distension (%)	Diarrhea (%)	Severe constipation (%)	No evident symptoms (%)	X ²	P
Gestational hypothyroidism group (n=200)						
SIBO- (n=76)	4 (5.3)	3 (3.9)	8 (10.5)	61 (80.3)	7.754	0.017
SIBO+ (n=124)	27 (21.8)	3 (2.4)	13 (10.5)	81 (65.3)		
Pregnancy control group (n=200)						
SIBO- (n=143)	7 (4.9)	2 (1.4)	22 (15.4)	112 (78.3)	22.997	<0.001
SIBO+ (n=57)	16 (28.1)	2 (3.5)	7 (12.3)	32 (56.1)		
Prepregnancy control group (n=200)						
SIBO- (n=159)	1 (0.6)	3 (1.9)	12 (7.5)	143 (89.9)	-	<0.001
SIBO+ (n=41)	9 (22.0)	0 (0.0)	2 (4.9)	30 (73.2)		