

**Supplementary Table 2.** Diagnostic criteria for HRS of the International Club of Ascites in 2007<sup>263</sup>

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- 1) Cirrhosis with ascites
  - 2) Serum creatinine >1.5 mg/dL
  - 3) No improvement of serum creatinine (decrease to a level of 1.5 mg/dL) after at least 2 days with diuretic withdrawal and volume expansion with albumin; the recommended dose of albumin is 1 g/kg of body weight per day up to a maximum of 100 g/day
  - 4) Absence of shock
  - 5) No current or recent treatment with nephrotoxic drugs
  - 6) Absence of parenchymal kidney disease as indicated by proteinuria >500 mg/day, microhematuria (>50 red blood cells per high-power field), and/or abnormal renal ultrasonography
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HRS, hepatorenal syndrome.