

Supplementary Table 3. Changes in PaO₂/FiO₂ ratio and dynamic compliance after the first session of prone positioning in traditional prone responders

Variable	Diffuse ARDS (n=50)	Focal ARDS (n=15)	P-value
Absolute change in PaO ₂ /FiO ₂ ratio from baseline to P8-12 (mm Hg)	60.5 (40.4 to 109.9)	89.0 (62.6 to 147.7)	0.137
Percentage change in PaO ₂ /FiO ₂ ratio from baseline to P8-12 (%)	75.1 (37.0 to 106.9)	90.4 (69.5 to 161.1)	0.038
Absolute change in dynamic compliance from baseline to P8-12 (ml/cm H ₂ O)	-0.2 (-4.0 to 1.7)	0.4 (-4.0 to 5.3)	0.362
Percentage change in dynamic compliance from baseline to P8-12 (%)	-1.1 (-15.4 to 10.5)	1.7 (-13.8 to 19.1)	0.455

Data are presented as median (interquartile range).

PaO₂: arterial partial pressure of oxygen; FiO₂: fraction of inspired oxygen; ARDS: acute respiratory distress syndrome.