Sensitivity analyses

SAMPLE comparison at BL and 12M

The table below stratifies the data in the analyses by cases who have 1) baseline assessment only, 2) 12-month assessment only, and 3) both. The main outcomes of interest and demographic factors are considered and compared. No significant differences are observed. NOTE: Individuals deceased at baseline were not included in the analyses.

| ## | | Strati | fied by | missing | ŗ | | | |
|----|---------------------------------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|-------|---------|-------|
| ## | | 12M | | BL | | both | | p |
| ## | n | 63 | | 164 | | 405 | | |
| ## | gender = MALE (%) | 37 | (58.7) | 100 | (61.0) | 238 | (58.8) | 0.884 |
| ## | age_y (mean (SD)) | 55.06 | (18.60) | 51.58 | (19.64) | 52.69 | (18.66) | 0.461 |
| ## | <pre>bl_tumour_type (%)</pre> | | | | | | | 0.837 |
| ## | 1 | 42 | (66.7) | 113 | (69.8) | 283 | (69.9) | |
| ## | 1;2 | 0 | (0.0) | 0 | (0.0) | 2 | (0.5) | |
| ## | 2 | 21 | (33.3) | 49 | (30.2) | 120 | (29.6) | |
| ## | <pre>tumor_location = upper (%)</pre> | 0 | (NaN) | 41 | (28.5) | 103 | (27.6) | NaN |
| ## | <pre>tumor_grade (%)</pre> | | | | | | | 0.809 |
| ## | 0 | 7 | (15.2) | 15 | (12.6) | 35 | (10.9) | |
| ## | 1 | 14 | (30.4) | 26 | (21.8) | 76 | (23.6) | |
| ## | 2 | 12 | (26.1) | 33 | (27.7) | 107 | (33.2) | |
| ## | 3 | 13 | (28.3) | 44 | (37.0) | 102 | (31.7) | |
| ## | 4 | 0 | (0.0) | 1 | (0.8) | 2 | (0.6) | |
| ## | marital (%) | | | | | | | 0.261 |
| ## | Married/Cohabiting | 7 | (70.0) | 87 | (56.5) | 254 | (64.5) | |
| ## | Separated/Divorced | 2 | (20.0) | 16 | (10.4) | 27 | (6.9) | |
| ## | Single | 1 | (10.0) | 39 | (25.3) | 93 | (23.6) | |
| ## | Widowed | 0 | (0.0) | 12 | (7.8) | 20 | (5.1) | |
| ## | education (%) | | | | | | | 0.345 |
| ## | Grad school | 0 | (0.0) | 17 | (10.8) | 45 | (11.3) | |
| ## | No education | 0 | (0.0) | 2 | (1.3) | 2 | (0.5) | |
| ## | Other | 0 | (0.0) | 1 | (0.6) | 5 | (1.3) | |
| ## | Primary | 0 | (0.0) | 9 | (5.7) | 10 | (2.5) | |
| ## | Secondary | 7 | (70.0) | 102 | (64.6) | 233 | (58.5) | |
| ## | University | 3 | (30.0) | 27 | (17.1) | 103 | (25.9) | |
| ## | ethnicity (%) | | | | | | | 0.426 |
| ## | Asian | 1 | (11.1) | 9 | (6.1) | 20 | (5.8) | |
| ## | Black/Carribbean/Africa | n 0 | (0.0) | 6 | (4.1) | 9 | (2.6) | |
| ## | Caucasian/White | 6 | (66.7) | 111 | (75.5) | | (80.8) | |
| ## | Hispanic | 0 | (0.0) | 0 | (0.0) | 4 | (1.2) | |
| ## | Native | 0 | (0.0) | 0 | (0.0) | 4 | (1.2) | |
| ## | Other/Multiple | 2 | (22.2) | 21 | (14.3) | 29 | (8.5) | |
| ## | bl_tess (mean (SD)) | NaN | (NA) | 73.16 | (20.61) | 76.19 | (19.05) | 0.114 |
| ## | <pre>bl_facit_score (mean (SD))</pre> | NaN | (NA) | 38.22 | (11.16) | 40.45 | (9.92) | 0.027 |
| ## | <pre>bl_qol_7 (mean (SD))</pre> | NaN | (NA) | 72.21 | (20.03) | 74.16 | (17.96) | 0.280 |

```
m12_tess (mean (SD))
##
                                  78.83 (16.20)
                                                   NaN (NA)
                                                                80.76 (13.03) 0.320
##
     m12_facit_score (mean (SD)) 42.89 (10.35)
                                                   NaN (NA)
                                                                41.87 (10.52)
                                                                                0.500
     m12_qol_7 (mean (SD))
                                  83.91 (10.99) 0.00 (NA)
##
                                                                81.70 (14.64)
##
                                 Stratified by missing
##
                                   test
##
     gender = MALE (%)
##
     age_y (mean (SD))
##
##
     bl_tumour_type (%)
##
        1
##
        1;2
##
     tumor_location = upper (%)
##
     tumor_grade (%)
##
##
##
        1
##
        2
        3
##
##
        4
     marital (%)
##
##
        Married/Cohabiting
##
        Separated/Divorced
        Single
##
##
        Widowed
##
     education (%)
##
        Grad school
##
        No education
##
        Other
##
        Primary
        Secondary
##
##
        University
##
     ethnicity (%)
##
        Asian
        Black/Carribbean/African
##
##
        Caucasian/White
##
        Hispanic
##
        Native
##
        Other/Multiple
##
     bl_tess (mean (SD))
     bl_facit_score (mean (SD))
##
##
     bl_qol_7 (mean (SD))
     m12_tess (mean (SD))
##
##
     m12_facit_score (mean (SD))
##
     m12_qol_7 (mean (SD))
```

Chronbach Alpha

Cronbach α was calculated for baseline FACIT and TESS.

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FACIT \alpha=0.82 TESS Upper extremity \alpha=0.98 TESS Lower extremity \alpha=0.98
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```
library(psych)

data_facit_a <- data %>%
    dplyr::select(bl_facit_1:bl_facit_16)

psych::alpha(data_facit_a)

data_tess_ue_a <- data %>%
    dplyr::select(bl_ue_ue_tess_1:bl_ue_ue_tess_29) %>%
    mutate(across(where(is.character), ~na_if(., "N/A"))) %>%
    mutate_if(is.character,as.numeric)

psych::alpha(data_tess_ue_a)

data_tess_le_a <- data %>%
    dplyr::select(bl_le_le_tess_1:bl_le_le_tess_30) %>%
    mutate(across(where(is.character), ~na_if(., "N/A"))) %>%
    mutate(across(where(is.character), ~na_if(., "N/A"))) %>%
    mutate_if(is.character,as.numeric)

psych::alpha(data_tess_le_a)
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