

**Figure S2. Plasma periostin in the surgical and non-surgical patients**

*No differences were observed between the surgical and non-surgical patients in both Crohn’s disease and ulcerative colitis. A) Crohn’s disease (CD)- Plasma periostin in patients who underwent surgery and the rest who did not have surgery B) Ulcerative colitis (UC)- Plasma periostin levels in the surgical and non-surgical groups.*