

Appendix 2

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Appendix 2: Change in Polypharmacy Status Admission to Discharge ^a

| | | Polypharmacy status at discharge | | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|----------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-------|
| | | <5 drugs | 5-9 drugs | ≥10 drugs | Total |
| | .c. 1 | 150 | 0.1 | 12 | 202 |
| Polypharmacy status on admission | <5 drugs | 179 | 91 | 13 | 283 |
| | 5-9 drugs | 61 | 469 | 96 | 626 |
| | ≥10 drugs | 7 | 44 | 227 | 278 |
| | Total | 247 | 604 | 336 | 1187 |

Notes

^a McNemar-Bowker Test: p<0.001