

Table S1 AIC value and C statistics of variable nodal parameters for ICC subgroup which is sampling LNs less than six

Nodal parameters	Cut off point	AIC	C-index
AJCC 8 th N stage	0	2,902.5	0.58
N0 vs. N ⁺ <4 vs. N ⁺ ≥4	Lower: 0, higher: 3	2,902.6	0.58
LNR (%)	Lower: 0, higher: 66.67	2,903.6	0.58
LODDS	Lower: -0.69897, higher: 0.477	2,904.3	0.59

AIC, Akaike information criterion; ICC, intrahepatic cholangiocarcinoma; LN, lymph node; C-index, Harrell concordance index; AJCC, American Joint Committee on Cancer; LNR, lymph node ratio; LODDS, log odds of metastatic lymph nodes.