S2 Table.Analysis of C-Reactive Protein at the baseline and the end of trial among diacerein and placebo groups [(md; IQR: 25-75)]

|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **Variable** | **Group** | **Baseline (*n*= 36)** | **End of trial (*n*= 36)** | ***P*\*** | ***P\*\**** |
| CRP (mg/g)**\*\*\*** | Diacerein | 5.0 (2.0-10.9) | 4.8 (2.7-11.4) | 0.6 | 0.4 |
| Placebo | 3.3 (1.9-7.9) | 4.1 (2.6-10.0) | 0.2 |

S2 Table legend.

\* P value for analysis between CRP at the baseline and end of trial  
 \*\* P value for analysis of CRP at the end of trial among diacerein *vs*. placebo

\*\*\* Analysis of median; interquartile range (Md; IQR: 25-75) using Mann-Whitney test