

Supplementary Table. Various methods and specific equipment used for measuring sweat chloride level

Methods	Indigenous Method	Macroduct® sweat collection system (induction and collection)	1030 Nanoduct ® Neonatal Sweat Analysis System
Sweat induction	Image 3A 	Image 3D 	Image 3H 
Sweat collection	Image 3B 	Image 3E 	© ELITechGroup Inc (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Cbl-J52u6yc ; April 2020)
Analysis of sample	Image 3C 	Image 3F  926 Sherwood chloride analyser (Sherwood Scientific Ltd)	Image 3G  3120 Sweat-Chek™ Sweat Analyzer

Image 3A - Sweat stimulation, Image 3B- Sweat collection, Image 3C- Sweat Chloride measurement, Image 3D - Sweat induction, Image 3E - Sweat collection in Macroduct® sweat Collection System, Image 3F - 926 Sherwood chloride analyser, Image 3G - 3120 Sweat-Chek™ Sweat Analyzer, Image 3H - 1030 Nanoduct ® Neonatal Sweat Analysis System