Supplementary Table 2:

Baseline demographics of all participants

	Participants who	Participants who did not
	completed study	complete study
Subjects (%)	18 (51%)	17 (49%)
Male (Female)	11 (7)	12 (5)
Age (years)	13.5 (7-16)	10 (6-15)
ACT/c ACT score	15.45± 6.23	18.13 ± 5.89
m-PAQLQ score	4.86 ± 1.8	5.34 ± 1.31
FEV1 % Pred	77.54 ± 8.83	72.22 ± 18.5
BDR %	10.58 ± 13.2	15.42 ±16.71
ICS dose FP equivalent mcg/day	500 (100 - 1000)	400 (100 - 500)

ACT: Asthma Control Test, c-ACT: Child Asthma Control Test, m-PAQLQ: Mini Paediatric Asthma Quality of Life Questionnaire score, ICS: Inhaled corticosteroid, FP: Fluticasone propionate equivalence. Figures are quoted as Median (range), mean ±SD