Supplemental Figure 1: Cross-Sectional Association of BMI with Continuous hs-cTnT Levels in Linear Spline Model

Adjusted for age, sex, race, smoking status, diabetes mellitus, hypertension, LDL-C, HDL-C, triglycerides, alcohol intake, NT-proBNP and estimated GFR

Supplemental Figure 2. Prospective Association of Continuous hs-cTnT with Incident HF in Restricted Cubic Spline Model

Adjusted for age, sex, race, smoking status, diabetes mellitus, hypertension, LDL-C, HDL-C, triglycerides, alcohol intake, NT-proBNP and estimated GFR

Supplemental Table 1: Incidence Rates and Hazard Ratios for Incident HF Associated with

Higher BMI and hs-cTnT Categories

		Normal	Overweight	Obese	Severely	p value
		Weight			Obese	per 5-
		(N=2,448)	(N=3,800)	(N=2,118)	(N=1,141)	point
						higher
						BMI
	Incidence	3.14	3.16	4.96	7.26	
	Rate*					
Undetectable						< 0.001
hs-cTnT						
	HR†	1.00	0.99	1.58	2.19	
	(95% CI)	Reference	(0.64-1.53)	(0.99-2.52)	(1.33-3.62)	
	Incidence	5.99	7.12	8.61	17.12	
	Rate*					
Measurable						< 0.001
hs-cTnT						
	HR†	1.69	1.97	2.30	4.16	
	(95% CI)	(1.14-2.52)	(1.36-2.87)	(1.56-3.39)	(2.82-6.15)	

	Incidence Rate*	26.57	29.20	32.70	40.55	
High						< 0.05
hs-cTnT						
	HR†	6.10	5.58	6.76	9.20	
	(95% CI)	(3.61-10.32)	(3.58-8.70)	(4.29-10.65)	(5.67-14.93)	

Crude incidence rates and adjusted hazard ratios for incident HF associated with higher BMI within each hs-cTnT category. Note that each 5-point higher increment of BMI was associated with increased HF risk among individuals with undetectable (p<0.001), measurable (p<0.001) and high hs-cTnT (p<0.05).

*Incident HF events per 1,000 person-years

+Adjusted for age, sex, race, smoking status, diabetes mellitus, hypertension, LDL-C, HDL-C, triglycerides, alcohol intake, NT-proBNP and estimated GFR