**eTable 2. Quality assessment of prognosis cohort studies by QUIPS tool.**

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|  | **Study participation** | **Study attrition** | **Prognostic factor measurement** | **Outcome measurement** | **Study confounding** | **Statistical analysis reporting** |
| Juvela et al7 | moderate | low | moderate | moderate | moderate | low |
| Mensing et al3 | low | high | moderate | moderate | moderate | low |
| Morita et al11 | low | moderate | low | moderate | moderate | low |
| Murayama at al13 | low | low | moderate | low | moderate | low |
| Wermer et al8 | low | low | moderate | moderate | low | low |
| Molenberg et al9 | low | high | moderate | low | low | low |
| Sonobe et al10 | low | moderate | low | low | low | low |