

Table 6. Mean developmental outcome scores for children younger than two in 1986, by planning status, 1986 and 1988 assessments

Outcome	N	Planning status		
		Wanted	Mistimed	Unwanted
1986				
Motor and social development	1,241	101.9	102.3	103.0
Knowledge of body parts	719	6.4	6.3	6.1
Memory for location	646	99.8	100.2	101.7
Fearfulness*‡	718	26.5	30.3	34.3
Positive affect*	718	73.1	70.0	70.0
1988				
Verbal memory	950	97.9	98.9	99.8
PPVT-R*†‡	930	94.7	90.8	82.6
Compliance	1,000	74.1	73.2	72.2
Attachment	1,000	68.0	67.2	67.9
Behavioral Problems Index	527	105.0	105.2	107.4

*Multiple range test of difference between wanted and mistimed children is significant at $p < .05$.

†Multiple range test of difference between mistimed and unwanted children is significant at $p < .05$. ‡Multiple range test of difference between wanted and unwanted children is significant at $p < .05$.

Note: Fearfulness, positive affect, compliance and attachment scores are percentiles; knowledge of body parts is a raw score on a scale of 0–10; all other scores are standard scores with means of 100 and standard deviations of 16.