Demographics	Staying alone (n=52)	Staying with family (n=679)
Sex, no. (%)		
Male	26 (50)	317 (46.6)
Female	26 (50)	362 (53.3)
Age, mean (SD), years	75.8 (13.8)	74.9 (13.5)
Race, no. (%)		
Chinese	44 (84.6)	493 (72.6)
Malay	5 (9.6)	135 (19.9)
Indian	1 (1.9)	31 (4.6)
Others	2 (3.8)	20 (2.9)
Disease, no. (%)		
Cancer	35 (67.3)	522 (76.8)
Non-cancer	17 (32.7)	157 (23.1)
Marital status,[a] no. (%)		
Married	10 (19.3)	449 (66.1)
Widowed	19 (36.5)	169 (24.9)
Divorced/separated	11 (21.1)	23 (3.4)
Single	12 (23.1)	38 (5.6)
Means test category,[ab] no. (%)		
0%	9 (17.3)	19 (28.3)
15–30%	2 (3.9)	77 (11.3)
40–50%	0	21 (3.1)
55–60%	1 (1.9)	129 (19.0)
75–80%	40 (76.9)	260 (38.3)
Length of stay in home hospice,[a] mean (SD), days	112 (113.9)	125 (180.2)
Contacts with clinical team		
Median no. of phone calls	9	10
Median no. of home visits	6	7
Death/discharge location,[a] no. (%)		
Hospital	11 (21)	202 (29.8)
Nursing home or hospice	26 (50)	44 (6.5)
Others/blank	4 (7.7)	24 (3.5)
Own home	11 (21.2)	409 (60.2)

SD: standard deviation
[a] Significant at $P<0.05$
[b] Used as a measure of socioeconomic status by evaluating an individual's or household's financial means, including income and assets, to determine eligibility for medical and healthcare subsidies.