

Appendix 2: Comparison of %mortality with odds ratio (OR) and 95% confidence interval (CI) based on a hemoglobin (Hg) value of 10, 11, and 12 g/dL.

Compared groups	Mortality	OR (95% CI)	p value
Hg < 10 g/dL vs. Hg ≥ 10 g/dL	18.2% vs. 12.2%	0.62 (0.24, 1.59)	0.319
Hg < 11 g/dL vs. Hg ≥ 11 g/dL	17.7% vs. 11.5%	0.60 (0.23, 1.60)	0.305
Hg < 12 g/dL vs. Hg ≥ 12 g/dL	15.5% vs. 12.5%	0.78 (0.21, 2.88)	>0.999