**Table 2. Maternal outcomes: Deflation vs Inflation**[*]

| | Deflated[†] (n=42) | Inflated[‡] (n=54) | Deflated vs Inflated (reference) Coef./RR, 95%CI | P value |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Weight gain**[§] | | | | |
| Mean (kg) (95% CI) | 15·4 (10·8-20·0) | 7·6 (3·7-11·5) | 5·86 (0·09-11·63) | 0·05 |
| **BMI change**[¶] | | | | |
| Mean (kg/m$^2$) (95% CI) | 5·6 (4·0-7·1) | 2·4 (1·1-3·7) | 2·56 (0·63-4·49) | 0·01 |
| **Gestational Hypertension**[‖] | | | | |
| n= (%) | 4 (10·5) | 0 (0·0) | 6·86 (0·83-inf)[#] | 0·08 |
| **Pre-eclampsia** | | | | |
| n= (%) | 2 (5·0) | 0 (0·0) | 3·32 (0·25-inf)[#] | 0·36 |
| **Gestational diabetes**[**] | | | | |
| n= (%) | 3 (7·7) | 4 (8·0) | 0·97 (0·23-3·99) | 0·96 |
| **Labour induced**[††] | | | | |
| n= (%) | 13 (31·0) | 23 (43·4) | 0·70 (0·41-1·22) | 0·21 |
| **Labour spontaneous**[††] | | | | |
| n= (%) | 19 (45·2) | 23 (43·4) | 1·06 (0·67-1·68) | 0·81 |
| **Caesarean section**[††] | | | | |
| n= (%) | 21 (50·0) | 23 (43·4) | 1·15 (0·76-1·75) | 0·51 |
| **Elective CS**[††] | | | | |
| n= (%) | 10 (23·8) | 8 (15·1) | 1·67 (0·80-3·51) | 0·17 |
| **Emergency CS**[††] | | | | |
| n= (%) | 11 (26·19) | 15 (28·3) | 0·96 (0·50-1·85) | 0·91 |
| **Anaemia**[††] | | | | |
| n= (%) | 7 (17·1) | 9 (16·7) | 1·07 (0·41-2·83) | 0·89 |
| **Maternal thromboembolic disease** | | | | |
| n= (%) | 0 (0·0) | 2 (3·7) | 0·54 (0·00-7·01)[#] | 0·64 |

[*]Proportions and means derived after excluding missing data. [†]Pregnant women who underwent band deflation pre-pregnancy or during pregnancy. [‡]Pregnant women who had band inflation maintained throughout pregnancy. [§]Weight gain between first and third trimester. Linear regressions. Adjusted for time of first trimester assessment and number of days between first and third trimester assessments + age, parity, smoking status, and BMI at first trimester visit. [¶]BMI change between first and third trimester. [‖]Patients with pre-existing hypertension excluded. [#]Unadjusted exact logistic regression conducted due to the absence of cases in one group. [**]Patients with pre-pregnancy diabetes excluded. [††]Modified Poisson regressions. Adjusted for age, parity, smoking status, and BMI at first trimester visit.