Table 1. Patients demographics

Age (years)	32±8
Gender (M/F)	15/6
Weight (kg)	81±14
Height (cm)	170±8
ASA status (I/II)	17- ASA I
	4- ASA II (allergy to pollen, dusty)
No. of patients taking daily metamizol	17 patients- 1000 mg
(prior to treatment)	4 patients- 1500 mg
No. of patients waking up at least once	21
during night due to pain (prior to	
treatment)	
No. of patients taking daily 500 mg	4
paracetamol (prior to treatment)	
No. of patients taking daily metamizol	16 patients- 500 mg
(during 14 <sup>th</sup> -day treatment)	5 patients- 1000 mg
No. of patients taking daily 500 mg	0
paracetamol (during treatment)	

ASA- American society of Anesthesiology physical status