

**ESM Table 2** White cell counts by inclusion and exclusion status after controlling for cigarette smoking

	Not included	Included	p value
n	198	866	-
White cells ( $\times 10^9/L$ ) <sup>a</sup>	5.70 $\pm$ 0.11	5.53 $\pm$ 0.06	0.187
Neutrophils ( $\times 10^9/L$ ) <sup>a</sup>	3.33 $\pm$ 0.10	3.23 $\pm$ 0.03	0.444
Lymphocytes ( $\times 10^9/L$ ) <sup>a</sup>	1.66 $\pm$ 0.04	1.67 $\pm$ 0.02	0.867
Monocytes ( $\times 10^9/L$ ) <sup>a</sup>	0.33 $\pm$ 0.01	0.30 $\pm$ 0.01	0.012
Neutrophil-to-lymphocyte ratio <sup>a</sup>	1.095 $\pm$ 0.005	1.090 $\pm$ 0.002	0.367

Data are n or mean  $\pm$  SEM

All results adjusted for age, sex, race/ethnicity, and clinic

<sup>a</sup> Results adjusted for log<sub>e</sub>-transformed the number of cigarettes currently smoked per day.