

TABLE E-1 Demographic Characteristics

	Group I (Started Bisphosphonates at 2 Weeks) (N = 24)	Group II (Started Bisphosphonates at 3 Months) (N = 26)	P Value
Age* (yr)	67 ± 8 (range, 53-79)	66 ± 9 (range, 52-82)	0.982
Body mass index* (kg/m ²)	24.7 ± 3.5	24.9 ± 3.7	0.863
Bone mineral density* (g/cm ²)			
Femoral neck	0.593 ± 0.04	0.588 ± 0.04	0.695
Lumbar spine (L1-L4)	0.836 ± 0.15	0.831 ± 0.14	0.910
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Femoral neck	-3.00 ± 0.37	-3.04 ± 0.35	0.695
Lumbar spine (L1-L4)	-2.96 ± 1.26	-3.00 ± 1.20	0.910
AO fracture classification†			0.974
A2	5 (21%)	6 (23%)	
A3	5 (21%)	5 (19%)	
C1	5 (21%)	5 (19%)	
C2	6 (25%)	8 (31%)	
C3	3 (13%)	2 (8%)	
Ulnar styloid fracture†	10 (42%)	13 (50%)	0.776

*The values are given as the mean and standard deviation. †The values are given as the number of patients with the percentage in parenthesis.