

Supplementary table 1. Univariate analysis of predictors of complications

Variable	Univariate analysis		
	Case No.	Hazard ratio (95% CI)	<i>p</i> value
Cirrhosis status (Decompensated/Compensated)	52/23	1.75 (0.55-5.51)	0.340
MELD ($>15/\leq 15$)	29/31	1.11 (0.39-3.18)	0.844
Age ($>60/\leq 60$ y/o)	38/37	1.62 (0.59-4.43)	0.349
Sex (male/female)	49/26	0.68 (0.24-1.91)	0.465
HCC (yes/no)	27/48	0.57 (0.19-1.70)	0.313

MELD= Model for end-stage liver disease; HCC= Hepatocellular carcinoma.