

**Supplementary Table 2:** Schoenfeld residual test result for Cox proportional hazard assumption for Time, causes of early neonatal death among neonates admitted to NICU Bahir Dar City public hospitals, Northwest, Ethiopia 2023.

| Variable                | Rho      | Chi2 | Df | Prob>Chi2            |
|-------------------------|----------|------|----|----------------------|
| Residence               | -0.01547 | 0.01 | 1  | 0.9103               |
| Gravidity               | 0.30976  | 3.83 | 1  | 0.0504               |
| History of preterm      | 0.01789  | 0.01 | 1  | 0.9036               |
| Weight at admission     | -0.07732 | 0.30 | 1  | 0.5840               |
| ANC                     | -0.11692 | 0.57 | 1  | 0.4522               |
| PNC                     | -0.05381 | 0.17 | 1  | 0.6819               |
| Type of pregnancy       | 0.00385  | 0.00 | 1  | 0.9797               |
| Complication of labor   | 0.12654  | 0.72 | 1  | 0.3962               |
| Size of gestational age | -0.13557 | 1.26 | 1  | 0.2623               |
| APGAR score             | -0.10112 | 0.73 | 1  | 0.3935               |
| Hypothermia             | 0.04388  | 0.06 | 1  | 0.8083               |
| RDS                     | 0.11808  | 0.49 | 1  | 0.4858               |
| Asphyxia                | 0.01363  | 0.01 | 1  | 0.9040               |
| EBF                     | -0.05631 | 0.14 | 1  | 0.7131               |
| sex                     | -0.14356 | 0.91 | 1  | 0.3402               |
| Occupation              | 0.05052  | 0.12 | 1  | 0.7274               |
| Education               | 0.18256  | 1.62 | 1  | 0.2035               |
| Place of delivery       | 0.00986  | 0.00 | 1  | 0.9492               |
| <b>Global test</b>      | 15.37    | 18   |    | <b><u>0.6366</u></b> |

\*Rho is the correlation coefficient between residual and time