

Table 2. Individual and group ghrelin levels (pmol/l)

Participant	Time after administration of clonidine (min)				
	0	30	60	90	120
GHD #1	1227.3	1151.3	677.4	737.8	778.4
GHD #2	589.3	690.0	618.2	465.4	409.8
GHD #3	524.7	234.9	382.0	182.7	284.7
GHD #4	583.5	991.7	956.1	811.4	1843.4
GHD #5	740.2	607.4	903.9	759.2	1271.6
GHD #6	747.3	602.6	685.6	785.3	1276.4
GHD #7	310.8	491.1	899.2	605.0	2351.1
GHD #8	801.9	707.0	830.4	614.5	875.4
GHD #9	546.9	876.5	765.3	689.7	978.7
GHD #10	926.2	656.0	821.6	765.5	1210.7
NGH #1	813.2	305.6	252.4	504.8	335.8
NGH #2	218.6	215.3	537.2	261.7	400.6
NGH #3	827.1	569.6	407.5	252.4	289.4
NGH #4	664.7	204.0	185.1	130.5	244.4
NGH #5	618.9	624.0	664.3	540.9	780.5
NGH #6	625.5	378.5	407.3	336.4	411.3
NGH #7	573.5	428.3	489.6	365.5	520.7
NGH #8	620.1	345.4	287.5	330.3	435.6
GHD (mean±SD)	699.8±252.7	700.9±258.2**	754.0±170.7***	641.6±192.6‡**	1128.0±623.0‡**
NGH (mean±SD)	620.2±187.3	383.8±152.4††	403.8±159.2	340.3±134.2††	427.3±167.1

GHD: growth hormone deficiency; NGH: normal growth hormone.
Significantly different from baseline using paired t-test † p=0.05 and †† p=0.01. Significantly different from the previous time interval using paired t-test (‡ p=0.05). Significantly different from the NGH group using independent t-test (** p=0.01; *** p=0.001).