

Supplementary table 3. Consecutive serum copeptin concentrations.

Serum copeptin (pmol/L)				
Group*	Day 0-2	Day 3-7	Day 8-14	Day 22-28
Patients with a sample at day 0-2 (n=779)	13.3 (4.7-31.9)	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Patients with a sample at day 0-2 and 3-7 (n=179)	26.6 (7.8-53.4)	21.0 (9.0-41.8)	n.a.	n.a.
Patients with a sample at day 0-2 till 8-14 (n=85)	30.3 (10.9-62.7)	24.9 (12.1-49.9)	23.6 (14.3-43.8)	n.a.
Patients with a sample at day 0-2 till 8-14 and 22-28 (n=38)	31.3 (5.9-62.7)	23.9 (12.1-49.9)	22.5 (17.1-43.8)	27.3 (12.9-70.6)

n.a., not applicable

*Only 12 patients had a sample available at 15-21 days after hospital admission (data not shown).

Serum copeptin concentration are expressed in pmol/L as median and interquartile range.