

INFORMATION MODULE

INFO GROUP
PHASE IV STUDY

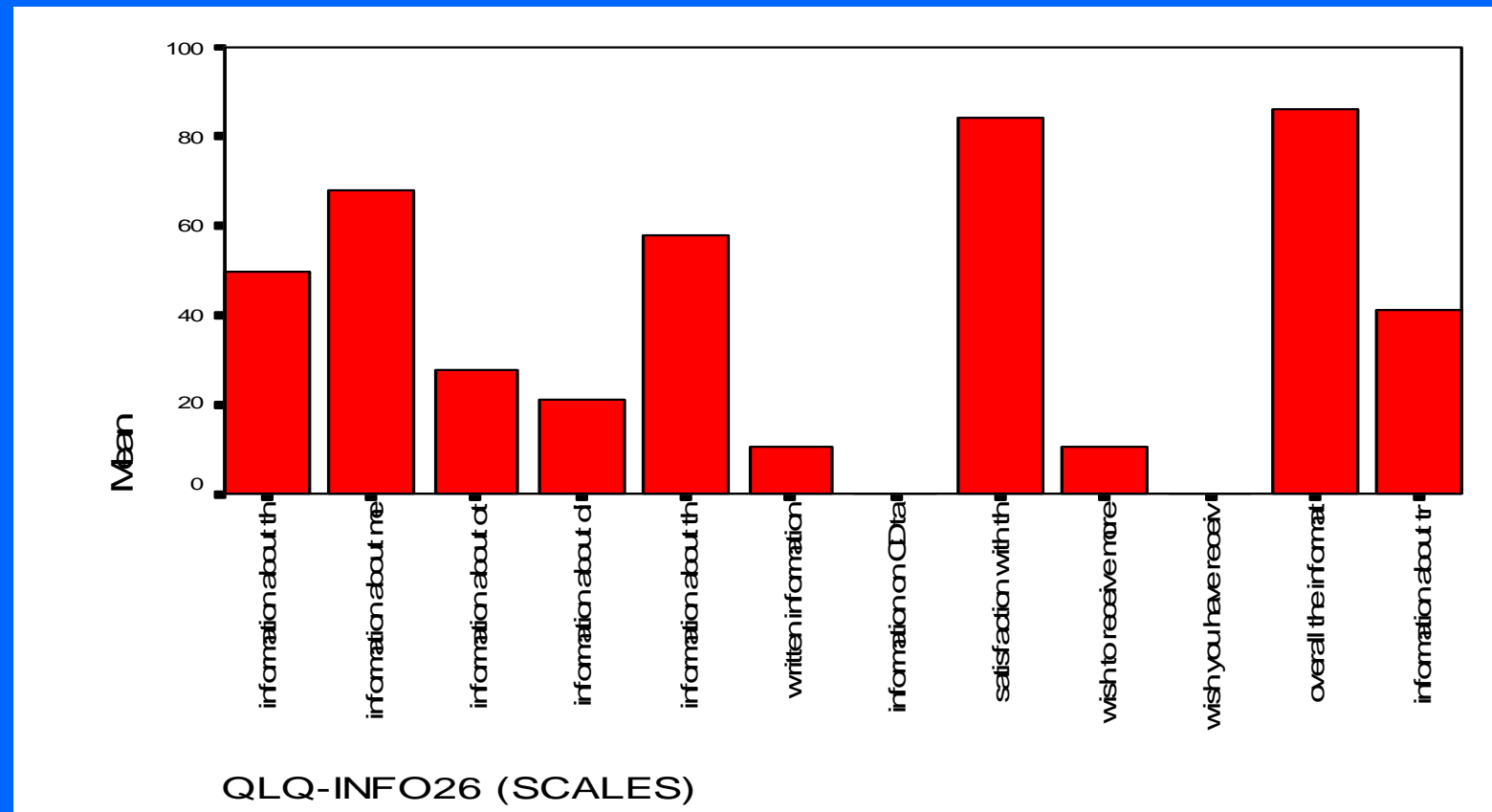
INFORMATION MODULE

- PREVIOUS WORK OF OUR GROUP
 - phase 3 finished.
 - report approved
 - paper in Psychooncology
 - presentations in national and international conferences
 - requests to use the module

INFO 26 STRUCTURE

- **Scales:**
- Information on your disease (4 items)
- Information about your medical tests (3 items)
- Information about treatments and your treatment (7 items)
- Information on other services (4)
- **Single items:**
- Information on other areas (4)
- **Extra items**
- Information on qualitative aspects

QLQ-INFO26 MEAN SCORES



STEPS FOLLOWED

- PROTOCOL AND FORMS
- HIGH LEVEL OF INPUT FROM THE GROUP
- GRANT FROM THE QL GROUP
- SPANISH COMPANY
contract signed
three meetings.
- 24 PATIENTS INCLUDED
the system has been checked

PHASE IV PROTOCOL

- QLQ C30, INFO 26, information scales of the QLQ-SAT32
- BROAD INCLUSION CRITERIA: any tumor site; treatment modalities either single or combined
- 4 GROUPS based on:
 - a- 1 first treatment line or 2 following ones
 - b- different moments of the treatment process (next slides)

PHASE IV PROTOCOL 2

- Two of three fixed assessment points with each patient:
- 1- beginning treatment
- 2 during treatment
- 3 follow up
- Some patients 1 and 2; others 2 and 3
- A subsample re-test after point 3

GROUPS AND ASSESSMENT POINTS

Groups	1 day treatment	During treatment	follow.-up	Test-retest
Group A Start 1st line treatment	*****	*****		
Group B During 1st line treatment		*****	*****	*****
Group C Start 2nd line treatment	*****	*****		
Group D During 2nd line treatment		*****	*****	

PHASE IV PROTOCOL 3

- - Groups to compare in which differences might expected:
- Cultural areas, education level, age
- treatment stage, treatment intention
- Number of treatment lines received
- Anxiety and depression from the core