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Characteristics	Group I (N = 35)	Group II (N = 35)	Group III (N = 35)	P Value
Age* (yr)	59.9 ± 10.4	$58.7 \pm 8.2$	$61.2 \pm 8.2$	0.49
Height* (cm)	$169.5 \pm 10.8$	$169.3 \pm 10.1$	$167.1 \pm 9.8$	0.56
Weight* (kg)	$87.4 \pm 20.8$	$81.5 \pm 16.1$	$82.1 \pm 18.8$	0.36
Body mass index* (kg/cm²)	$30.2 \pm 5.5$	$28.3 \pm 3.9$	$29.3 \pm 6.3$	0.33
Sex†				0.96
Male	17 (49%)	17 (49%)	16 (46%)	
Female	18 (51%)	18 (51%)	19 (54%)	

<sup>\*</sup>The values are given as the mean and the standard deviation. †The values are given as the number of patients with the percentage in parentheses.