

**Table 3:** Adjusted Association of Hospital-specific Transfusion Rate Category with 30-Day and 1-Year Mortality (Post-hoc Analysis)

Hospital-Specific Transfusion Category	30-Day Mortality	1-Year Mortality
Category 1 (Lowest)	Reference	Reference
Category 2	HR 1.04 (95% CI, 0.82 to 1.32; <i>P</i> = 0.75)	HR 1.04 (95% CI, 0.90 to 1.20; <i>P</i> = 0.56)
Category 3	HR 1.06 (95% CI, 0.81 to 1.39; <i>P</i> = 0.67)	HR 0.98 (95% CI, 0.87 to 1.12; <i>P</i> = 0.85)
Category 4	HR 1.25 (95% CI, 0.94 to 1.68; <i>P</i> = 0.13)	HR 1.09 (95% CI, 0.87 to 1.37; <i>P</i> = 0.45)
Category 5 (Highest)	HR 0.93 (95% CI, 0.66 to 1.31; <i>P</i> = 0.66)	HR 0.91 (95% CI, 0.73 to 1.15; <i>P</i> = 0.44)

CI = confidence interval; HR = hazard ratio.