

Table SI. Demographic and clinical characteristics of patients with HS and controls

Characteristics	HS patients (n = 100)	Healthy controls (n = 110)	p-value
Sex, n (%)			
Male	59 (59)	68 (62)	NS
Female	41 (41)	42 (38)	
Mean age, years, mean ± SD	34.0 ± 12.2	38.94 ± 13.07	NS
Smoking, n (%)			
Yes	56 (56)	14 (13)	< 0.0001
No	44 (44)	96 (87)	
BMI, kg/m ² , mean ± SD	30.76 ± 6.42	24.97 ± 4.96	< 0.0001
Obesity, n (%)	50 (50)	4 (4)	< 0.0001
Education, n (%)			
Primary school	12 (12)	0 (0)	< 0.0001
Secondary school	37 (37)	24 (22)	
University	27 (27)	86 (78)	
Vocational	24 (24)	0 (0)	
Marital status, n (%)			
Single	54 (54)	48 (44)	0.02
Married	39 (39)	40 (36)	
Divorced	7 (7)	22 (20)	
Widow	0 (0)	0 (0)	
Place of residence, n (%)			
City	71 (71)	98 (89)	< 0.001
Village	29 (29)	12 (11)	
Disease duration, mean ± SD	7.51 ± 6.39	-	N/A
Diagnostic delay, mean ± SD	4.38 ± 3.39	-	N/A
Age of onset, mean ± SD	32.49 ± 11.88	-	N/A
Pain (NRS), mean ± SD	5.58 ± 2.87	-	N/A
Hurley stage, n (%)			
I	27 (27%)	-	N/A
II	61 (61%)	-	
III	12 (12%)	-	
HSS, mean ± SD	36.45 ± 26.2	-	N/A
IHS4, mean ± SD	15.88 ± 12.87	-	N/A
DLQI, mean ± SD	14.51 ± 6.7	-	N/A

SD: standard deviation; N/A: not applicable; BMI: body mass index; NR: numerical rating scale; HSS: Modified Hidradenitis Suppurativa Score; IHS4: International Hidradenitis Suppurativa Severity Score System; DLQI: Dermatology Life Quality Index.