## Appendix

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	All Enrolled	Completed core	Completed after
	N=1003	N=816	core
			N=578
Age	52.3 +/- 11.6*	53.4 +/- 11.5*	54.6 +/- 10.6*
BMI	36.3 +/- 7.1	35.9 +/- 7.0*	35.1 +/- 6.6*
Female	80 (805/1001)	80 (651/816)	78 (452/576)
Diagnosed hypertension	47 (450/967)	47 (374/793)	49 (275/560)
Elevated blood pressure <sup>†</sup> at	61 (576/943)	61 (473/771)	59 (319/542)
intake			
Diagnosed dyslipidemia	44 (408/918)	46 (354/760)*	50 (271/538)*
Pre-diabetes/IGT/IFG	53 (423/795)	54 (363/673)	54 (256/477)
History of gestational	6 (50/797)	6 (37/609)	6 (28/448)
diabetes			
History of giving birth to a	16 (125/796)	16 (101/646)	18 (78/448)
baby $\geq$ 9 lbs			
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Table. Characteristics of participants completing the core and after core lifestyle intervention, Montana 2008-2010.

Data are % (n) or means +/- SD. \*P < 0.05. T-tests were used to calculate difference between means, and chi-square tests were used to calculate differences between proportions. <sup>†</sup>Systolic blood pressure > 130 mmHg and/or diastolic blood pressure > 85 mmHg.