

Supplementary Table H: JSSc vascular specific organ involvement questions

Question	Answer	N (%)
<p>36. For vascular disease, please chose the reasons that you would consider referral for ASCT. The vascular reasons could indicate severe disease, progressive disease, and/or severe quality of life impairment. (Check all that apply) (N=18)</p>	- Recurrent digital ulcers (DU)	6 (33%)
	- Gangrene/ autoamputation	15 (83%)
	- Need for hospitalization(s) for DU/gangrene management	18 (100%)
	- Need for surgical intervention(s) (e.g. sympathectomy, digital block, etc).	13 (72%)
	- Other-not listed	0 (0%)
<p>37. For vascular disease, please rank the reasons that you would consider referral for ASCT. The vascular reasons could indicate severe disease, progressive disease, and/or severe quality of life impairment. (Check all that apply) <i>*only selected answers in Q36 were available for ranking. (N=11)</i></p>		Ranked #1
	- Recurrent digital ulcers (DU)	2 (18%)
	- Gangrene/ autoamputation	5 (45%)
	- Need for hospitalization(s) for DU/gangrene management	3 (27%)
	- Need for surgical intervention(s) (e.g. sympathectomy, digital block, etc).	1 (9%)
- Other-not listed	0 (%)	
<p>38. Would you refer to ASCT only because of vascular disease severity, progressive worsening, or severe impairment of quality of life? (N=18)</p>	-Yes	11 (61%)
	-No – would also need to have other organ system(s) with severe or worsening disease	7 (39%)
<p>These questions were only provided to the 18 respondents who selected vascular as organ system involvement which would be a consideration for jSSc referral for ASCT (Question 18).</p>		