

Supplementary Table 1. Number of patients evaluated during the follow-up, visit by visit, reporting the average interval since metabolic surgery.

Visit number	Number of patients	Months (mean \pm standard deviation)
0	123	-0.5 \pm 0.4
1	123	2.0 \pm 2.2
2	123	4.8 \pm 4.0
3	123	7.9 \pm 4.5
4	123	12.1 \pm 5.7
5	123	16.9 \pm 8.1
6	88	22.2 \pm 9.1
7	78	28.4 \pm 12.8
8	62	33.5 \pm 14.9
9	49	40.3 \pm 16.7
10	42	44.8 \pm 15.3
11	29	48.1 \pm 18.1
12	28	55.7 \pm 23.3
13	24	58.1 \pm 18.3
14	19	64.3 \pm 20.7
15	17	70.8 \pm 23.6