**S2 Table.**

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| **Variablesa** | **Codingb** |
| Body mass index (BMI), calculated as:(weight in kg)/(height in m)² | Under/normal weight: <25 / overweight: 25-30 / obese: ≥30 |
| Blood pressure regulating drugs prescription includes: beta-adrenoceptor blocking drugs, thiazides and related diuretics, adrenergic neurone blocking drugs, alpha-adrenoceptor blocking drugs, angiotensin-converting enzyme inhibitors, angiotensin-II receptor antagonists, centrally acting antihypertensive drugs, drugs affecting the renin-angiotensin system, drugs related to hypertension and heart failure, renin inhibitors, vasodilator antihypertensive drugs, and calcium-channel blockers | No/yes |
| Chronic kidney disease stages 3-5 diagnosis (GFR<60mL/min) | No/yes |
| Diabetes mellitus  | No/yes |
| Hypercholesterolaemia or a total cholesterol reading of greater than 5mmol/L | No/yes |
| Hypertension diagnosis or a blood pressure of greater than 90/140mmHg | No/yes |
| Lipid-lowering therapy prescription includes a type of statin or one of the following: colesevelam, colestipol, colestyramine, ezetimibe, bezafibrate, ciprofibrate, clofibrate, fenofibrate, gemfibrozil, acipimox, nicotinic acid, and omega-3-triglycerides including other esters and acids |  |
| Sex  | Female/male  |
| Smoking status  | No/ex/yes |
| Socioeconomic status measured by Mosaic, a consumer classification that captures demographics, lifestyles, and behaviours of people on postcode level | Ten categories, see Table S3 in the Supplemental File |
| Statin prescription includes: atorvastatin, cerivastatin, fluvastatin, pravastatin, rosuvastatin, or simvastatin | No/yes |
| Year of birth category  | 1920-25 / 1926-29 / 1930-35 / 1936-40  |