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	All (n=121)	Functional decline [FDG] (n=63)	Non-functional decline [Non-FDG] (n=58)	P value
Age (years), median (IQR)	78.0 (71.0-84.0)	82.0 (75.5-88.5)	73.0 (70.0–79.0)	< 0.001
Female, n (%)	60 (49.6)	41 (65.1)	19 (32.8)	0.001
Dementia, n (%)	41 (33.9)	35 (55.6)	6 (10.3)	< 0.001
Comorbidities (≥2) ^a , n (%)	52 (43.0)	29 (46.0)	23 (39.7)	0.582
BI score before COVID-19 onset, median (IQR)	100 (95–100)	95 (70–100)	100 (100–100)	< 0.001
100 (independent), n (%)	88 (72.7)	31 (49.2)	57 (98.3)	< 0.001
75–95 (mildly dependent), n (%)	14 (11.6)	13 (20.6)	1 (1.7)	
25-70 (moderately-to-severely dependent), n (%)	19 (15.7)	19 (30.2)	0 (0.0)	
Serum albumin level on admission, median (IQR)	3.4 (3.2–3.7)	3.3 (3.0–3.6)	3.5 (3.2–3.8)	0.030
Serum CRP level on admission, median (IQR)	5.8 (1.2–10.3)	5.8 (1.4–10.9)	5.6 (1.3–9.7)	0.817
Plasma D-dimer level on admission, median (IQR) ^b	1.3 (0.8–2.3)	1.5 (0.9–2.6)	1.0 (0.8–2.2)	0.020
GNRI on admission, median (IQR) ^c	99.5 (93.2–107.1)	97.4 (90.4–102.8)	103.4 (95.7–109.4)	0.004
Severity of COVID-19 on admission				
Asymptomatic, n (%)	7 (5.8)	5 (7.9)	2 (3.5)	0.466
Mild, n (%)	14 (11.6)	6 (9.5)	8 (13.8)	
Moderate, n (%)	13 (10.7)	7 (11.1)	6 (10.3)	
Severe, n (%)	69 (57.0)	33 (52.4)	36 (62.1)	
Critical, n (%)	18 (14.9)	12 (19.0)	6 (10.3)	

Table S1. Demographic and clinical characteristics of the study patients without very severe functional impairment before coronavirus disease 2019 onset

Duration from the onset of COVID-19 to admission (days), median (IQR) ^d	4.0 (2.0–7.5)	2.0 (1.0-6.0)	6.0 (3.8–9.0)	< 0.001
Route of admission				
Admission from LTC hospitals/facilities, n (%)	24 (19.8)	23 (36.5)	1 (1.7)	< 0.001
Admission from home, n (%)	97 (80.2)	40 (63.5)	57 (98.3)	

BI, Barthel Index; COVID-19, coronavirus disease 2019; CRP, C-reactive protein; FDG, functional decline group;

GNRI, Geriatric Nutritional Risk Index; IQR, interquartile range; LTC, long-term care

a. Chronic respiratory disease, chronic kidney disease, diabetes, hypertension, and cardiovascular diseases

b. Data unavailable in one patient in the non-FDG

c. Data unavailable in 13 patients; nine in the FDG and four in the non-FDG

d. Data unavailable in six patients: four in the FDG and two in the non-FDG (mainly patients with asymptomatic COVID-19)

	All (n=155)	Functional decline or death [FDG] (n=95)	Non-functional decline [Non-FDG] (n=60)	P value
Age (years), median (IQR)	79.0 (72.0–85.5)	83.0 (76.0-88.0)	73.0 (70.0–79.0)	< 0.001
Female, n (%)	76 (49.0)	56 (58.9)	20 (33.3)	0.003
Dementia, n (%)	64 (41.3)	56 (58.9)	8 (13.3)	< 0.001
Comorbidities (≥2) ^a , n (%)	66 (42.6)	43 (45.3)	23 (38.3)	0.410
BI score before COVID-19 onset, median (IQR)	100 (70–100)	85 (50–100)	100 (100–100)	< 0.001
100 (independent), n (%)	96 (61.9)	39 (41.1)	57 (95.0)	< 0.001
75–95 (mildly dependent), n (%)	19 (12.3)	18 (18.9)	1 (1.7)	
25-70 (moderately-to-severely dependent), n (%)	26 (16.8)	26 (27.3)	0 (0.0)	
<25 (very severely dependent), n (%)	14 (9.0)	12 (12.6)	2 (3.3)	
Serum albumin level on admission, median (IQR) ^b	3.4 (3.2–3.7)	3.3 (3.1–3.6)	3.5 (3.2–3.8)	0.026
Serum CRP level on admission, median (IQR)	5.8 (1.4–10.9)	5.8 (1.4–11.8)	5.6 (1.5–9.8)	0.731
Plasma D-dimer level on admission, median (IQR) ^c	1.4 (0.9–2.5)	1.5 (1.0–2.8)	1.0 (0.8–2.2)	0.005
GNRI on admission, median (IQR) ^d	98.7 (92.4–107.0)	96.9 (88.7–103.1)	103.3 (95.2–109.3)	0.001
Severity of COVID-19 on admission				
Asymptomatic, n (%)	9 (5.8)	6 (6.3)	3 (5.0)	0.510
Mild, n (%)	17 (11.0)	9 (9.5)	8 (13.3)	
Moderate, n (%)	14 (9.0)	7 (7.4)	7 (11.7)	
Severe, n (%)	91 (58.7)	55 (57.9)	36 (60.0)	
Critical, n (%)	24 (15.5)	18 (18.9)	6 (10.0)	

Table S2. Demographic and clinical characteristics of the study patients, including survivors and those who died

Duration from the onset of COVID-19 to admission (days), median (IQR) ^e	3.0 (2.0-7.0)	2.0 (1.0-5.0)	6.0 (3.0–9.0)	< 0.001
Route of admission				
Admission from LTC hospitals/facilities, n (%)	44 (28.4)	42 (44.2)	2 (3.3)	< 0.001
Admission from home, n (%)	111 (71.6)	53 (55.8)	58 (96.7)	

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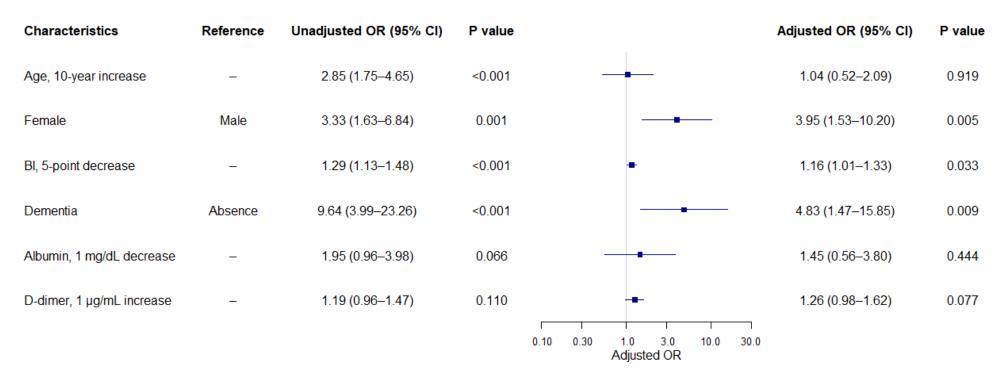
e. Data unavailable in eight patients: five in the FDG and three in the non-FDG (mainly patients with asymptomatic COVID-19)

		Functional decline [FDG]	Non-functional decline [Non-FDG]	P value
Study patients without very severe functional impairment before	coronavirus disease 2019 onset			
Ν		63	58	
Highest severity of COVID-19 during hospitalization	Asymptomatic, n (%)	4 (6.3)	2 (3.4)	0.113
	Mild, n (%)	4 (6.3)	7 (12.1)	
	Moderate, n (%)	4 (6.3)	6 (10.3)	
	Severe, n (%)	32 (50.8)	36 (62.1)	
	Critical, n (%)	19 (30.2)	7 (12.1)	
Rehabilitation during the hospitalization, n (%)		31 (49.2)	25 (43.1)	< 0.001
Length of stay (days), median (IQR)		17.0 (11.5–35.5)	11.0 (8.0–15.0)	< 0.001
Admission from home but discharge to LTC hospitals/facilitie	es, n (% of patients admitted from home)	24 / 40 (60.0)	2 / 57 (3.5)	< 0.001
Study patients including survivors and those who died				
Ν		95	60	
Highest severity of COVID-19 during hospitalization	Asymptomatic, n (%)	5 (5.3)	3 (5.0)	0.001
	Mild, n (%)	6 (6.3)	7 (11.7)	
	Moderate, n (%)	4 (4.2)	7 (11.7)	
	Severe, n (%)	38 (40.0)	36 (60.0)	
	Critical, n (%)	42 (44.2)	7 (11.7)	
Rehabilitation during the hospitalization, n (%)		72 (75.8)	25 (41.7)	< 0.001
Length of stay (days), median (IQR)		16.0 (12.0–28.5)	11.0 (8.0–15.3)	< 0.001
Admission from home but discharge to LTC hospitals/facili	ties, n (% of patients admitted from home)	24 / 53 (45.3)	3 / 58 (5.2)	< 0.001

Table S3. Clinical courses and outcomes in the study patients including the sensitivity analyses

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BI, Barthel Index; OR, odds ratio

Figure S2. Associations between the demographic and clinical characteristics at admission and a greater risk of functional decline in patients without very severe functional impairment before coronavirus disease 2019 onset

Characteristics	Reference	Unadjusted OR (95% CI)	P value		Adjusted OR (95% CI)	P value
Age, ≥80 years	<80 years	5.46 (2.43–12.26)	<0.001		1.54 (0.46–5.17)	0.484
Female	Male	3.83 (1.80–8.13)	0.001		3.59 (1.30–9.90)	0.014
BI, <100	100	58.84 (7.67–451.53)	<0.001	>	41.66 (4.50–385.33)	0.001
Dementia	Absence	10.83 (4.06–28.88)	<0.001		2.94 (0.76–11.43)	0.119
Albumin, <3.3 mg/dL	≥3.3 mg/dL	1.64 (0.78–3.44)	0.198		1.69 (0.58–4.90)	0.337
D-dimer, ≥1.0 µg/mL	<1.0 µg/mL	2.61 (1.22–5.59)	0.015	0.10 0.30 1.0 3.0 10.0 30.0 Adjusted OR	4.11 (1.28–13.23)	0.018

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Figure S3. Associations between the demographic and clinical characteristics at admission and a greater risk of functional decline or death in patients, including survivors and those who died

Characteristics	Reference	Unadjusted OR (95% CI)	P value		Adjusted OR (95% CI)	P value
Age, ≥80 years	<80 years	5.15 (2.49–10.65)	<0.00 <mark>1</mark>		1.91 (0.70–5.20)	0.204
Female	Male	2.87 (1.46–5.64)	0.003		2.29 (0.97-5.42)	0.060
BI, <100	100	26.13 (7.63–89.41)	<0.001	>	15.20 (3.84–60.22)	<0.001
Dementia	Absence	9.33 (3.99–21.82)	<0.001		1.93 (0.60–6.17)	0.268
Albumin, <3.3 mg/dL	≥3.3 mg/dL	1.50 (0.77–2.93)	0.245	_ -	1.12 (0.46–2.74)	0.803
D-dimer, ≥1.0 µg/mL	<1.0 µg/mL	2.79 (1.39–5.58)	0.005	0.10 0.30 1.0 3.0 10.0 30.0	3.36 (1.29–8.73)	0.013
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