

**Supplemental Table S1.** Tumor and Node Stage of the Patients with Low-Risk Differentiated Thyroid Carcinoma before and after Propensity Score Matching

Variable	Total patients			Propensity score matching		
	Total (n=526)	Early RRA (n=451)	Delayed RRA (n=75)	Total (n=114)	Early RRA (n=57)	Delayed RRA (n=57)
T1bN0	379	358	21	47	26	21
T1bN1a	65	24	41	45	21	24
T1bN1b	1	1	0	1	1	0
T2N0	54	51	3	5	1	4
T2N1a	13	6	7	10	5	5
T2N1b	1	1	0	1	1	0
T3aN0	13	10	3	5	2	3

T and N stage: tumor-node stage defined according to the 8th edition of the American Joint Committee on Cancer tumor node metastasis staging system. RRA, radioiodine remnant ablation.