

Table e-1. Cox Proportional Hazards Models Relating Cholesterol in 1968 to Mortality Over 32 Years in the PPSW

Serum Cholesterol	HR (95% CI) Unadjusted	HR (95% CI) Model 1 ^a	HR (95% CI) Model 2 ^b
<i>Person years = 41,440 (n = 515 deaths)</i>			
> 6.5 mmol/l	1.80 (1.49-2.17)	1.28 (1.05-1.56)	1.22 (1.00-1.49)
Quartile 1 (ref)	1.00 (ref)	1.00 (ref)	1.00 (ref)
Quartile 2	1.45 (1.10-1.91)	1.21 (0.91-1.60)	1.18 (0.89-1.56)
Quartile 3	1.81 (1.38-2.38)	1.27 (0.96-1.68)	1.20 (0.91-1.60)
Quartile 4	2.42 (1.87-3.14)	1.41 (1.07-1.85)	1.29 (0.97-1.70)

Abbreviations: HR = hazard ratio; CI = confidence interval

^aModel 1 stratifies by age

^bModel 2 controls for education, diastolic blood pressure, body mass index, and smoking status in 1968, and stratifies by age