Descriptives

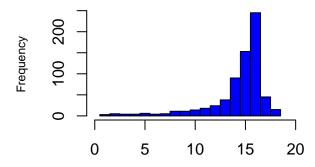
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There were 9947 observations for 695 unique subjects. The number of observations for each subject ranged from 1 to 18 with an average of 14.31 observations (Fig 1). Charachteristics for study participants are given in Table 1. To confirm random assignment, categorical variables were tested using χ^2 and continuous variables were tested using ANOVA. p-values are shown in Table 1.

Table 1: Characteristics of Study Participants by Treamtment Group

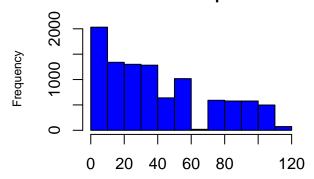
	bud (n=210)	ned (n=210)	pbud (n=134)	pned (n=141)	
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	N(%)	N(%)	N(%)	N(%)	
Gender					0.03
Male	126(60)	140(67)	70(52)	76(54)	
Ethnicity					0.88
Black	27(13)	20(10)	21(10)	142(68)	
Hispanic	27(13)	23(11)	17(8)	143(68)	
Other	16(12)	9(7)	13(10)	96(72)	
Non-Hispanic White	19(13)	16(11)	8(6)	98(70)	
	Mean(SD)	Mean(SD)	Mean(SD)	Mean(SD)	
Age at Enrollment	8.5(8.5)	$8.3(\hat{8.3})$	8.3(8.3)	8.4(8.4)	0.72

Frequency of Observations per Subject



Number of Observations per Subject

Number of Ids with observations at each time period



Months from Initial Measurement