

Variables	Infants with delayed presentation (n=198)	Infants with no delayed presentation (n=1714)	P value
Age in days, mean \pm SD	50 \pm 24	38 \pm 28	<0.001
Male sex, no. (%)	113 (57.1)	981 (57.2)	0.965
Temperature in $^{\circ}$ C, mean \pm SD	38.6 \pm 0.6	38.4 \pm 0.6	<0.001
Heart rate/min, mean \pm SD	168 \pm 20	161 \pm 20	<0.001
SIS, median (IQR)	9 (8–9)	9 (9–10)	<0.001

IQR: interquartile range; SD: standard deviation; SIS: severity index score