

Supplementary Material 1:

Multivariate analysis of factors defining death in patients with SCC for the patients treated at Haroldo Juaçaba Hospital (Ceará Cancer Institute).

| | p-Valor | Ajustated HR | IC 95% |
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| Localization (Thongue/Floor of mouth) | 0.593 | - | - |
| T (3 e 4) | 0.997 | - | - |
| N (2 e 3) | 0.589 | - | - |
| Stage (3 e 4) | 1.000 | - | - |
| Sex (Masculino) | 0.074 | - | - |
| Education Level (Illiterate) | *0.041 | 15.64 | 1.13 - 217.24 |
| Treatment (Surgery) | 0.400 | - | - |
| TNF-α (Tumor) (>6) | *0.021 | 6.81 | 1.02 - 105.96 |
| TNF-α (Lymph Node Metastasis) (>6) | 1.000 | - | - |

***p<0.05. Multinomial Logistic Regression; HR = Hazard Risk;**