

**S3 Table.** Comparison of the 1-month postoperative mortality rate by demographic characteristics

Variable	No. (%)	p-value
Sex		
Male	2,436 (0.5)	0.449
Female	1,217 (0.7)	
Age (yr)		
20-49	770 (0.4)	0.039
50-59	901 (0.4)	
60-69	1,110 (0.4)	
70-89	872 (1.2)	
Surgery type		
TG	822 (1.1)	0.038
STG/PG	2,831 (0.4)	
Charlson comorbidity index		
0-1	2,216 (0.4)	0.027
2	702 (0.4)	
3	316 (0.6)	
≥ 4	419 (1.6)	
Income		
≤ 20 percentile	562 (1.2)	0.072
21-80 percentile	1,917 (0.6)	
≥ 81 percentile	1,174 (0.3)	
Health insurance type		
NHI	3,532 (0.6)	0.132
Medical aid	122 (1.6)	
Residential area		
Metropolitan	1,663 (0.7)	0.394
Non-metropolitan	1,991 (0.5)	
Hospital location		
Metropolitan	3,161 (0.6)	0.545
Non-metropolitan	493 (0.4)	
Hospital volume (beds)		
< 1,000	1,503 (0.8)	0.018
1,000-1,999	1,184 (0.7)	
≥ 2,000	967 (0.0)	
Disabled status		
No	3,295 (0.6)	0.543
Yes	358 (0.8)	
Neoadjuvant chemotherapy		
No	3,488 (0.6)	0.303
Yes	166 (1.2)	

TG, total gastrectomy; STG/PG, subtotal gastrectomy/partial gastrectomy; NHI, National Health Insurance.