

Appendix Table 16. Tipping Point Analysis of Primary Outcome.

Impute missing event time if observed follow-up < half of expected follow-up						
	Impute missing event time	N		Device delta hazard	HR	Upper 95% CL
Medical therapy	No	1318		1.0 (censored at random)	0.410	0.638
	Yes	533		1.5	0.508	0.766
				2	0.594	0.938
Device	No	1456		2.5 (tipping point)	0.681	1.170
	Yes	433				
Impute missing event time if observed follow-up < three quarters of expected follow-up						
	Impute missing event time	N		Device delta hazard	HR	Upper 95% CL
Medical therapy	No	955		1.0 (censored at random)	0.405	0.639
	Yes	896		1.5	0.524	0.798
				2 (tipping point)	0.641	1.051
Device	No	1122				
	Yes	767				

CL, confidence limit; HR indicates hazard ratio.