

**Table S1. CD4 count at treatment by HIV subtype<sup>1</sup>**

	<i>N</i>	Mean (95% CI) <sup>2</sup>	Comparison with B <sup>3</sup>
A	397	219 (207 – 231)	<i>Z</i> = -1.621 <i>P</i> = 0.105
C	816	205 (197 – 213)	<i>Z</i> = -4.111 <b><i>P</i> &lt; 0.001</b>
others	659	240 (230 – 250)	<i>Z</i> = -1.169 <i>P</i> = 0.242
B	892	228 (220 – 236)	-

<sup>1</sup> Data from UK CHIC[23]

<sup>2</sup> Mean of the corrected CD4 count distribution (see Text S1)

<sup>3</sup> Mann-Whitney U test