

### Appendix.3 Patient demographics

	<b>Operative (n = 167)</b>	<b>Nonoperative (n = 161)</b>	<b>P value</b>	<b>SMD</b>
<b>Age (mean (SD))</b>	56.01 (16.97)	58.93 (18.39)	0.136	0.165
<b>Sex = Female (%)</b>	93 (55.7)	79 (49.1)	0.276	0.133
<b>High vs low = low_grade (%)</b>	0 (0.0)	119 (73.9)	<0.001	2.38
<b>Operation = Nonoperative (%)</b>	0 (0.0)	161 (100.0)	<0.001	NaN
<b>BMI (mean (SD))</b>	21.80 (2.95)	22.25 (4.10)	0.283	0.127
<b>Previous operation history (%)</b>			<0.001	0.943
<b>Gynecologic operation</b>	31 (18.6)	28 (17.4)		
<b>Hepato-biliary operation</b>	4 (2.4)	7 (4.3)		
<b>Lower GI operation</b>	57 (34.1)	35 (21.7)		
<b>No operation</b>	18 (10.8)	73 (45.3)		
<b>Small bowel surgery or hernia</b>	25 (15.0)	9 (5.6)		
<b>Upper GI operation</b>	32 (19.2)	9 (5.6)		