

Supplementary Table S1: DRG points per hospital admission because of the selected congenital malformations in the years 2002 to 2014; data are presented as mean \pm SD.

| Year | EA/TEF | DA | CDH | OM | GS |
|------|---------------------|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 2002 | 34,424 \pm 61,570 | 15,979 \pm 10,827 | 19,833 \pm 21,077 | 26,633 \pm 15,484 | 26,508 \pm 25,710 |
| 2003 | 17,449 \pm 28,083 | 18,054 \pm 11,620 | 24,795 \pm 27,424 | 24,208 \pm 22,833 | 37,488 \pm 43,772 |
| 2004 | 24,647 \pm 41,956 | 30,142 \pm 43,054 | 28,090 \pm 26,996 | 31,321 \pm 27,636 | 28,300 \pm 25,782 |
| 2005 | 23,416 \pm 46,374 | 19,192 \pm 12,681 | 26,463 \pm 27,135 | 34,132 \pm 45,357 | 57,172 \pm 93,052 |
| 2006 | 19,215 \pm 38,553 | 15,999 \pm 12,589 | 22,919 \pm 22,459 | 70,403 \pm 148,935 | 36,630 \pm 29,625 |
| 2007 | 19,068 \pm 34,551 | 25,036 \pm 18,385 | 23,321 \pm 21,633 | 52,892 \pm 117,702 | 33,465 \pm 21,119 |
| 2008 | 18,267 \pm 29,586 | 31,255 \pm 5,676 | 56,124 \pm 69,211 | 24,206 \pm 21,088 | 46,810 \pm 57,741 |
| 2009 | 19,171 \pm 32,889 | 37,768 \pm 43,584 | 40,026 \pm 52,254 | 33,605 \pm 44,212 | 36,366 \pm 55,359 |
| 2010 | 11,410 \pm 19,207 | 15,848 \pm 13,160 | 26,812 \pm 27,542 | 30,111 \pm 24,540 | 33,221 \pm 35,030 |
| 2011 | 14,565 \pm 29,879 | 16,536 \pm 16,697 | 24,960 \pm 50,908 | 27,764 \pm 36,219 | 28,251 \pm 23,769 |
| 2012 | 10,975 \pm 20,872 | 20,399 \pm 14,441 | 33,444 \pm 34,005 | 26,147 \pm 30,439 | 32,867 \pm 30,827 |
| 2013 | 22,266 \pm 31,886 | 15,644 \pm 17,165 | 21,685 \pm 26,755 | 23,659 \pm 26,591 | 30,616 \pm 24,455 |
| 2014 | 21,762 \pm 46,724 | 33,726 \pm 37,383 | 30,979 \pm 30,486 | 42,438 \pm 63,801 | 23,610 \pm 33,719 |