

**Table S5.** Single and multiple enteric protist infections/colonisations detected in faecal samples from zookeepers in the present study.

<b>Protist species combination</b>	<b>Faecal samples (<i>n</i>)</b>	<b>Relative frequency (%)</b>
<i>Blastocystis</i> sp. only	17	80.9
<i>Cryptosporidium</i> spp. only	1	4.8
<i>E. dispar</i> only	1	4.8
<i>G. duodenalis</i> only	1	4.8
<i>Blastocystis</i> sp. + <i>Cryptosporidium</i> spp.	1	4.8
Total	21	100