

Instructions for using dataset for the Smoking Cessation Study

NOTE: A more comprehensive version of the full dataset can be found at

<http://dx.doi.org/10.6084/m9.figshare.682404>

which includes the native Stata dataset, the Stata .do file necessary to replicate all of the analyses in the manuscript, and the Stata command necessary to calculate the difference in medians used in the bootstrap command.

You have downloaded the dataset for the smoking cessation RCT. All data herein has had all direct participant identifiers removed.

IMPORTANT: All hard-coded dates (i.e. "01aug2012") have been offset by a random number of days so that no participant identification is possible. The offset for each date is the same, so date calculations will still be valid.

Publication of this dataset has been approved by the Health Sciences Research Ethics Board (HSREB) of the University of Western Ontario.

Trial analysis was done using Stata version 12.1. The Stata files (see above) have all of the variables properly labelled already, but if you are using the CSV file included on Anesthesia & Analgesia's website, the variables' codebook is included below for your use.

The files on Anesthesia & Analgesia's website include:

1) "smoking_data.csv"

This is a comma-separated values file containing the main dataset. This file can be imported into any statistical analysis package.

2) "instructions.pdf"

The file you are currently reading.

Variable Codebook:

comp:
 0 Respiratory
 1 Cardiovascular
 2 Other
anes:
 0 General
 1 Regional
 2 Sedation
female:
 0 Male
 1 Female
surgttype:
 1 Dental
 2 ENT
 3 General surgery
 4 Gynecologic
 5 Ophthalmologic
 6 Plastics
 7 Urologic
 8 Hand and Upper Limb or Orthopedic
yesno:
 0 No
 1 Yes
group:
 0 Control
 1 Intervention

Please contact pjones@uwo.ca with any problems.

Kind regards,

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