

**Appendix A.** Predictors used in all the different models.

**Predictors in Model A1:**

AGE\_DX, YEAR\_DX, GENDER, STAGE, RACEHISP, MARRIED, INSURANCE, CIGARETTE, TRT\_SURGERY, TRT\_RADIATION, TRT\_CHEMO, TRT\_HORMONE

**Predictors in Model A2:**

Predictors in A1 + FL\_RPL\_1, FL\_RPL\_2, FL\_RPL\_3, FL\_RPL\_4, RUCA, AVGSMK, AVGHALC, AVGPHLTH, PCPRATE

**Predictors in Model A3:**

For Breast cancer: Predictors in A2 + RACEHISP\*INSURANCE

For Lung cancer: Predictors in A2 + RACEHISP\*STAGE, RACEHISP\*MARRIED, RACEHISP\*FL\_RPL\_1

For Colon cancer: Predictors in A2 + RACEHISP\*STAGE, RACEHISP\*MARRIED

**Base predictors in Model B and C**

AGE\_DX, YEAR\_DX, GENDER, STAGE, RACEHISP, MARRIED, INSURANCE, CIGARETTE, TRT\_SURGERY, TRT\_RADIATION, TRT\_CHEMO, TRT\_HORMONE

**For Model B1:** Base predictors + RUCA\_B1

**For Model B2:** Base predictors + RUCA\_B2

**For Model B3:** Base predictors + RUCA\_B3

**For Model B4:** Base predictors + RUCA\_B4

**For Model C1:** Base predictors + NCHS\_C1

**Appendix B.** Hazard ratios from the cox models under scenario A.

Predictors	Breast	Lung	Colorectal
<b>Age at diagnosis</b>	<b>1.20 (1.15, 1.26)</b>	<b>1.17 (1.14, 1.19)</b>	<b>1.24 (1.19, 1.28)</b>
<b>Year of diagnosis</b>	<b>1.02 (1.01, 1.03)</b>	<b>1.00 (1.00, 1.01)</b>	<b>1.03 (1.02, 1.04)</b>
<b>Sex (Male vs. Female)</b>		<b>1.21 (1.17, 1.25)</b>	<b>1.12 (1.04, 1.21)</b>
<b>Stage of diagnosis</b>			
Reginal vs. Local	<b>4.35 (3.84, 4.93)</b>		
Distant vs. Local	<b>17.17 (14.73, 20.03)</b>		
Unknown vs. Local	<b>5.83 (4.97, 6.85)</b>		

<b>Race-ethnicity</b>			
NHB vs. NHW			
Hispanics vs. NHW			
<b>Marital status</b>			
Married vs. Single	0.79 (0.72, 0.87)		
Unknown vs. Single	0.59 (0.46, 0.76)		
<b>Insurance</b>			
Private vs. None		0.74 (0.67, 0.83)	0.69 (0.54, 0.87)
Medicaid vs. None		0.88 (0.79, 0.99)	1.03 (0.79, 1.33)
Medicare vs. None		0.74 (0.67, 0.83)	0.75 (0.60, 0.94)
Medicare with supplement vs. None		0.68 (0.62, 0.76)	0.69 (0.55, 0.86)
Other vs. None		0.79 (0.71, 0.87)	0.88 (0.70, 1.12)
Unknown vs. None		1.49 (1.35, 1.66)	1.43 (1.14, 1.81)
<b>Smoking status</b>			
Former vs. Never	0.78 (0.68, 0.91)	1.21 (1.13, 1.30)	0.98 (0.89, 1.08)
Current vs. Never	1.27 (1.10, 1.46)	1.37 (1.27, 1.46)	1.13 (1.00, 1.28)
Unknown vs. Never	1.38 (1.24, 1.54)	1.48 (1.38, 1.58)	1.16 (1.06, 1.28)
<b>Treatment: Surgery</b>	0.41 (0.37, 0.47)	0.44 (0.42, 0.47)	0.46 (0.42, 0.51)
<b>Treatment: Radiation</b>	0.83 (0.74, 0.94)	0.93 (0.90, 0.96)	0.88 (0.71, 1.08)
<b>Treatment: Chemo therapy</b>	1.27 (1.14, 1.42)	0.80 (0.77, 0.83)	0.90 (0.82, 0.98)
<b>Treatment: Hormone therapy</b>	0.71 (0.61, 0.81)	0.79 (0.61, 1.04)	0.15 (0.04, 0.61)
<b>SVI: Socioeconomic status</b>	1.01 (0.99, 1.04)		1.01 (0.99, 1.03)
<b>SVI: Household composition</b>	0.99 (0.97, 1.01)	0.99 (0.98, 1.00)	1.00 (0.98, 1.02)

<b>and disability</b>			
<b>SVI: Minority status and language</b>	1.02 (0.99, 1.05)	1.00 (0.99, 1.01)	0.99 (0.96, 1.01)
<b>SVI: Housing and transportation</b>	1.02 (1.00, 1.04)	1.00 (0.99, 1.01)	1.03 (1.01, 1.05)
<b>Rurality</b>			
Urban vs. Rural	0.94 (0.82, 1.07)	1.01 (0.96, 1.06)	1.05 (0.94, 1.17)
Suburban vs. Rural	1.32 (1.11, 1.56)	1.13 (1.07, 1.20)	1.23 (1.07, 1.41)
Micropolitan vs. Rural	0.99 (0.82, 1.21)	1.16 (1.08, 1.24)	1.13 (0.97, 1.32)
Small town vs. Rural	1.14 (0.91, 1.42)	1.20 (1.11, 1.31)	1.35 (1.13, 1.62)
<b>County smoking rate</b>	1.04 (0.88, 1.23)	1.12 (1.05, 1.19)	1.25 (1.09, 1.43)
<b>County alcohol consumption rate</b>	0.56 (0.25, 1.24)	0.99 (0.75, 1.30)	1.43 (0.75, 2.72)
<b>County health status</b>	0.97 (0.95, 0.99)	0.98 (0.98, 0.99)	0.97 (0.95, 0.99)
<b>County PCP density</b>	1.00 (0.98, 1.02)	1.01 (1.00, 1.02)	1.02 (1.00, 1.04)
<b>Race by Insurance</b>			
Not insured, NHB vs. NHW	2.27 (1.45, 3.57)		
Not insured, Hispanics vs. NHW	0.25 (0.09, 0.68)		
Private, NHB vs. NHW	1.47 (1.10, 1.96)		
Medicaid, NHB vs. NHW	2.00 (1.47, 2.78)		
Other, NHB vs. NHW	2.17 (1.61, 3.03)		
<b>Race by Stage</b>			
Local, NHB vs NHW		1.31 (1.00, 1.73)	1.12 (0.77, 1.62)
Regional, NHB vs NHW		0.99 (0.79, 1.24)	1.24 (1.00, 1.53)

Distance, NHB vs NHW		1.09 (0.90, 1.33)	0.77 (0.64, 0.92)
Race by Marital status			
Single, NHB vs NHW		1.31 (1.00, 1.73)	1.12 (0.77, 1.62)
Married, NHB vs NHW		0.99 (0.79, 1.24)	1.24 (1.00, 1.53)
Unknown, NHB vs NHW		0.52 (0.29, 0.94)	1.03 (0.39, 2.72)
<b>SVI: Socioeconomic status by Race</b>			
NHW		1.02 (1.01, 1.03)	
NHB		0.99 (0.97, 1.02)	
Hispanics		1.03 (0.97, 1.09)	