

**S7 Table. Associations between inflammatory biomarkers and focal carotid plaque, by HIV serostatus (n=728)**

Biomarker	HIV infected (N=452)						HIV uninfected (N=276)						Interaction term Model C (P-Value)	
	Model B*		Model C†		Model D‡		Model B*		Model C†					
	aOR (95% CI)	P-value	aOR (95% CI)	P-value	aOR (95% CI)	P-value	aOR (95% CI)	P-value	aOR (95% CI)	P-value				
sCD163	<b>2.89</b> [1.39, 6.00]	<0.01	<b>2.62</b> [1.15, 5.97]	0.02	<b>3.39</b> [1.36, 8.48]	<b>0.01</b>	1.09 [0.39, 3.06]	0.87	1.26 [0.35, 4.57]	0.72	0.29			
sCD14	1.29 [0.61, 2.72]	0.51	1.00 [0.44, 2.28]	1.00	1.03 [0.43, 2.44]	0.95	3.71 [0.74, 18.59]	0.11	4.91 [0.84, 28.82]	0.08	0.21			
ICAM-1	1.08 [0.55, 2.12]	0.82	0.77 [0.36, 1.65]	0.50	0.74 [0.33, 1.66]	0.47	<b>6.48</b> [2.34, 17.94]	<0.001	<b>6.8</b> [2.15, 21.54]	<0.01	<0.001			
CCL2	<b>4.2</b> [1.93, 9.11]	<0.001	<b>3.24</b> [1.45, 7.24]	<0.01	<b>3.12</b> [1.37, 7.10]	<b>0.01</b>	2.12 [0.80, 5.61]	0.13	2.93 [0.98, 8.78]	0.06	0.87			
CRP	<b>2.06</b> [1.03, 4.09]	0.04	2.05 [0.98, 4.28]	0.06	<b>2.26</b> [1.05, 4.89]	<b>0.04</b>	2.36 [0.87, 6.35]	0.09	3.23 [0.97, 10.82]	0.06	0.58			
IL-6	1.86 [0.91, 3.77]	0.09	1.59 [0.73, 3.45]	0.24	1.37 [0.61, 3.07]	0.44	2.35 [0.89, 6.18]	0.08	<b>3.15</b> [1.01, 9.81]	<b>0.05</b>	0.34			
sTNF-αR1	1.19 [0.62, 2.28]	0.61	0.68 [0.33, 1.44]	0.32	0.56 [0.26, 1.21]	0.14	0.59 [0.21, 1.65]	0.31	0.82 [0.25, 2.63]	0.73	0.74			
sTNF-αR2	<b>2.03</b> [1.02, 4.03]	<b>0.04</b>	1.54 [0.72, 3.29]	0.26	1.56 [0.70, 3.51]	0.28	0.73 [0.25, 2.13]	0.57	0.71 [0.22, 2.32]	0.57	0.33			
Fibrinogen	1.38 [0.72, 2.63]	0.33	1.29 [0.64, 2.60]	0.48	1.36 [0.65, 2.87]	0.42	<b>3.70</b> [1.12, 12.23]	<b>0.03</b>	<b>4.09</b> [1.10, 15.18]	<b>0.04</b>	0.16			
D-dimer	0.98 [0.52, 1.84]	0.95	0.92 [0.47, 1.80]	0.80	1.01 [0.50, 2.05]	0.97	1.13 [0.43, 2.98]	0.81	0.76 [0.26, 2.19]	0.61	0.72			

Abbreviations: sCD163, cluster of differentiation 163; sCD14, cluster of differentiation 14; CCL2, chemokine (C-C motif) ligand 2; ICAM-1, intercellular cell adhesion molecule-1; CRP, C reactive protein; IL-6, interleukin-6; sTNF-αR1, tumor necrosis factor-alpha receptor 1; sTNF-αR2, tumor necrosis factor-alpha receptor 2. Results presented as adjusted odds ratio (95% CI), bolded results are statistically significant ( $p < 0.05$ ).

\*Model B: Adjusted for age, race, baseline education, center, cohort.

†Model C: Adjusted for variables in model B along with cumulative pack years, alcohol consumption since last visit, HCV, BMI, SBP (per 10mm Hg), total cholesterol (per 5mg/dl), HDL (5mg/dl), glucose levels (per 10 mg/dl), and use of medication for hypertension, diabetes and high cholesterol.

‡Model D: Adjusted for variables in Model C along with HIV specific factors, CD4 count, CD4 nadir, diagnosis of AIDS, virologically unsuppressed in the past 5 years.