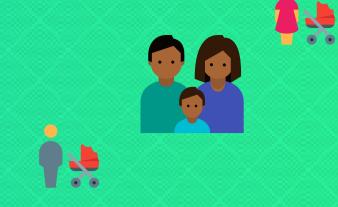
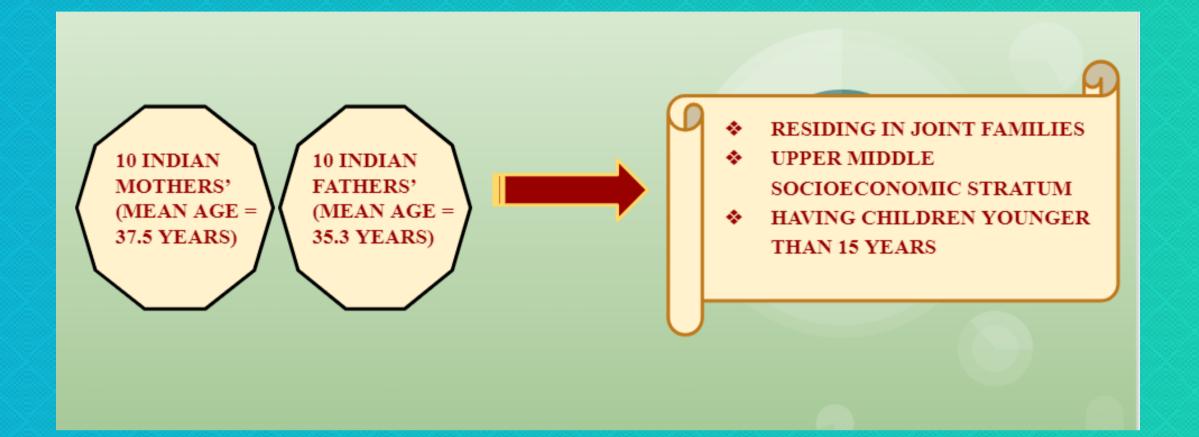
Parent-child interactions during the Covid-19 Pandemic: The views of Indian mothers and fathers



This qualitative investigation aimed to explore the impact of the pandemic on mothers and fathers' involvement in the children's lives, their parenting styles and the coping mechanisms adopted by them to adjust to the challenges they faced



METHOD





Convenience and snowball sampling techniques

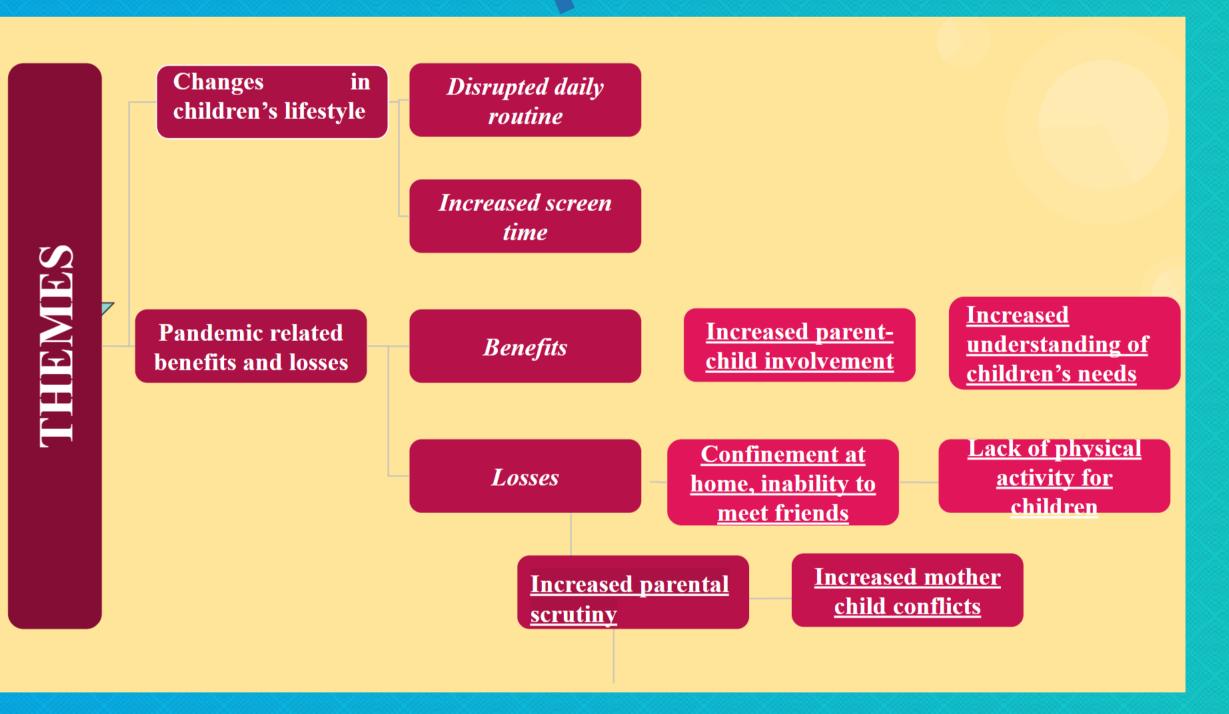


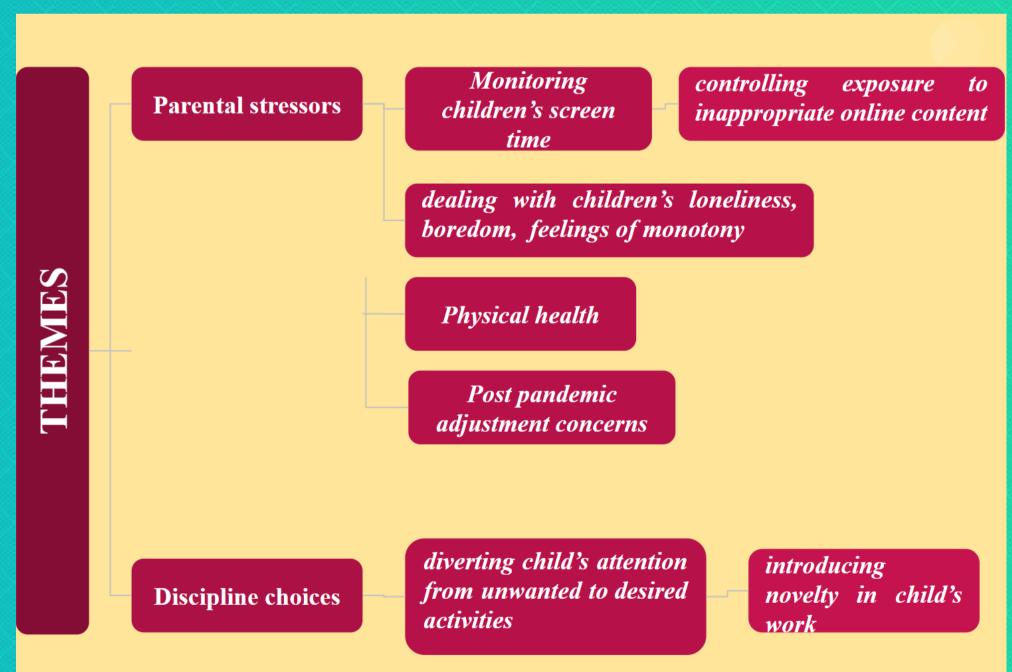
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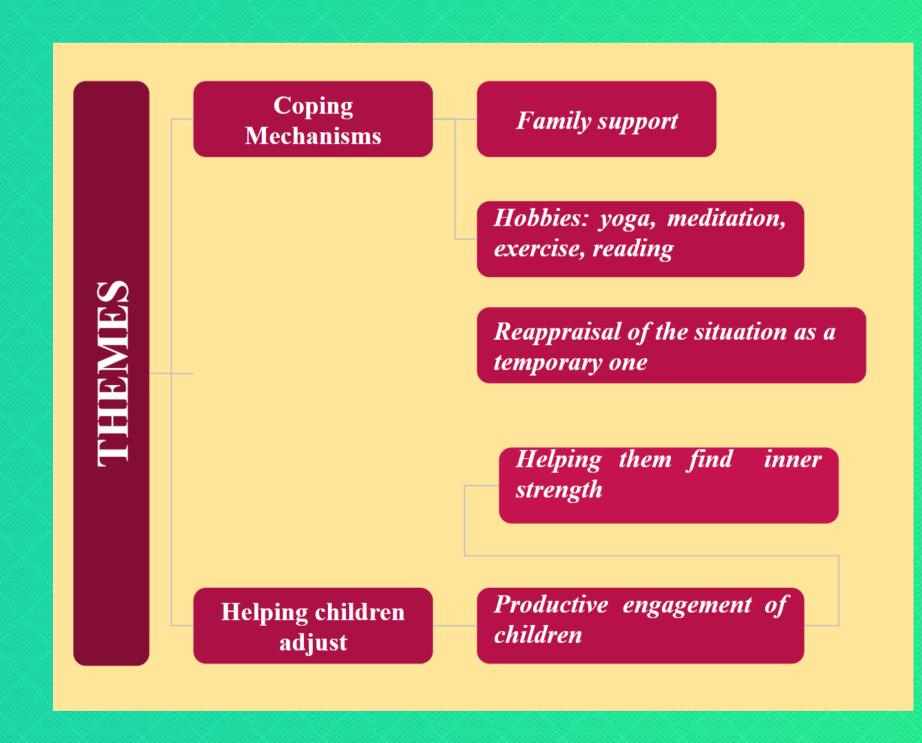


Thematic analysis (Clarke & Braun, 2006)

FINDINGS







LIMITATIONS

- <u>Limited sample generalizability</u>
- Telephonic interviews compromised nonverbal data
- Scope of researcher's bias

FUTURE DIRECTIONS

Sample diversification - inclusion of single parents, queer couples, disabled parents



Longitudinal studies to capture long term impacts

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