

Table 1 Demographic and pathology characteristics of the women participants, Lebanon

Variable	Group 1 (< 35 years) n = 134 (4.0%)	Group 2 (35–< 50 years) n = 1037 (31.3%)	Group 3 (≥ 50 years) n = 2149 (64.7%)	Total (n = 3320)	P-value ^a
Median age at diagnosis (IQR), years	31 (26–33)	44 (41–46)	59 (54–77)	53 (36–72)	
	No. (%)	No. (%)	No. (%)	No. (%)	
Governorate					0.001
Beirut	8 (6.0)	102 (9.8)	340 (15.8)	450 (13.5)	
Bekaa	20 (14.9)	187 (18.0)	265 (12.3)	472 (14.2)	
Mount Lebanon	21 (15.7)	187 (18.0)	584 (27.2)	792 (23.9)	
North Lebanon	35 (26.1)	244 (23.5)	397 (18.5)	676 (20.4)	
South Lebanon	50 (37.3)	317 (30.5)	563 (26.2)	930 (28.0)	
Estrogen receptor					0.060
Positive	78 (58.2)	769 (74.0)	1605 (74.7)	2452 (73.9)	
Progesterone receptor					0.400
Positive	74 (55.2)	705 (67.9)	1418 (66.0)	2197 (66.2)	
Human epidermal growth factor receptor					0.070
Positive	31 (23.1)	233 (22.4)	461 (21.5)	725 (21.8)	
Triple negative breast cancer					0.020
Yes	42 (31.3)	204 (19.6)	310 (14.4)	556 (16.7)	

IQR= Interquartile range.

^aComparing demographic and pathology characteristics by age group.