

Table 3: Patients' Time since stroke, consciousness, aphasia and cognition by site

Characteristics		Site 1	Site 2	Site 3	Site 4	Overall
		N=87 (%)	N=75 (%)	N=84 (%)	N=79 (%)	N=325 (%)
Time since stroke (days)	Median	0.0	0.0	0.0	8.0	0.0
	IQR	0 to 0	0 to 1	0 to 1	0 to 22	0 to 1
Consciousness	Alert & orientated	78 (89.7)	67 (89.3)	79 (94.0)	79 (100)	303 (93.2)
	Not alert	9 (10.3)	7(9.4)	5 (6)	0 (0.0)	21 (6.4)
	Missing	0	1 (1.3)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	1 (0.3)
Aphasia	None	68 (78.2)	60 (80.0)	65 (77.4)	65 (82.3)	258 (79.4)
	Mild/moderate	7 (8.0)	8 (10.7)	12 (14.3)	8 (10.1)	35 (10.8)
	Severe	2 (2.3)	4 (5.3)	2 (2.4)	6 (7.6)	14 (4.3)
	Other	0 (0.0)	2 (2.7)	2 (2.4)	0 (0.0)	4 (1.2)
	Missing	10 (11.5)	1 (1.3)	3 (3.6)	0 (0.0)	14 (4.3)
Cognition	Capacity to consent	74 (85.1)	64 (85.3)	79 (94.0)	56 (70.9)	273 (84.0)
	Incapacitated	13 (14.9)	10 (13.3)	5 (6.0)	23 (29.1)	51 (15.7)
	Missing	0 (0.0)	1 (1.3)	0 (0.0)	0 (0.0)	1 (0.3)