

Table S1. Seroconversion of patients with undetectable cytokine or negative autoantibody or immune complex levels at baseline.

	Undetectable or negative at baseline	Month 3	Month 6	Month 12	Month 24
Cytokines					
IFN- α 2	63	0	1	0	0
IL-6	62	1	2	2	0
IL-10	50	1	1	3	0
IL-17A	72	3	1	0	1
Autoantibodies					
Anti-dsDNA	32	0	1	3	0
Anti-ribosomal P	63	1	0	1	1
Anti-histone	59	0	0	3	2
Anti-Sm	58	0	0	1	0
Anti-U1RNP	43	0	3	2	0
Anti-Sm-U1RNP	59	0	0	0	0
Anti-Ro52/SSA	46	0	1	2	0
Anti-Ro60/SSA	33	0	1	3	0
Anti-La/SSB	59	0	0	1	0
Anti-PCNA	72	0	0	0	0
Circulating IC	57	1	1	3	2

Numbers of patients with undetectable cytokine levels or negative autoantibody or immune complex levels at baseline who seroconverted to detectable cytokine levels or positive autoantibody levels, respectively, at later time points.

dsDNA: double stranded DNA; IFN: interferon; IC: immune complex; IL: interleukin; PCNA: proliferating cell nuclear antigen; Sm: Smith.