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Statistical analysis

The data analysis was performed with SPSS 19 statistical software (IBM Corp., Armonk, New York, USA) after collecting and organizing the data with Excel 2010 (Microsoft Corp., Redmond, Washington, USA). A descriptive analysis of the sample was conducted by determining the means (SD), medians (IQR), and frequencies (percentages) according to variable characteristics and distributions. Differences between variables were evaluated using the X^2 or Fisher's tests for qualitative variables. For quantitative variables, Student's t-test (if normality conditions were met) or its corresponding nonparametric tests, including the Mann–Whitney U-test or the Kruskal–Wallis test (if data were not normally distributed), were used. Finally, a binary logistic regression was performed using the RVS as the dependent variable. The significance level was $\alpha=0.05$, and 95% CIs were calculated.

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