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I have just been reading the submissions posted on your web site.

Could you please add this as an addendum to my previous two (2) submissions.

It occurs to me that it would be useful to get Australian Bureau of Statistics to survey some medical practitioners, politicians and prominent sports teams (cricket, AFL, soccer) to ascertain their personal experiences with breastfeeding – as infants and as professionals, to determine the value they believe is in the practice of human milk ingestion and or breastfeeding.

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This could be why we had the edge on the England cricket team, and why the New Zealand team caught up with us – if the effect on gross motor development is as the evidence suggests.

Just a thought.

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