**S1 Table.** **Laboratory and treatment expenditures required for HCV therapy and budget supported by the government.**

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| **HCV screening** | |
| **Test** | **Cost per test (USD)a** |
| SGOT (AST) | 2 |
| SGPT (ALT) | 2 |
| CBCb | 3 |
| Anti-HCV | 9 |
| HBsAg | 4 |
| Anti-HIV | 4 |
| HCV viral load | 70 |
| Genotyping | 120 |
| Transient elastography | 45 |
| Total (real cost) | 260 |
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| The UC reimbursementc | 210 |
| **HCV Treatmentc** | |
| **Treatment costd (weeks)** | **Cost per individual (USD)a** |
| Genotype 1 (48) | 4560 |
| Genotype 3 (24) | 2280 |
| Genotype 6 (48) | 4560 |
| **Treatment monitoringb** | |
| **Viral load measuremente (times)** | **Cost per individual (USD)a** |
| Genotype 1 (4) | 180 |
| Genotype 3 (2) | 90 |
| Genotype 6 (4) | 180 |

aCurrency exchange rate at 20/11/2017 = 33 Baht to 1 USD (https://www.bot.or.th/Thai/Pages/default.aspx).

bComplete blood count

cBudget cover by UC program.

dTreatment cost supported by the program equal to ~ 95 USD per week.

eViral load measurement cost equal to ~ 45 USD per time.