

**Appendix V. Hazard Ratios for Hispanic Adults, United States 1998-2006**

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4
Duration of stay (15 or more years)				
Less than 5 years	0.62 *			0.59 **
5–14 years	0.88			0.85 †
U.S.-born	1.27 ***			1.35 ***
Naturalized U.S. citizen			1.19 **	0.94
Male · Naturalized U.S. citizen				
Language of interview (English only)				
Spanish		1.01		1.18 **
Dual language		0.89 †		1.00
Language unknown		0.90		0.96
National origin (Mexican)				
Puerto Rican	1.21 ***	1.14 †	1.09	1.27 **
Cuban	1.16	1.00	1.02	1.12
Other Hispanic	0.83 **	0.77 **	0.78 ***	0.83 **
Male (female)	1.57 ***	1.56 ***	1.57 ***	1.56 ***
Schooling (more than high school degree)				
Less than high school	1.31 ***	1.23 **	1.27 ***	1.27 ***
High school degree	1.19 *	1.19 *	1.19 *	1.19 *
Unknown schooling	0.94	0.88	0.91	0.93
Below poverty line	1.25 ***	1.23 ***	1.24 ***	1.23 ***
Missing	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Homeowner	0.83 ***	0.87 **	0.85 **	0.83 ***
Smoking status				
Former smoker	1.28 ***	1.28 **	1.28 ***	1.28
Current smoker	1.76 **	1.81 ***	1.81 **	1.76
Missing	2.51 **	2.49 **	2.50 **	2.54
Drinking status (never drinker)				
Former drinker	1.32 **	1.35 **	1.35 **	1.33 **
Current light/moderate drinker	0.78 **	0.79 **	0.79 **	0.79 **
Current heavy drinker	1.61 *	1.67 *	1.66 *	1.62 *
Missing	0.62	0.65	0.64	0.65

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Body Mass Index ("healthy" weight)				
Underweight	1.35	1.29	1.33	1.33
Overweight	0.86 *	0.86 *	0.86 †	0.85 *
Obese class 1	0.88	0.89	0.90	0.88
Obese class 2	1.03	1.07	1.05	1.03
Obese class 3	1.26 *	1.24 *	1.24 *	1.24 *
Not in adult sample	1.21 *	1.21 *	1.21 *	1.22

Source: 1998-2004 National Health Interview Surveys Linked Mortality File through 2006.

Note: referent in parentheses.

N=73,369 (2,234 deaths) for all models.

†  $p \leq .10$ . \*  $p \leq .05$  \*\*  $p \leq .01$  \*\*\*  $p \leq .001$