Appendix 1 Demographic questions

Demographic questions:

Please complete the following questions according to your current status:

- 1. Age ____
- 2. Gender M/F
- 3. Religion
 - A. Jewish
 - B. Christian
 - C. Muslim
 - D. Other/Do not wish to answer.
- 4. Marital Status
 - A. Bachelor
 - B. Married
 - C. Divorcee
 - D. Widower
 - E. Other/Do not wish to answer.
- 5. Number of Children
- 6. Where did you attend medical school?
 - A. Israel
 - B. Europe
 - C. USA
 - D. Asia
 - E. Other
- 7. Place of pediatric training
 - A. list of different hospitals
 - B. Abroad
- 8. Medical status
 - A. Resident
 - B. Specialist
 - C. Fellowship
 - D. Specialist with sub-specialty
- 9. If resident, then:
 - What stage in residency?
 - A Before stage 1 exam
 - B. after stage 1 exam
 - C. after stage 2 exam
 - What year of residency
 - A. 1
 - B. 2
 - C. 3
 - D. 4
 - E. 5
- 10. Current place of work (you can choose more than one)
 - A. Hospital
 - B. Community based clinic
 - C. Private practice

- 11. If hospital, which department: (if resident Ped. Department is automatically chosen)
 - A. Intensive Care Unite
 - B. Emergency Department
 - C. Neonatology
 - D. Day hospitalization
 - E. Clinics
 - F. Pediatric department
- 12. Number of years as a pediatrician (including training) ____
- 13. In your estimation how many children with skin disorder have you encountered in the last year?
 - A. Under 10
 - B. 10-20
 - C. 20-40
 - D. Above 40
- 14. In your estimation how many children with Atopic Dermatitis have you encountered in the last year?
 - A. Under 10
 - B. 10-20
 - C. 20-40
 - D. Above 40

treatment due to its adverse effects

- 15. Have you had dermatology training as part of your medical school or internship? Yes/No
- 16. Have you had dermatology training during your residency? Yes/No

Please rate the following questions on a scale of 1-5 (1 represents strongly disagree to 5 represents strongly agree)

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	1-Strongly disagree	2-Disagree	3-Neutral	4-Agree	Strongly agree
I prescribe topical steroidal treatment as needed to a patient					
with Atopic Dermatitis even without a dermatologist consult					
2. I prescribe systemic steroidal					
treatment as needed to a patient with Atopic Dermatitis even without a					
dermatologist consult					
3. I avoid prescribing steroidal					