

S2 Table. Characteristics of patients with stage III NSCLC

Characteristic	Age \geq 80 yr	Age < 80 yr	p-value
No. of patients	126	1,064	
Male	100 (78.7)	889 (83.6)	0.172
Ever-smoker	89 (70.6)	831 (78.9)	0.034
BMI	22.05 \pm 3.39	22.97 \pm 3.41	0.006
Histopathology			
Squamous cell carcinoma	68 (53.5)	577 (54.2)	0.883
Adenocarcinoma	42 (33.1)	399 (37.5)	0.329
Large cell carcinoma	1 (0.8)	6 (0.6)	0.755
NSCLC NOS	6 (4.7)	57 (5.4)	0.763
Performance status			
0, 1	52 (68.4)	737 (90.0)	< 0.001
2, 3, 4	24 (31.6)	82 (10.0)	< 0.001
Pulmonary function			
FEV ₁ % predicted	78.74 \pm 26.96	73.92 \pm 22.11	0.057
FVC % predicted	74.14 \pm 20.77	79.08 \pm 20.13	0.029
Initial treatment of NSCLC			
Surgery	9 (7.1)	184 (17.3)	0.003
Surgery only	7 (5.5)	111 (10.4)	0.079
Surgery and adjuvant therapy	2 (1.6)	73 (6.9)	0.020
Chemotherapy	15 (11.8)	245 (23.0)	0.004
RT only	30 (23.6)	70 (6.6)	< 0.001
CCRT	8 (6.3)	310 (29.1)	< 0.001
Best supportive care	55 (43.3)	203 (19.1)	< 0.001

Values are presented as number (%) or mean \pm SD. BMI, body mass index; CCRT, concurrent chemo-radiation therapy; FEV1, forced expiratory volume in 1 second; FVC, forced vital capacity; NOS, not otherwise specified; NSCLC, non-small cell lung cancer; RT, radiation therapy; SD, standard deviation.