| **Characteristic** | **N = 39***1* |
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| Parent’s age (years) |  |
| > 45 | 1 (2.6%) |
| 25–35 | 20 (51%) |
| 36–45 | 18 (46%) |
| Parent’s sex |  |
| Female | 24 (62%) |
| Male | 15 (38%) |
| Parent’s education level |  |
| Iliterate | 10 (26%) |
| Master's | 4 (10%) |
| Secondary | 20 (51%) |
| Undergraduate | 5 (13%) |
| Employment status |  |
| Employed | 8 (21%) |
| Not employed | 19 (49%) |
| Self employed | 12 (31%) |
| Family type |  |
| Extended family | 27 (69%) |
| Nuclear family | 10 (26%) |
| Single parent family | 2 (5.1%) |
| Your average household income per month (BDT) |  |
| High (greater than 50000 BDT) | 2 (5.1%) |
| Low (less than 30000 BDT) | 20 (51%) |
| Middle (less than 50000 BDT) | 17 (44%) |
| Child’s sex |  |
| Female | 26 (67%) |
| Male | 13 (33%) |
| Child’s age (years) |  |
| < 5 | 3 (7.7%) |
| > 10 | 16 (41%) |
| 5–9 | 20 (51%) |
| Number of children |  |
| >= 3 | 9 (23%) |
| 1 | 3 (7.7%) |
| 2 | 24 (62%) |
| 3 | 3 (7.7%) |
| Who is the leading child caregiver at home? |  |
| Grandmother | 2 (5.1%) |
| Mother | 36 (92%) |
| Others | 1 (2.6%) |
| Are grandparents at home involved in treatment decisions when your child is ill? |  |
| Always | 2 (5.1%) |
| Never | 21 (54%) |
| Often | 5 (13%) |
| Sometimes | 11 (28%) |
| *1*n (%) | |