

Table 3 Meetings and Gift receiving between years of experience (N=300)

N(%)		Total	Years of Experience		P value	Hospital Affiliation		P value
			<15 years (N=131)	>15 years (N=169)		Private Hospital (N=40)	Governmental Hospital (N=260)	
Average meetings with pharmaceutical rep (PR)	Never	52 (17)	39 (30)	13 (8)	< .001	3 (8)	49 (19)	.014
	Once to three times a month	223 (74)	88 (67)	135 (80)		37 (93)	186 (72)	
	One a week or more	25 (8)	4 (3)	21 (12)		0	25 (10)	
Drug Samples	Never	145 (48)	74 (56)	71 (42)	.045	1 (3)	144 (55)	< .001
	Once to three times a month	147 (49)	54 (41)	93 (55)		39 (98)	108 (42)	
	One a week or more	8 (3)	3 (2)	5 (3)		0	8 (3)	
Stationery such as pens and notepads	Never	109 (36)	62 (47)	47 (28)	.002	6 (15)	103 (40)	.008
	Once to three times a month	181 (60)	65 (50)	116 (69)		33 (83)	148 (57)	
	One a week or more	10 (3)	4 (3)	6 (4)		1 (3)	9 (3)	
Industry-sponsored CME events inside the workplace	Never	108 (36)	70 (53)	38 (22)	< .001	14 (35)	94 (36)	.299
	Once to three times a month	178 (59)	59 (45)	119 (70)		26 (65)	152 (58)	
	One a week or more	14 (5)	2 (2)	12 (7)		0	14 (5)	
Meals outside the workplace	Never	158 (52)	86 (66)	72 (43)	< .001	9 (23)	149 (57)	< .001
	Once to three times a month	96 (32)	40 (31)	94 (56)		31 (78)	103 (40)	
	One a week or more	4 (1)	5 (4)	3 (2)		0	8 (3)	
Industry-sponsored CME events outside the workplace	Never	158 (53)	91 (69)	67 (40)	< .001	10 (25)	148 (57)	< .001
	Once to three times a month	134 (45)	40 (31)	94 (56)		30 (75)	104 (40)	
	One a week or more	8 (3)	0	8 (5)		0	8 (3)	
Financial subsidies to attend CME events	Never	167 (56)	89 (68)	78 (46)	< .001	11 (28)	156 (60)	< .001
	Once to three times a month	127 (42)	42 (32)	85 (50)		29 (73)	98 (38)	
	One a week or more	6 (2)	0	6 (4)		0	6 (2)	