S4 Table. Estimated odds ratios (exp(regression slope coefficients)) from the main-effects multinomial LR model. The estimates indicate how a unit increase in the covariate is associated with the odds of belonging to a particular mRS level, keeping other covariates fixed. OR = 1 means that the covariate is not associated with odds of the corresponding mRS level, OR > 1 means that there is increased occurrence of the corresponding mRS level as the covariate increases (or at that level of covariate), and OR < 1 indicates that the corresponding mRS level is less likely to occur as the covariate increases (or at that level of covariate).

| Covariates / Coefficients | mRS level | | |
|--|--|--|--|
| | 0: Independent | 1: Dependent | 2: Dead |
| Age | 0.958 | 1.004 | 1.040 |
| Sex | 1.125 | 0.820 | 1.085 |
| Inpatient at time of Stroke Yes Unknown | 0.454 1.000 | 0.885 0.936 | 2.491 1.069 |
| Hour of Admission 040000to075959 Yes Unknown 080000to115959 Yes Unknown 120000to155959 Yes Unknown 160000to195959 Yes Unknown 200000to235959 Yes Unknown | 0.984 0.981 1.060 0.981 1.001 0.981 0.963 0.981 0.939 0.981 | 0.982 1.028 1.016 1.028 1.099 1.028 1.099 1.028 1.075 1.028 | 1.035 0.991 0.928 0.991 0.909 0.991 0.945 0.991 0.992 0.991 |
| Day of week of Admission Monday Yes Unknown Tuesday Yes Unknown Wednesday Yes | 1.059 1.366 1.055 1.366 1.054 | 0.983 1.246 0.964 1.246 0.987 | 0.960 0.588 0.983 0.588 0.961 |

| Covariates / Coefficients | mRS level | | |
|--|----------------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | 0: Independent | 1: Dependent | 2: Dead |
| Unknown Thursday Yes Unknown | 1.366 | 1.246 | 0.588 |
| | 1.069 1.366 | 0.959 1.246 | 0.976 0.588 |
| Friday Yes Unknown | 1.045 1.366 | 0.950 1.246 | 1.007 0.588 |
| Saturday Yes Unknown | 1.020 1.366 | 0.961 1.246 | 1.020 0.588 |
| Hypertension Yes Unknown | 1.000 0.888 | 1.023 0.999 | 0.977 1.127 |
| Atrial Fibrillation (AF) Yes Unknown | 0.890 0.670 | 0.990 0.850 | 1.135 1.757 |
| <i>Diabetes</i> Yes Unknown | 0.712 1.222 | 1.156 0.780 | 1.214 1.049 |
| Previous Stroke-TIA Yes Unknown | 0.807 1.020 | 1.149 1.043 | 1.078 0.940 |
| Prior-anticoagulation Yes Unknown | 0.912 0.578 | 1.003 1.135 | 1.094 1.524 |
| Prior mRS 3 4 5 Unknown | 0.247 0.088 0.021 0.207 | 2.006 2.487 3.960 1.238 | 2.019 4.579 12.167 3.897 |
| NIHSS at admission | 0.882 | 1.005 | 1.128 |
| Type of Stroke: Haemorrhage Unknown | 0.541 0.882 | 1.006 0.805 | 1.838 1.407 |
| Smoking Yes Unknown | 0.768 0.799 | 1.098 0.938 | 1.186 1.334 |
| <i>Lipid</i> Yes Unknown | 1.147 1.037 | 0.984 0.609 | 0.886 1.585 |

| Covariates / Coefficients | mRS level | | |
|---|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| | 0: Independent | 1: Dependent | 2: Dead |
| <i>Wake-up Stroke</i> Yes Unknown | 1.021 0.629 | 1.041 1.148 | 0.941 1.386 |
| Stroke Alert Yes Unknown | 1.338 1.143 | 0.972 1.018 | 0.769 0.859 |
| Ambulance Yes Unknown | 0.574 0.829 | 1.154 1.129 | 1.508 1.068 |