

Table 1: Clinical Characteristics of the Cohort

Gestational age at birth (weeks)	26 (24 – 27)
Birthweight (grams)	750 (595 – 970)
PMA on admission (weeks)	32 (28 – 39)
Male	355 (59%)
SGA	106 (17.7%)
Black	133 (25%)
White	341 (65%)
Asian	20 (4%)
Hispanic	21 (4%)
Other	8 (1.5%)
LOS (days)	120 (76 – 195)
Grade 1 BPD	57 (13.5%)
Grade 2 BPD	249 (59%)
Grade 3 BPD	116 (27.5%)
IVH grade 3 or 4	86 (14.4%)
VP shunt	19 (22% of grade 3 or 4 IVH)
ROP stage II or greater	262 (50%)
NEC surgical	11 (1.9%)
Diuretics	475 (83%)
Systemic corticosteroids	317 (55%)
Inhaled beta agonist	531 (93%)