

Figure e-1. Lack of correlation between baseline NIS and baseline VEGF

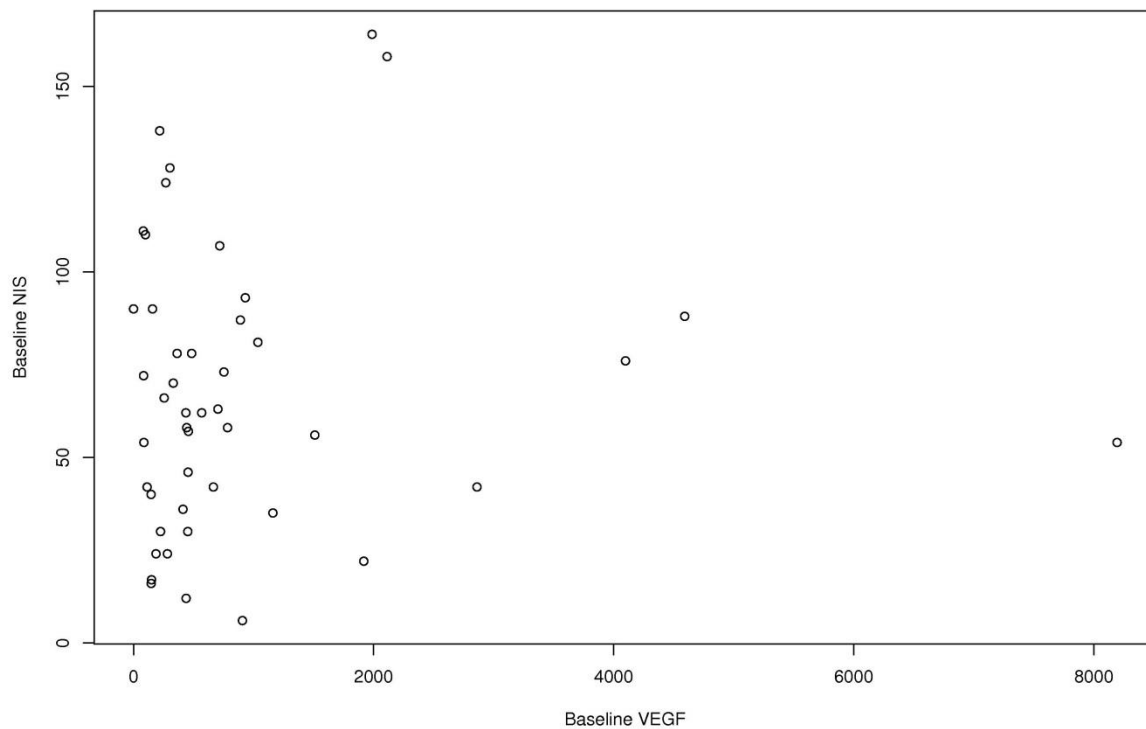


Figure e-2. VEGF levels decline following autologous stem transplantation

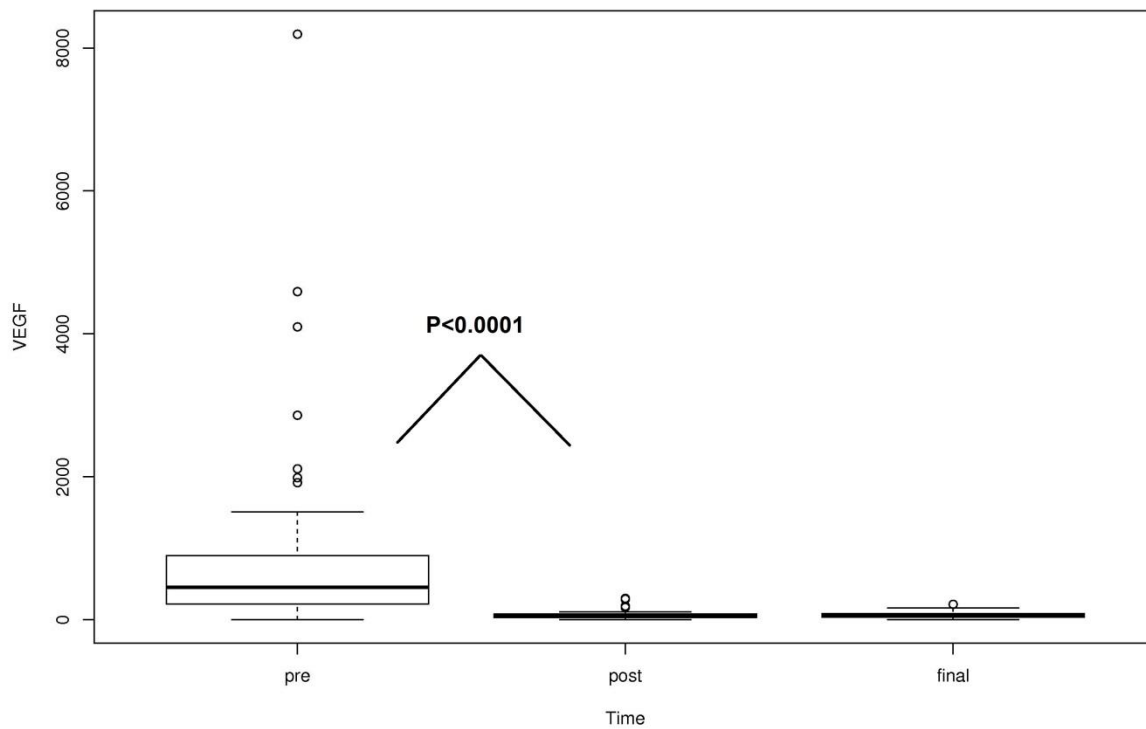


Figure e-2 legend: VEGF levels decreased from a median of 452 pg/mL at t0 to 52 pg/mL at t1 ($p < 0.0001$) and from 52 pg/mL to 63.5 pg/mL at t2 ($p = 0.45$).