Supplemental Table 1: Baseline characteristics of study population included in the primary cardiovascular outcomes analysis (n=18,036).

	Resistant	Non-Resistant	
<u>Characteristic</u>	N=2,521	N=15,515	p-value
Gender			<0.01
Male	49.8%	44.4%	
Race			<0.01
Black	8.1%	8.7%	
Missing	14.2%	13.8%	
Other	19.0%	23.6%	
White	58.7%	53.9%	
Age*	57.8 (57.4-58.3)	56.6 (56.4-56.8)	<0.01
Baseline Systolic BP*	153.8 (153.1-154.5)	145.1 (144.9-145.4)	<0.01
Baseline Diastolic BP*	85.7 (85.2-86.2)	83.5 (83.3-83.7)	<0.01
Body Mass Index*	31.5 (31.2-31.9)	30.3 (30.0-30.6)	<0.01
Current smoker			
Yes	10.9%	10.1%	0.21
Site			0.04
Kaiser Northern California	95.7%	96.6%	
Kaiser Colorado	4.3%	3.4%	
Year of hypertension			
registry entry			<0.01
2000	2.7%	2.1%	
2001	15.7%	17.0%	
2002	37.8%	33.5%	
2003	20.5%	21.5%	
2004	11.9%	13.3%	
2005	6.9%	8.2%	

2006	4.5%	4.4%		
Baseline co-morbidities				
Albuminuria	0.3%	0.2%	0.27	
Alcohol abuse	4.0%	3.4%	0.13	
Angina	0.5%	0.6%	0.69	
Asthma	9.2%	12.5%	<0.01	
Atrial fibrillation	1.9%	1.1%	<0.01	
Bipolar	0.8%	0.8%	0.86	
Diabetes	16.4%	8.2%	<0.01	
Depression	9.8%	14.0%	<0.01	
Drug abuse	9.8%	14.0%	<0.01	
Peripheral Vascular Disease	0.8%	0.8%	0.81	
Sleep apnea	2.2%	2.2%	0.85	
Baseline Hypertension Medications				
Beta Blockers	77.7%	65.4%	<0.01	
ACE/ARB	67.9%	68.6%	0.43	
All Diuretics	93.1%	93.3%	0.66	
K-sparing Diuretics	36.7%	38.2%	0.16	
Calcium Channel Blocker	28.0%	22.6%	<0.01	
Alpha Adrenergic Blocker	8.2%	6.7%	<0.01	
Peripheral Vasodilators	0.6%	0.3%	0.05	

^{*}Continuous variables are presented as mean and 95% confidence interval.