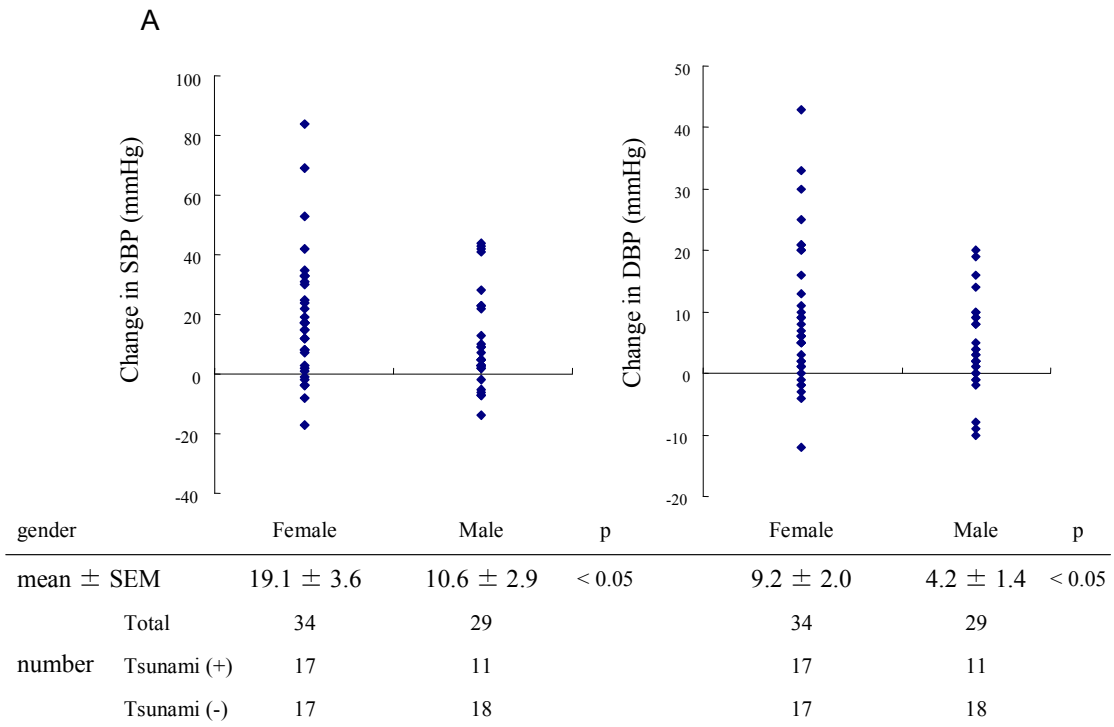


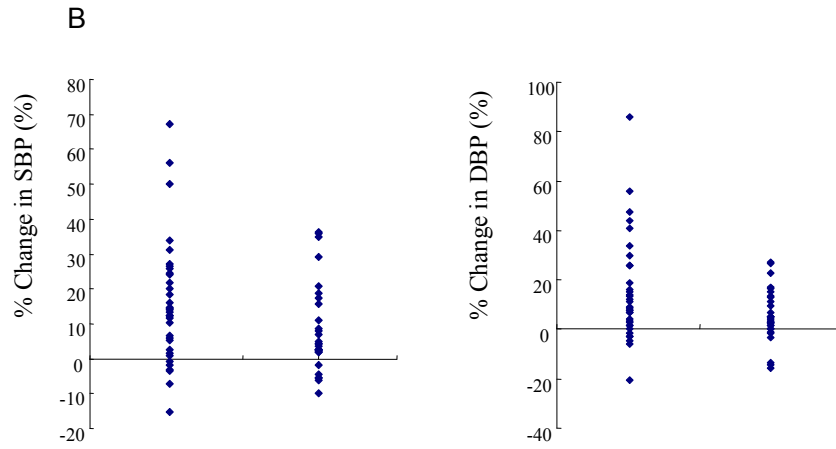
Supplementary figure 7 (S7)

This figure compares, by gender, the absolute changes (A) and percentage changes (%) in systolic blood pressure (SBP) and diastolic blood pressure (DBP) that occurred due to the earthquake. Women demonstrated major and significant absolute changes as well as % changes in both SBP and DBP. It is clear that blood pressure in women rose far more dramatically after the earthquake than in men.

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gender	Female	Male	p	Female	Male	p
mean \pm SEM	15.8 \pm 3.0	8.4 \pm 2.3	< 0.05	15.0 \pm 3.5	5.7 \pm 2.0	< 0.01
number						
Total	34	29		34	29	
Tsunami (+)	17	11		17	11	
Tsunami (-)	17	18		17	18	