'Responder' (OMERAC-OARSI criteria)

improvement in (maximum) pain >50% and absolute change >2 {20% of scale range}

or

improvement in invalidity >50% and absolute change > 6 {20% of scale range}

or

improvement in (maximum) pain >20% and absolute change > 1 $\{10\% \text{ of scale range}\}\$ AND improvement in invalidity >20% and absolute change > 3 $\{10\% \text{ of scale range}\}\$

ITT-population (LOCF)

	Low Back		Hip	Hip		Knee		Total	
	N	(%)	N	(%)	N	(%)	N	(%)	
Visit 1 (6 weeks)									
yes	46	(37.7)	4	(36.4)	3	(33.3)	53	(37.3)	
no	76	(62.3)	7	(63.6)	6	(66.7)	89	(62.7)	
Visit 2 (12 weeks)									
yes	67	(54.9)	5	(45.5)	3	(33.3)	75	(52.8)	
no	55	(45.1)	6	(54.5)	6	(66.7)	67	(47.2)	
Visit 3 (18 weeks)									
yes	71	(58.2)	8	(72.7)	5	(55.6)	84	(59.2)	
no	51	(41.8)	3	(27.3)	4	(44.4)	58	(40.8)	
Visit 4 (24 weeks)									
yes	76	(62.3)	6	(54.5)	6	(66.7)	88	(62.0)	
no	46	(37.7)	5	(45.5)	3	(33.3)	54	(38.0)	
Visit 5 (30 weeks)									
yes	76	(62.3)	6	(54.5)	7	(77.8)	89	(62.7)	
no	46	(37.7)	5	(45.5)	2	(22.2)	53	(37.3)	
Visit 6 (36 weeks)									
yes	72	(59.0)	7	(63.6)	5	(55.6)	84	(59.2)	
no	50	(41.0)	4	(36.4)	4	(44.4)	58	(40.8)	
Visit 7 (42 weeks)									
yes	73	(59.8)	8	(72.7)	6	(66.7)	87	(61.3)	
no	49	(40.2)	3	(27.3)	3	(33.3)	55	(38.7)	
Visit 8 (48 weeks)									
yes	73	(59.8)	7	(63.6)	5	(55.6)	85	(59.9)	
no	49	(40.2)	4	(36.4)	4	(44.4)	57	(40.1)	
Visit 9 (54 weeks)									
yes	75	(61.5)	7	(63.6)	6	(66.7)	88	(62.0)	
no	47	(38.5)	4	(36.4)	3	(33.3)	54	(38.0)	

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Group comparison

Analysis Variable	Fisher's Exact Test p-value (2-Tail)
Visit 1 (6 weeks)	1.000
Visit 2 (12 weeks)	0.450
Visit 3 (18 weeks)	0.756
Visit 4 (24 weeks)	0.869
Visit 5 (30 weeks)	0.606
Visit 6 (36 weeks)	1.000
Visit 7 (42 weeks)	0.756
Visit 8 (48 weeks)	1.000
Visit 9 (54 weeks)	1.000