

Impact of Supporting People with Advanced Parkinson's Disease on Carer's Quality of Life and Burden [Corrigendum]

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The authors have advised that there is an error with the PD characteristics in Table 1 on page 2902. The correct table is shown below.

Table 1 Demographic Characteristics of the Patients and Caregivers and PD Clinical Characteristics

	LCIG (n=53)	CSAI (n=19)	CU (n=54)	P value*,**
Patients Demographics				
Age (years); mean ± SD (range)	70.26 ± 7.1 (53-84)	66.0 ± 6.6 (54-77)	69.57 ± 9.1 (42-88)	
Male; n (%)	25 (47%)	10 (53%)	29 (54%)	
PD Characteristics				
UPDRS-IV Item 39, N (%)				
Not present	6 (11%)	1 (5%)	0	*0.037, **<0.001
1-25%	37 (70%)	8 (42%)	9 (17%)	
26-50%	9 (17%)	8 (42%)	36 (67%)	
51-75%	1 (2%)	2 (11%)	8 (15%)	
76-100%	0	0	1 (2%)	
PD duration (years), mean ± SD, (range)	16.38 ± 5.8 (7-33)	13.58 ± 4.1 (8-21)	12.83 ± 5.1 (4-35)	*0.085, ** 0.0003
Duration of motor fluctuations (years), mean ± SD, (range)	8.36 ± 4.8 (1-26)	5.47 ± 3.5 (2-14)	5.22 ± 4.1 (1-25)	*0.0099, **<0.0001
Caregivers Characteristics				
Age (years); mean ± SD (range)	59.19 ± 13.2 (36-84)	60.26 ± 12.9 (29-78)	55.89 ± 12.6 (29-85)	
Female; n (%)	30 (56%)	15 (79%)	43 (80%)	
Daily duration of supporting assistance				
Day and night (24 hours)	N=53 26 (49%)	N=19 12 (63%)	N=52 29 (56%)	*0.1783, **0.2013
During daytime	8 (15%)	4 (21%)	9 (17%)	*0.2762, **0.6155
From 3 to 6 hours per day	19 (36%)	3 (16%)	14 (27%)	*0.3075, ** 0.0003
Caregiver burden				
ZBI score (mean ± SD)	29.6 ± 14.42	35.8 ± 20.15	31.4 ± 16.0	*0.328, **0.535

Notes: *LCIG vs. CSAI; **LCIG vs. CU; Two-Sample T-test and Wilcoxon Two Sample Test for PD characteristic analysis; Chi Square Test or Fisher Test for daily time spent for the assistance; *LCIG vs. CSAI; **LCIG vs. CU; Bold indicates statistical significance.

Abbreviations: LCIG, levodopa/carbidopa intestinal gel; CSAI, subcutaneous apomorphine infusion; CU, care as usual; SD, standard deviation; N/A, not available; ZBI, Zarit Burden Interview.

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