

**Supplementary Table 1. Baseline characteristics at initiation of study**

Characteristic	Number	Value
Age, yr	383	56.4 ± 13.1
Male sex	383	252 (65.8)
ESRD cause	383	
Diabetic		162 (47.1)
Non-diabetic		182 (52.9)
Body mass index, kg/m <sup>2</sup>	383	24.6 ± 3.6
Systolic blood pressure, mmHg	382	129.5 ± 14.6
Diastolic blood pressure, mmHg	382	75.7 ± 9.9
Serum Cr, mg/dL	383	2.82 ± 0.67
eGFR, mL/min/1.73 m <sup>2</sup>	383	26.84 ± 7.19
Urinary protein, g/g Cr	375	2.11 ± 2.32
Hemoglobin, g/dL	382	11.4 ± 1.8
Albumin, g/dL	379	3.99 ± 0.45
Uric acid, mg/dL	382	8.34 ± 1.88
LDL, mg/dL	327	92.4 ± 34.6
C-reactive protein, mg/dL	365	0.67 ± 2.71
Renalase, µg/mL	383	75.8 ± 34.8

Values are presented as mean ± SD or number (%).

ESRD, end stage renal disease; Cr, creatinine; eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate; LDL, low density lipoprotein.