

Table 1. Main characteristics of the participants

Parameters	Total (n=35)	Without CT findings (n=7)	With CT findings (n=28)	p
Age	54.4 ± 9.2	52.1 ± 8.4	55 ± 9.4	0.469
Gender				
Female, n (%)	33 (94.3)	7 (100)	26 (92.9)	0.466
Male, n (%)	2 (5.7)	0 (0)	2 (7.1)	
Asthma, n (%)	5 (14.3)	2 (28.6)	3 (10.7)	0.256
COPD, n (%)	4 (11.4)	0 (0)	4 (14.3)	0.562
DM, n (%)	3 (8.6)	0 (0)	3 (10.7)	0.365
HT, n (%)	5 (14.3)	1 (14.3)	4 (14.3)	1
CRF, n (%)	1 (2.9)	0 (0)	1 (3.6)	0.612
CAD	1 (2.9)	0 (0)	1 (3.6)	0.612
Hypothyroidism, n (%)	2 (5.7)	0 (0)	2 (7.1)	0.466
RA	1 (2.9)	0 (0)	1 (3.6)	0.612
Allergic rhinitis, n (%)	1 (2.9)	0 (0)	1 (3.6)	0.612
ILD, n (%)	1 (2.9)	0 (0)	1 (3.6)	0.612
Multiple Sclerosis, n (%)	1 (2.9)	1 (14.3)	0 (0)	0.200
Hydroxychloroquine, n (%)	31 (88.6)	4 (57.1)	27 (96.4)	0.019
Steroid, n (%)	24 (68.6)	5 (71.4)	19 (67.9)	0.856
MTX, n (%)	2 (5.7)	2 (28.6)	0 (0)	0.035
Azathioprine, n (%)	8 (22.9)	3 (42.9)	5 (17.9)	0.312
Colchicine, n (%)	2 (5.7)	2 (28.6)	0 (0)	0.035
Dry cough, n (%)	6 (17.1)	2 (28.6)	4 (14.3)	0.576
Effort dyspnea, n (%)	8 (22.9)	2 (28.6)	6 (21.4)	0.648
Raynaud phenomenon, n (%)	8 (22,8)	2 (28,5)	6 (21,4)	0.644
Duration of illness, median (min-max)	74 (1-180)	80 (2-120)	32 (1-180)	0.214

COPD: Chronic obstructive lung disease , CAD: Coronary artery disease, DM: diabetes mellitus, HT: hipertansion, CRD:

Chronic renal disease, RA: Rheumatoid arthritis, IAH: Interstitial lung disease, CT: computed tomography