

Additional file 2. Quality assessment score of ethical and clinical guidelines regarding gamete and embryo donors

*	Name	Domains score in percent						Overall Quality
		1	2	3	4	5	6	
1	Guidelines for counselling in infertility [37]	61	56	12.5	36	21	75	3 poor
2	Psychological guidelines for embryo donation [38]	39	28	12.5	28	0	83	2 very poor
3	Assisted Human Reproduction Counselling Practice Guidelines [39]	42	50	0	31	0	92	2 very poor
4	Guidelines for the Donation of Gametes and Embryos, Surrogacy and Preimplantation Genetic Diagnosis [40]	72	67	37.5	75	19	96	3 poor
5	Guidelines for Third Party Reproduction [41] *	75	78	44	61	31	100	5 good
6	Interests, obligations, and rights in gamete and embryo donation: an Ethics Committee opinion [46]	75	75	46	75	23	100	3 poor
7	UK guidelines for the medical and laboratory procurement and use of sperm, oocyte and embryo donors [42]	75	75	46	75	23	100	3 poor
8	Repetitive oocyte donation: a committee opinion [47]	81	67	14	53	8	100	3 poor
9	Financial compensation of oocyte donors: an Ethics Committee opinion [48]	86	64	7	69	0	100	3 poor
10	Guidance regarding gamete and embryo donation [27]	86	72	53	78	56	100	6 very good
11	Code of practice (9 th edition) [31]	86	72	47	81	67	100	5 good
12	Code of practice for assisted reproductive technology units [44]	75	72	27	83	60	100	5 good
13	Good practice recommendations for information provision for those involved in reproductive donation [45]	100	92	62.5	89	69	100	6 very good
14	Ethical guidelines on the use of assisted reproductive technology [43]	81	72	33	78	31	100	5 good