Supplementary Materials
Table S1. General characteristics of study participants before and after coverage

|  |  | 65-74 |  |  |  |  |  | $\geq 75$ |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  | Total | Having denture |  | Not having denture |  | P | Total | Having denture |  | Not having denture |  | P |
|  |  | N | \% | N | \% | N |  |  | \% | N | \% |  |
| Before coverage(2011) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total |  |  | 4,997 | 2,319 | 46.4\% | 2,678 | 53.6\% |  | 3,507 | 1,381 | 39.4\% | 2,126 | 60.6\% |  |
| Gender | Male | 2,295 | 1,023 | 44.6\% | 1,272 | 55.4\% | 0.0474 | 1,320 | 499 | 37.8\% | 821 | 62.2\% | 0.7914 |
|  | Female | 2,702 | 1,296 | 48.0\% | 1,406 | 52.0\% |  | 2,187 | 882 | 40.3\% | 1,305 | 59.7\% |  |
| Living | City | 1,067 | 529 | 49.6\% | 538 | 50.4\% | <. 0001 | 567 | 257 | 45.3\% | 310 | 54.7\% | <. 0001 |
|  | Rural | 3,930 | 1,790 | 45.5\% | 2,140 | 54.5\% |  | 2,940 | 1,124 | 38.2\% | 1,816 | 61.8\% |  |
| Economic activity | Yes | 2,177 | 1,033 | 47.5\% | 1,144 | 52.5\% | 0.0310 | 375 | 333 | 88.8\% | 42 | 11.2\% | 0.0875 |
|  | No | 2,820 | 1,286 | 45.6\% | 1,534 | 54.4\% |  | 2,748 | 1,048 | 38.1\% | 1,700 | 61.9\% |  |
| Family Income | Q1 (Low) | 1,035 | 445 | 43.0\% | 590 | 57.0\% | 0.0238 | 1,131 | 424 | 37.5\% | 707 | 62.5\% | 0.2789 |
|  | Q2 | 1,171 | 532 | 45.4\% | 639 | 54.6\% |  | 780 | 300 | 38.5\% | 480 | 61.5\% |  |
|  | Q3 | 1,328 | 646 | 48.6\% | 682 | 51.4\% |  | 633 | 260 | 41.1\% | 373 | 58.9\% |  |
|  | Q4 (High) | 1,067 | 521 | 48.8\% | 546 | 51.2\% |  | 623 | 264 | 42.4\% | 359 | 57.6\% |  |
|  | N/A | 396 | 175 | 44.2\% | 221 | 55.8\% |  | 340 | 133 | 39.1\% | 207 | 60.9\% |  |
| Health Insurance coverage | Medical aid | 408 | 158 | 38.7\% | 250 | 61.3\% | <. 0001 | 417 | 135 | 32.4\% | 282 | 67.6\% | 0.0020 |
|  | NHI | 4,589 | 2,161 | 47.1\% | 2,428 | 52.9\% |  | 3,090 | 1,246 | 40.3\% | 1,844 | 59.7\% |  |
| Education | $\leq$ Elementary | 3,684 | 1,654 | 44.9\% | 2,030 | 55.1\% | <. 0001 | 2,969 | 1,108 | 37.3\% | 1,861 | 62.7\% | <. 0001 |
|  | $\leq$ Middle school | 609 | 308 | 50.6\% | 301 | 49.4\% |  | 205 | 96 | 46.8\% | 109 | 53.2\% |  |
|  | $\leq$ high school | 568 | 284 | 50.0\% | 284 | 50.0\% |  | 237 | 123 | 51.9\% | 114 | 48.1\% |  |
|  | $\geq$ college | 136 | 73 | 53.7\% | 63 | 46.3\% |  | 96 | 54 | 56.3\% | 42 | 43.8\% |  |
| Marital status | Never married | 29 | 10 | 34.5\% | 19 | 65.5\% | 0.0001 | 21 | 8 | 38.1\% | 13 | 61.9\% | $<.0001$ |
|  | Married | 3,435 | 1,623 | 47.2\% | 1,812 | 52.8\% |  | 1,590 | 655 | 41.2\% | 935 | 58.8\% |  |
|  | Non-partnered | 1,533 | 687 | 44.8\% | 846 | 55.2\% |  | 1,896 | 718 | 37.9\% | 1,178 | 62.1\% |  |
| Smoking | Yes | 2,081 | 966 | 46.4\% | 1,115 | 53.6\% | 0.7559 | 1,269 | 467 | 36.8\% | 802 | 63.2\% | 0.3070 |
|  | No | 2,916 | 1,353 | 46.4\% | 1,563 | 53.6\% |  | 2,238 | 914 | 40.8\% | 1,324 | 59.2\% |  |
| Drinking | Yes | 2,284 | 1,085 | 47.5\% | 1,199 | 52.5\% | 0.6459 | 1,093 | 470 | 43.0\% | 623 | 57.0\% | $<.0001$ |
|  | No | 2,713 | 1,234 | 45.5\% | 1,479 | 54.5\% |  | 2,414 | 911 | 37.7\% | 1,503 | 62.3\% |  |
| After coverage(2013) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total |  | 4,875 | 2,326 | 47.7\% | 2,549 | 52.3\% |  | 3,885 | 1,683 | 43.3\% | 2,202 | 56.7\% |  |
| Gender | M | 2,201 | 1,009 | 45.8\% | 1,192 | 54.2\% | 0.6129 | 1,495 | 617 | 41.3\% | 878 | 58.7\% | 0.2244 |
|  | F | 2,674 | 1,317 | 49.3\% | 1,357 | 50.7\% |  | 2,390 | 1,066 | 44.6\% | 1,324 | 55.4\% |  |
| Living | City | 1,113 | 591 | 53.1\% | 522 | 46.9\% | <. 0001 | 689 | 328 | 47.6\% | 361 | 52.4\% | 0.0002 |


|  | Rural | 3,762 | 1,735 | 46.1\% | 2,027 | 53.9\% |  | 3,196 | 1,355 | 42.4\% | 1,841 | 57.6\% | 0.0087 |
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| Economic activity | Yes | 2,165 | 1,061 | 49.0\% | 1,104 | 51.0\% | 0.2439 | 897 | 424 | 47.3\% | 473 | 52.7\% |  |
|  | No | 2,710 | 1,265 | 46.7\% | 1,445 | 53.3\% |  | 2,988 | 1,259 | 42.1\% | 1,729 | 57.9\% |  |
| Family Income | Q1 (Low) | 924 | 381 | 41.2\% | 543 | 58.8\% |  | 1,220 | 521 | 42.7\% | 699 | 57.3\% |  |
|  | Q2 | 1,106 | 531 | 48.0\% | 575 | 52.0\% |  | 929 | 400 | 43.1\% | 529 | 56.9\% |  |
|  | Q3 | 1,444 | 696 | 48.2\% | 748 | 51.8\% | <. 0001 | 753 | 334 | 44.4\% | 419 | 55.6\% | 0.8419 |
|  | Q4 (High) | 1,223 | 621 | 50.8\% | 602 | 49.2\% |  | 831 | 367 | 44.2\% | 464 | 55.8\% |  |
|  | N/A | 178 | 97 | 54.5\% | 81 | 45.5\% |  | 152 | 61 | 40.1\% | 91 | 59.9\% |  |
| Health Insurance coverage | Medical aid | 366 | 130 | 35.5\% | 236 | 64.5\% | <. 0001 | 365 | 142 | 38.9\% | 223 | 61.1\% | 0.0026 |
|  | NHI | 4,509 | 2,196 | 48.7\% | 2,313 | 51.3\% |  | 3,520 | 1,541 | 43.8\% | 1,979 | 56.2\% |  |
| Education | $\leq$ Elementary | 3,407 | 1,584 | 46.5\% | 1,823 | 53.5\% |  | 3,231 | 1,358 | 42.0\% | 1,873 | 58.0\% |  |
|  | $\leq$ Middle school | 669 | 339 | 50.7\% | 330 | 49.3\% | 0.0018 | 255 | 116 | 45.5\% | 139 | 54.5\% | <. 0001 |
|  | $\leq$ high school | 607 | 297 | 48.9\% | 310 | 51.1\% |  | 302 | 158 | 52.3\% | 144 | 47.7\% |  |
|  | $\geq$ college | 192 | 106 | 55.2\% | 86 | 44.8\% |  | 97 | 51 | 52.6\% | 46 | 47.4\% |  |
| Marital status | Never married | 37 | 11 | 29.7\% | 26 | 70.3\% | 0.1016 | 14 | 6 | 42.9\% | 8 | 57.1\% |  |
|  | Married | 3,264 | 1,573 | 48.2\% | 1,691 | 51.8\% |  | 1,831 | 815 | 44.5\% | 1,016 | 55.5\% | 0.0376 |
|  | Non-partnered | 1,574 | 741 | 47.1\% | 833 | 52.9\% |  | 2,040 | 862 | 42.3\% | 1,178 | 57.7\% |  |
| Smoking | Yes | 1,985 | 922 | 46.4\% | 1,063 | 53.6\% | 0.9633 | 1,440 | 601 | 41.7\% | 839 | 58.3\% | 0.4436 |
|  | No | 2,890 | 1,404 | 48.6\% | 1,486 | 51.4\% |  | 2,447 | 1,082 | 44.2\% | 1,365 | 55.8\% |  |
| Drinking | Yes | 2,193 | 1,104 | 50.3\% | 1,089 | 49.7\% | <. 0001 | 1,226 | 556 | 45.4\% | 670 | 54.6\% | 0.0002 |
|  | No | 2,682 | 1,222 | 45.6\% | 1,460 | 54.4\% |  | 2,661 | 1,127 | 42.4\% | 1,534 | 57.6\% |  |

