

Supplementary Table 2. Baseline characteristics of 4,309 untreated patients with chronic hepatitis B

Characteristics	Total (n=4,309)
Demographic characteristics	
Age (yr)	51.0 (41.4–58.5)
Male, n (%)	2,040 (47.3)
Height (cm)	165.8 (159.4–172.2)
Weight (kg)	65.0 (56.0–73.0)
Body mass index (kg/m ²)	23.5 (21.5–25.7)
Comorbidities	
Diabetes, n (%)	134 (3.1)
Hypertension, n (%)	891 (20.7)
Cirrhosis, n (%)	371 (8.6)
Laboratory findings	
Platelets (×10 ³ /μL)	203.0 (167.0–239.0)
AST (IU/L)	25.0 (21.0–31.0)
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Prothrombin time, INR	1.0 (1.0–1.0)
Albumin (g/dL)	4.2 (4.0–4.5)
Total bilirubin (mg/dL)	0.7 (0.5–0.9)
Creatinine (mg/dL)	0.8 (0.7–0.9)
eGFR (mL/min/1.73m ²)	100.0 (91.0–108.0)
Total cholesterol (mg/dL)	179.0 (156.0–200.0)
HDL (mg/dL)	48.0 (43.0–58.5)
LDL (mg/dL)	105.0 (86.0–133.0)
Triglyceride (mg/dL)	90.0 (69.5–134.0)
HBeAg-positive, n (%)	397 (12.9)
HBV DNA (log ₁₀ IU/mL)	2.5 (1.6–3.4)

Data are presented as a frequency and proportion or as a mean value with interquartile range.

ALT, alanine aminotransferase; AST, aspartate aminotransferase; INR, international normalized ratio; eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate; HDL, high-density lipoprotein; LDL, low-density lipoprotein; HBeAg, hepatitis B e antigen; HBV, hepatitis B virus.