## **Descriptive Statistics stratified by Treatment using Macro ggBaseline**

Variables	Total (N=312)	D-penicillamine (N=158)	Placebo (N=154)	P Value
'age in years'				0.0177
Mean±SD	50.0±10.6	51.4±11.0	48.6±10.0	
Min-Max	26.3-78.4	26.3-78.4	30.6-74.5	
Median (IQR)	49.8 (42.1-56.7)	51.9 (43.0-59.0)	48.1 (41.4-55.8)	
'serum bilirubin in mg/dl'				0.1329
Mean±SD	3.3±4.5	2.9±3.6	3.6±5.3	
Min-Max	0.3-28.0	0.3-20.0	0.3-28.0	
Median (IQR)	1.4 (0.8-3.5)	1.4 (0.8-3.2)	1.3 (0.7-3.6)	
'serum cholesterol in mg/dl'				0.7474
Nmiss (%)	28 (9.0)	18 (11.4)	10 (6.5)	
Mean±SD	369.5±231.9	365.0±209.5	373.9±252.5	
Min-Max	120.0-1775.0	127.0-1712.0	120.0-1775.0	
Median (IQR)	309.5 (249.0-400.0)	315.5 (247.5-418.0)	303.5 (253.5-379.0)	
'sex'				0.3263
female	276 (88.5)	137 (86.7)	139 (90.3)	
male	36 (11.5)	21 (13.3)	15 (9.7)	
'presence of edema'				0.8768
edema despite diuretic therapy	20 (6.4)	10 (6.3)	10 (6.5)	
edema present without diuretics, or edema resolved by diuretics	29 (9.3)	16 (10.1)	13 (8.4)	
no edema and no diuretic therapy for edema	263 (84.3)	132 (83.5)	131 (85.1)	
'presence of ascites'				0.2297
Missing	28 (9.0)	18 (11.4)	10 (6.5)	
no	263 (92.6)	127 (90.7)	136 (94.4)	
yes	21 (7.4)	13 (9.3)	8 (5.6)	