

1 Time until treatment initiation is associated with catheter survival in peritoneal dialysis-related  
2 peritonitis

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## 1   Supplementary Table 1

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## 3   Comparison of causative microorganism between removal and non-removal groups

microorganism [n(%)]	removal group (N=22)	non-removal group (N=87)	p
<i>CNS</i>	2 (9%)	14 (16%)	.41
<i>Streptococcus spp.</i>	1 (5%)	16 (18%)	.10
<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	4 (18%)	6 (7%)	.10
Other gram-positive cocci	3 (14%)	4 (5%)	.12
Gram-negative bacilli*	2 (9%)	12 (14%)	.56
Other bacteria**	0 (0%)	3 (3%)	.38
No growth	10 (45%)	32 (37%)	.46

4   \*: except for *P. aeruginosa* and *Serratia spp.*

5   \*\*: Corynebacterium, Gram-positive bacilli

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## 8   Supplementary Table 2

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## 10   Comparison of causative microorganism between groups of ST time more or less than 24 hr

microorganism [n(%)]	ST time<24 hr (N=88)	ST time>=24 hr (N=21)	p
<i>CNS</i>	14 (16%)	2 (10%)	.46
<i>Streptococcus spp.</i>	14 (16%)	3 (14%)	.85
<i>Staphylococcus aureus</i>	8 (9%)	2 (10%)	.95
Other gram-positive cocci	7 (8%)	0 (0%)	.18
Gram-negative bacilli*	10 (11%)	4 (19%)	.34
Other bacteria**	2 (2%)	1 (5%)	.53
Culture negative peritonitis	33 (38%)	9 (43%)	.65

11   \*: except for *P. aeruginosa* and *Serratia spp.*

12   \*\*: Corynebacterium, Gram-positive bacilli

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