

TABLE E-1 Frequency of Descriptive Data for Readmission Events (N = 138)

Descriptor	Frequency	Percent
History of chronic pain		
No	75	54.35
Yes	63	45.65
Medical consult		
No	91	65.94
Planned	34	24.64
Unplanned	13	9.42
Discharged on DVT prophylaxis*		
Yes	58	42.03
No	80	57.97
Type of referral		
Elective	118	85.51
Urgent, on-call	20	14.49
Orthopaedic service group		
Hand	1	0.72
Hip or knee	41	29.71
Sarcoma	46	33.33
Shoulder	10	7.25
Spine	34	24.64
Sports	4	2.90
Trauma	2	1.45
Body mass index group		
Underweight (<18.5)	3	2.17
Normal (18.5 to <25)	32	23.19
Overweight (25 to <30)	46	33.3
Obese (30 to <35)	31	22.46
Morbidly obese (≥35)	26	18.84

*DVT = deep-vein thrombosis. These data are descriptive percentages only, and were not correlated to a non-readmitted control group for comparison purposes. They are provided for completeness.