Additional file 1.Major sources of information regarding Thalassemia

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| **Source**  | **n**  | **%**  |
| Curricula  | 345  | 66.2%  |
| Relative  | 29  | 5.6%  |
| Friends  | 24  | 4.6%  |
| Internet  | 16  | 3.1%  |
| Facebook  | 3  | 0.6%  |
| TV  | 10  | 1.9%  |
| Doctor  | 9  | 1.7%  |
| Newspaper  | 2  | 0.4%  |
| Radio  | 1  | 0.2%  |
| Unknown  | 65  | 12.5%  |