

**Table 1** Comparison of the clinical features of cases of cutaneous leishmaniasis caused by *Leishmania major* and *L. tropica* in Birjand, eastern Islamic Republic of Iran

Variable	<i>L. tropica</i> (n = 141)		<i>L. major</i> (n = 9)		P-value <sup>a</sup>
	No.	%	No.	%	
<i>Sex</i>					
Male	76	53.9	4	44.4	0.734
Female	65	46.1	5	55.6	
<i>Age group (years)</i>					
< 10	32	22.7	1	11.1	0.684
≥ 10	109	77.3	8	88.9	
<i>Residency</i>					
Urban	93	66.0	6	66.7	1.0
Rural	48	34.0	3	33.3	
<i>No. of lesions</i>					
≤ 3	130	92.2	7	77.8	0.176
> 3	11	7.8	2	22.2	
<i>Location of lesions</i>					
Face and neck	45	31.9	2	22.2	0.807
Extremities	90	63.8	7	77.8	
Both	6	4.3	0	0.0	
<i>Response to Glucantime<sup>®</sup></i>					
Cure	136	96.5	9	100.0	1.0
Failure	5	3.5	0	0.0	

<sup>a</sup>Fisher exact test.