

Table S1. Associations between the postoperative complications and the changes in the NLR, PLR, CAR and PMI after neoadjuvant chemotherapy.

Variable	Cases, n (%)	NLR, n (%)				PLR, n (%)				CAR, n (%)				PMI, n (%)			
		Decreased		Increased		Decreased		Increased		Decreased		Increased		Decreased		Increased	
			P-Value		P-Value												
Anastomotic leakage																	
Yes	25 (29)	18 (32)	0.45	7 (23)	15 (28)	0.99	10 (30)	16 (30)	0.99	14 (25)	11 (39)	0.20					
No	60 (71)	37 (68)		23 (77)	37 (72)		23 (70)	37 (70)		43 (75)	17 (61)						
Pneumonia																	
Yes	25 (29)	13 (24)	0.13	12 (40)	9 (28)	0.81	16 (31)	13 (25)	0.22	39 (68)	21 (75)	0.61					
No	60 (71)	42 (76)		18 (60)	36 (69)		24 (72)	40 (75)		20 (62)	18 (32)						
Re-intubation																	
Yes	15 (18)	8 (15)	0.37	7 (23)	10 (19)	0.77	5 (15)	8 (15)	0.55	12 (21)	3 (11)	0.36					
No	70 (82)	47 (85)		23 (77)	42 (81)		28 (85)	45 (85)		25 (79)	45 (79)						
Any other minor complications																	
Yes	38 (45)	23 (42)	0.50	15 (50)	23 (44)	0.99	15 (45)	21 (40)	0.26	17 (53)	28 (49)	0.25					
No	47 (55)	32 (58)		15 (50)	29 (56)		18 (55)	32 (60)		15 (47)	29 (51)						

NLR, neutrophil-to-lymphocyte ratio; PLR, platelet-to-lymphocyte ratio; CAR, C-reactive protein-to-albumin ratio; PMI, psaos muscle index.