

Table 1. General characteristics of the subjects

(N=60)

Variables	Categories	N(%)	M ± SD
Sex	Male Female	49(81.7) 11(18.3)	
Age(years)	30-39 40-49 50-59 ≥60	5(8.3) 18(30.0) 22(36.7) 15(25.0)	
			53.22 ± 9.49
Marital status	Married Others	50(83.3) 10(16.7)	
Education	Elementary school Middle school High school College	8(13.3) 16(26.7) 28(46.7) 8(13.3)	
Religion	None Christianity Buddhism Others	28(46.7) 15(25.0) 13(21.7) 4(6.7)	
Occupation	Employed Unemployed	30(50.0) 30(50.0)	
Income (Ten thousand won/month)	<100 100-<200 ≥200	13(21.7) 20(33.3) 27(45.0)	
Frequency of admission			3.57 ± 2.94
Duration after diagnosis(year)			3.70 ± 4.16
Child-Pugh score	A (5-6) B (7-9) C (≥ 10)	25(41.7) 21(35.0) 14(23.3)	
Smoking	Yes Stopped No	35(58.3) 13(21.7) 12(20.0)	
Alcohol consumption & cigarette smoking	Alcohol consumption and cigarette smoking Alcohol consumption or cigarette smoking No alcohol consumption and cigarette smoking	34(56.7) 21(35.0) 5(8.3)	

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