

Supplementary Tables

Table 1S. Biochemical parameters accord sex

Variable	Total n = 44	Male n=14 (31.8%)	Female n= 30 (68.1%)	p Value
Serum urea [mg/dl, means $\pm$ SD]	44.74 $\pm$ 40.49	63.62 $\pm$ 56.39	35.39 $\pm$ 27.45	0.100
Serum creatinine [mg/dl, means $\pm$ SD]	1.36 $\pm$ 1.95	2.097 $\pm$ 1.75	1.02 $\pm$.60	0.041
Serum albumin [g/dl, means $\pm$ SD]	3.0 $\pm$ 1.37	2.98 $\pm$ 1.4	3.01 $\pm$ 1.34	0.948
24-hour urine protein [g/24 h, means $\pm$ SD]	4.22 $\pm$ 6.03	6.29 $\pm$ 8.43	3.25 $\pm$ 4.36	0.121
Complement C3 [mg/dl, means $\pm$ SD]	83.98 $\pm$ 28.78	91.5 $\pm$ 25.6	80 $\pm$ 29.7	0.240
Complement C4 [mg/dl, means $\pm$ SD]	18.2 $\pm$ 8.01	22.1 $\pm$ 9.1	16.41 $\pm$ 6.86	0.026
uTWEAK [pg/mg Cr, means $\pm$ SD]	5.92 $\pm$ 6.2	2.86 $\pm$ 2.09	7.35 $\pm$ 7.0	0.003