

**Supplementary Table 4. Relative risks of cardiovascular events in hypertensive group compared with non-hypertensive group over time.**

Group	Relative risk (from the baseline) (95% CI)					
	6 months	1 year	2 years	3 years	5 years	10 years
Heart failure	7.2 (4.2–12.3)	7.6 (5.6–10.2)	6.1 (5.1–7.5)	5.3 (4.5–6.2)	4.4 (3.9–5.0)	3.3 (3.0–3.6)
Myocardial infarction	28.3 (14.7–54.7)	27.7 (19.2–39.9)	19.9 (15.4–25.7)	12.2 (9.8–15.1)	7.3 (6.1–8.7)	3.7 (3.2–4.3)
PAD	1.9 (1.1–3.2)	1.5 (1.0–2.0)	1.4 (1.1–1.8)	1.3 (1.1–1.5)	1.2 (1.0–1.4)	1.0 (0.9–1.1)
Hemorrhagic stroke	2.2 (0.5–10.3)	1.9 (0.8–4.5)	1.7 (0.9–3.1)	1.7 (1.1–2.6)	1.5 (1.1–2.1)	1.5 (1.2–1.8)
Ischemic stroke	23.3 (6.0–90.2)	19.0 (8.8–40.8)	17.3 (10.2–29.2)	9.8 (6.3–15.1)	5.5 (3.7–7.9)	3.2 (2.3–4.4)
ESRD	-	60.0 (13.4–268.0)	43.3 (17.8–105.2)	35.5 (18.2–69.2)	33.2 (20.6–53.4)	17.0 (12.7–22.8)

CI, confidential interval; PAD, peripheral artery disease; ESRD, end stage renal disease.