**Supplemental Table 4: Mean change in hemoglobin during PICU depending on anemia status during PICU hospitalization**

| Anemia status during PICU | N | Mean Hb (g/L) | 95%CI | p |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| New anemia at discharge | 57 | -19.2 | [-22.3, -16.2] | *p<.001* |
| No change in anemia during PICU stay | 239 | -5.7 | [-7.5, -3.8] |
| Anemia at admission only | 19 | 18.5 | [13.3, 23.8] |

*Hb; hemoglobin, 95%CI confidence interval*