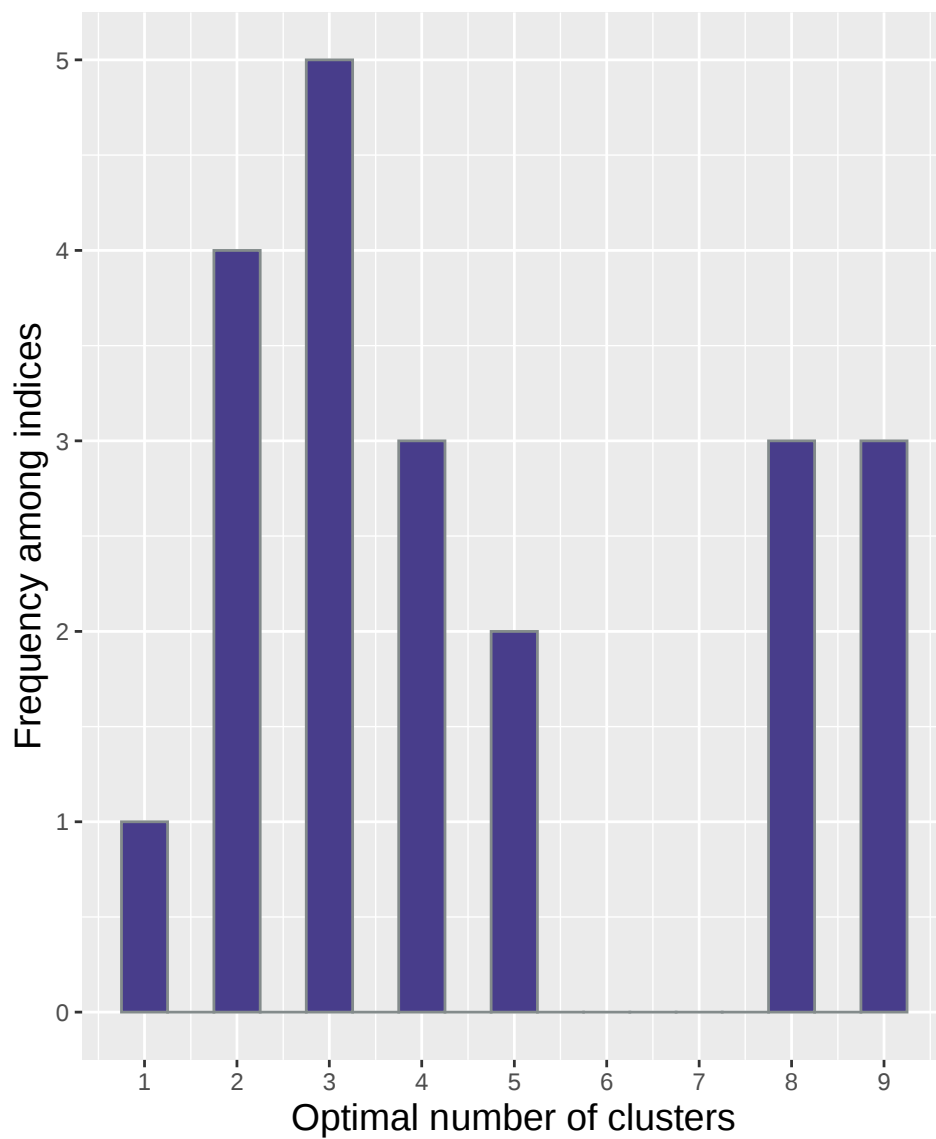


**Table S1.** List of diet variables derived to be used for k-means clustering analyses.

| <b>Variable</b>                                     | <b>Units</b> |
|-----------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| Average daily caloric intake                        | kcal/day     |
| Average daily protein intake                        | %kcal/day    |
| Average daily carbohydrate intake                   | %kcal/day    |
| Average daily sugar intake                          | %kcal/day    |
| Average daily fiber intake                          | g/1000kcal   |
| Average daily fat intake                            | %kcal/day    |
| Average daily saturated fat intake                  | %kcal/day    |
| Average eating occasions/day                        | #            |
| Breakfast frequency                                 | % (Yes)      |
| Lunch frequency                                     | % (Yes)      |
| Dinner frequency                                    | % (Yes)      |
| Late night snack frequency                          | % (Yes)      |
| Late night <i>and</i> early morning snack frequency | % (Yes)      |
| Average calories for breakfast                      | kcal         |
| Average calories for lunch                          | kcal         |
| Average calories for dinner                         | kcal         |
| Average calories for snacks                         | kcal         |
| Average protein for breakfast                       | %kcal/meal   |
| Average protein for lunch                           | %kcal/meal   |
| Average protein for dinner                          | %kcal/meal   |
| Average carbohydrate for breakfast                  | %kcal/meal   |
| Average carbohydrate for lunch                      | %kcal/meal   |
| Average carbohydrate for dinner                     | %kcal/meal   |
| Average sugar for breakfast                         | %kcal/meal   |
| Average sugar for lunch                             | %kcal/meal   |
| Average sugar for dinner                            | %kcal/meal   |
| Average fiber for breakfast                         | g/1000kcal   |
| Average fiber for lunch                             | g/1000kcal   |
| Average fiber for dinner                            | g/1000kcal   |
| Average fat for breakfast                           | %kcal/meal   |
| Average fat for lunch                               | %kcal/meal   |
| Average fat for dinner                              | %kcal/meal   |
| Average saturated fat for breakfast                 | %kcal/meal   |
| Average saturated fat for lunch                     | %kcal/meal   |
| Average saturated fat for dinner                    | %kcal/meal   |
| Breakfast irregularity score                        | %            |
| Lunch irregularity score                            | %            |
| Dinner irregularity score                           | %            |
| Daily caloric irregularity score                    | %            |
| Protein irregularity score                          | %            |
| Carbohydrate irregularity score                     | %            |
| Sugar irregularity score                            | %            |
| Fiber irregularity score                            | %            |
| Fat irregularity score                              | %            |
| Saturated fat irregularity score                    | %            |



**Figure S1.** Frequency of recommended number of clusters determined by 21 indices used in the R package NbClust. Used to determine optimal number of clusters for k-means clustering.

**Table S2.** Cluster assignments and silhouette coefficient for three-cluster solution to k-means clustering. Top hit variables are bolded.

| Variable                                            | Cluster  | Silhouette  |
|-----------------------------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| <b>Average daily saturated fat intake</b>           | <b>1</b> | <b>0.27</b> |
| <b>Average daily fat intake</b>                     | <b>1</b> | <b>0.26</b> |
| Average fat for lunch                               | 1        | 0.21        |
| Average saturated fat for lunch                     | 1        | 0.21        |
| Average saturated fat for dinner                    | 1        | 0.18        |
| Average fat for dinner                              | 1        | 0.17        |
| Average daily caloric intake                        | 1        | 0.16        |
| Average calories for lunch                          | 1        | 0.15        |
| Average calories for dinner                         | 1        | 0.14        |
| Average saturated fat for breakfast                 | 1        | 0.13        |
| Average calories for breakfast                      | 1        | 0.12        |
| Average fat for breakfast                           | 1        | 0.12        |
| Average calories for snacks                         | 1        | 0.06        |
| <b>Average daily carbohydrate intake</b>            | <b>2</b> | <b>0.22</b> |
| <b>Average daily sugar intake</b>                   | <b>2</b> | <b>0.19</b> |
| Average carbohydrate for breakfast                  | 2        | 0.14        |
| Average carbohydrate for dinner                     | 2        | 0.14        |
| Average daily fiber intake                          | 2        | 0.13        |
| Average carbohydrate for lunch                      | 2        | 0.12        |
| Average sugar for dinner                            | 2        | 0.11        |
| Average sugar for breakfast                         | 2        | 0.09        |
| Average sugar for lunch                             | 2        | 0.09        |
| Breakfast frequency                                 | 2        | 0.08        |
| Lunch frequency                                     | 2        | 0.07        |
| Average fiber for lunch                             | 2        | 0.06        |
| Average eating occasions/day                        | 2        | 0.06        |
| Dinner frequency                                    | 2        | 0.04        |
| Average fiber for dinner                            | 2        | 0.04        |
| Average fiber for breakfast                         | 2        | 0.03        |
| Late night snack frequency                          | 2        | 0.00        |
| Late night <i>and</i> early morning snack frequency | 2        | -0.01       |
| <b>Average daily protein intake</b>                 | <b>3</b> | <b>0.14</b> |
| <b>Carbohydrate irregularity score</b>              | <b>3</b> | <b>0.14</b> |
| Protein irregularity score                          | 3        | 0.11        |
| Daily caloric irregularity score                    | 3        | 0.11        |
| Fat irregularity score                              | 3        | 0.11        |
| Average protein for lunch                           | 3        | 0.10        |
| Sugar irregularity score                            | 3        | 0.10        |
| Fiber irregularity score                            | 3        | 0.10        |
| Saturated fat irregularity score                    | 3        | 0.09        |
| Average protein for dinner                          | 3        | 0.09        |
| Average protein for breakfast                       | 3        | 0.07        |
| Dinner irregularity score                           | 3        | 0.06        |
| Lunch irregularity score                            | 3        | 0.05        |
| Breakfast irregularity score                        | 3        | 0.00        |

**Table S3.** Cluster assignments and silhouette coefficient for four-cluster solution to k-means clustering. Top hit variables are bolded.

| Variable                                            | Cluster  | Silhouette  |
|-----------------------------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| <b>Average daily saturated fat intake</b>           | <b>1</b> | <b>0.32</b> |
| <b>Average daily fat intake</b>                     | <b>1</b> | <b>0.32</b> |
| Average saturated fat for lunch                     | 1        | 0.21        |
| Average saturated fat for dinner                    | 1        | 0.21        |
| Average fat for lunch                               | 1        | 0.20        |
| Average fat for dinner                              | 1        | 0.20        |
| Average saturated fat for breakfast                 | 1        | 0.19        |
| Average fat for breakfast                           | 1        | 0.16        |
| <b>Average daily carbohydrate intake</b>            | <b>2</b> | <b>0.23</b> |
| <b>Average daily fiber intake</b>                   | <b>2</b> | <b>0.18</b> |
| Average carbohydrate for lunch                      | 2        | 0.17        |
| Average daily sugar intake                          | 2        | 0.16        |
| Average carbohydrate for dinner                     | 2        | 0.14        |
| Average carbohydrate for breakfast                  | 2        | 0.14        |
| Average sugar for lunch                             | 2        | 0.13        |
| Average sugar for dinner                            | 2        | 0.11        |
| Average fiber for lunch                             | 2        | 0.11        |
| Average sugar for breakfast                         | 2        | 0.10        |
| Average fiber for dinner                            | 2        | 0.08        |
| Average fiber for breakfast                         | 2        | 0.05        |
| <b>Average daily protein intake</b>                 | <b>3</b> | <b>0.15</b> |
| <b>Carbohydrate irregularity score</b>              | <b>3</b> | <b>0.12</b> |
| Daily caloric irregularity score                    | 3        | 0.10        |
| Protein irregularity score                          | 3        | 0.10        |
| Average protein for dinner                          | 3        | 0.10        |
| Average protein for lunch                           | 3        | 0.09        |
| Fiber irregularity score                            | 3        | 0.08        |
| Sugar irregularity score                            | 3        | 0.08        |
| Fat irregularity score                              | 3        | 0.08        |
| Saturated fat irregularity score                    | 3        | 0.07        |
| Average protein for breakfast                       | 3        | 0.06        |
| Dinner irregularity score                           | 3        | 0.06        |
| Lunch irregularity score                            | 3        | 0.05        |
| Breakfast irregularity score                        | 3        | -0.02       |
| <b>Average eating occasions/day</b>                 | <b>4</b> | <b>0.15</b> |
| <b>Average daily caloric intake</b>                 | <b>4</b> | <b>0.14</b> |
| Late night snack frequency                          | 4        | 0.09        |
| Average calories for snacks                         | 4        | 0.07        |
| Dinner frequency                                    | 4        | 0.04        |
| Late night <i>and</i> early morning snack frequency | 4        | 0.04        |
| Lunch frequency                                     | 4        | 0.03        |
| Breakfast frequency                                 | 4        | 0.01        |
| Average calories for dinner                         | 4        | 0.01        |
| Average calories for breakfast                      | 4        | -0.01       |
| Average calories for lunch                          | 4        | -0.01       |

**Table S4.** Cross-sectional associations between k-means four-cluster solution top hit diet exposure quartiles with cardiometabolic risk prevalence stratified by sex ( $N_{male} = 4992$ ,  $N_{female} = 3098$ ). Values are presented as prevalence ratio (95% confidence interval). Significant p-values ( $p < 0.05$ ) are marked in bold.

|                     |        | Cluster 1: Saturated Fat Intake (%kcal*) |                   |                   |                   |                          |
|---------------------|--------|------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|--------------------------|
|                     |        | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | P <sub>interaction</sub> |
| Prevalent Cases / N | Male   | 328 / 864                                | 506 / 1280        | 606 / 1426        | 622 / 1422        | 0.77                     |
|                     | Female | 150 / 579                                | 196 / 774         | 216 / 807         | 288 / 938         |                          |
| Model 1             | Male   | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.99 (0.88; 1.11) | 1.01 (0.90; 1.14) | 0.96 (0.84; 1.09) |                          |
|                     | Female | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.00 (0.81; 1.21) | 1.04 (0.85; 1.26) | 1.13 (0.92; 1.37) |                          |
| Model 2             | Male   | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.00 (0.88; 1.12) | 1.01 (0.89; 1.13) | 0.95 (0.83; 1.08) | 0.78                     |
|                     | Female | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.99 (0.81; 1.20) | 1.04 (0.84; 1.26) | 1.13 (0.91; 1.37) |                          |
|                     |        | Cluster 2: Carbohydrate Intake (%kcal)   |                   |                   |                   |                          |
|                     |        | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | P <sub>interaction</sub> |
| Prevalent Cases / N | Male   | 649 / 1323                               | 492 / 1155        | 481 / 1186        | 440 / 1328        | <0.001                   |
|                     | Female | 202 / 632                                | 176 / 649         | 184 / 732         | 288 / 1085        |                          |
| Model 1             | Male   | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.92 (0.83; 1.01) | 0.90 (0.81; 1.00) | 0.80 (0.70; 0.89) |                          |
|                     | Female | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.97 (0.80; 1.15) | 0.99 (0.82; 1.19) | 1.15 (0.95; 1.36) |                          |
| Model 2             | Male   | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.92 (0.83; 1.01) | 0.90 (0.81; 0.99) | 0.78 (0.69; 0.88) | <0.001                   |
|                     | Female | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.97 (0.81; 1.16) | 0.99 (0.81; 1.18) | 1.15 (0.95; 1.36) |                          |
|                     |        | Cluster 2: Fiber Intake (g/1000kcal)     |                   |                   |                   |                          |
|                     |        | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | P <sub>interaction</sub> |
| Prevalent Cases / N | Male   | 629 / 1387                               | 551 / 1294        | 486 / 1224        | 396 / 1087        | 0.02                     |
|                     | Female | 177 / 633                                | 206 / 730         | 202 / 795         | 265 / 940         |                          |
| Model 1             | Male   | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.90 (0.82; 0.99) | 0.82 (0.73; 0.91) | 0.72 (0.63; 0.81) |                          |
|                     | Female | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.97 (0.80; 1.16) | 0.82 (0.67; 0.99) | 0.88 (0.71; 1.07) |                          |
| Model 2             | Male   | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.91 (0.83; 1.00) | 0.83 (0.74; 0.92) | 0.74 (0.64; 0.84) | 0.02                     |
|                     | Female | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.97 (0.80; 1.16) | 0.83 (0.68; 1.01) | 0.89 (0.72; 1.08) |                          |
|                     |        | Cluster 3: Eating Occasions / day        |                   |                   |                   |                          |
|                     |        | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | P <sub>interaction</sub> |
| Prevalent Cases / N | Male   | 478 / 1113                               | 601 / 1361        | 523 / 1245        | 460 / 1273        | 0.38                     |
|                     | Female | 171 / 634                                | 218 / 789         | 232 / 786         | 229 / 889         |                          |
| Model 1             | Male   | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.02 (0.92; 1.12) | 0.95 (0.85; 1.06) | 0.79 (0.69; 0.90) |                          |
|                     | Female | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.94 (0.77; 1.12) | 0.91 (0.74; 1.10) | 0.68 (0.54; 0.85) |                          |
| Model 2             | Male   | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.02 (0.92; 1.12) | 0.96 (0.85; 1.07) | 0.80 (0.69; 0.91) | 0.35                     |
|                     | Female | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.92 (0.76; 1.11) | 0.91 (0.74; 1.10) | 0.68 (0.54; 0.84) |                          |
|                     |        | Cluster 3: Energy Intake (kcal)          |                   |                   |                   |                          |
|                     |        | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | P <sub>interaction</sub> |
| Prevalent Cases / N | Male   | 320 / 692                                | 460 / 1078        | 596 / 1445        | 686 / 1777        | 0.06                     |
|                     | Female | 358 / 1331                               | 256 / 944         | 167 / 577         | 69 / 246          |                          |
| Model 1             | Male   | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.88 (0.78; 0.99) | 0.85 (0.74; 0.96) | 0.85 (0.74; 0.97) |                          |
|                     | Female | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.07 (0.92; 1.24) | 1.19 (0.99; 1.40) | 1.24 (0.97; 1.54) |                          |
| Model 2             | Male   | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.89 (0.78; 1.00) | 0.85 (0.74; 0.96) | 0.86 (0.75; 0.98) | 0.05                     |
|                     | Female | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.09 (0.93; 1.26) | 1.21 (1.01; 1.43) | 1.25 (0.98; 1.56) |                          |
|                     |        | Cluster 4: Protein Intake (%kcal)        |                   |                   |                   |                          |
|                     |        | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | P <sub>interaction</sub> |
| Prevalent Cases / N | Male   | 302 / 774                                | 547 / 1324        | 595 / 1378        | 618 / 1516        | 0.96                     |
|                     | Female | 135 / 570                                | 224 / 820         | 225 / 784         | 266 / 924         |                          |
| Model 1             | Male   | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.03 (0.92; 1.16) | 1.03 (0.91; 1.16) | 0.95 (0.83; 1.07) |                          |
|                     | Female | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.17 (0.96; 1.41) | 1.21 (0.99; 1.46) | 1.24 (1.01; 1.50) |                          |
| Model 2             | Male   | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.04 (0.92; 1.16) | 1.03 (0.91; 1.16) | 0.95 (0.83; 1.07) | 0.98                     |
|                     | Female | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.17 (0.96; 1.41) | 1.21 (0.99; 1.46) | 1.25 (1.01; 1.51) |                          |
|                     |        | Cluster 4: Carbohydrate Irregularity (%) |                   |                   |                   |                          |
|                     |        | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | P <sub>interaction</sub> |
| Prevalent Cases / N | Male   | 392 / 1071                               | 432 / 1064        | 647 / 1551        | 591 / 1306        | 0.01                     |
|                     | Female | 181 / 635                                | 189 / 718         | 272 / 969         | 208 / 776         |                          |
| Model 1             | Male   | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.06 (0.94; 1.18) | 1.08 (0.97; 1.19) | 1.09 (0.97; 1.22) |                          |
|                     | Female | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.90 (0.74; 1.08) | 0.97 (0.81; 1.15) | 0.91 (0.74; 1.10) |                          |
| Model 2             | Male   | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.06 (0.94; 1.18) | 1.07 (0.96; 1.19) | 1.09 (0.96; 1.21) | 0.01                     |

| Female | 1.00 (ref) | 0.90 (0.74; 1.08) | 0.97 (0.81; 1.15) | 0.91 (0.74; 1.11) |
|--------|------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
|--------|------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|

Model 1: adjusted for age, as well as for the quartiles of the most representative variable of the other clusters, respectively.  
Model 2: adjusted for covariates of Model 1, plus education level, region of employment, work hours, and sleep duration.  
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**Table S5.** Cross-sectional associations between k-means four-cluster solution top hit diet exposure quartiles with cardiometabolic risk prevalence stratified by age (median split,  $N_{\leq 41 \text{ years}} = 4133$ ,  $N_{>41 \text{ years}} = 3957$ ). Values are presented as prevalence ratio (95% confidence interval). Significant p-values ( $p < 0.05$ ) are marked in bold.

|                     |           | Cluster 1: Saturated Fat Intake (%kcal)  |                   |                   |                   | <i>P</i> <sub>interaction</sub> |
|---------------------|-----------|------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|
|                     |           | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        |                                 |
| Prevalent Cases / N | ≤41 years | 165 / 751                                | 262 / 1090        | 280 / 1150        | 292 / 1142        |                                 |
|                     | >41 years | 313 / 692                                | 440 / 964         | 542 / 1083        | 618 / 1218        |                                 |
| Model 1             | ≤41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.09 (0.91; 1.29) | 1.06 (0.88; 1.27) | 1.07 (0.87; 1.29) | 0.54                            |
|                     | >41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.95 (0.84; 1.07) | 1.02 (0.90; 1.13) | 1.00 (0.88; 1.12) |                                 |
| Model 2             | ≤41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.09 (0.91; 1.30) | 1.06 (0.88; 1.27) | 1.06 (0.86; 1.28) | 0.53                            |
|                     | >41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.95 (0.84; 1.07) | 1.01 (0.90; 1.13) | 0.99 (0.87; 1.11) |                                 |
|                     |           | Cluster 2: Carbohydrate Intake (%kcal)   |                   |                   |                   | <i>P</i> <sub>interaction</sub> |
|                     |           | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        |                                 |
| Prevalent Cases / N | ≤41 years | 237 / 844                                | 204 / 894         | 241 / 1001        | 317 / 1394        |                                 |
|                     | >41 years | 614 / 1111                               | 464 / 910         | 424 / 917         | 411 / 1019        |                                 |
| Model 1             | ≤41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.87 (0.73; 1.03) | 0.97 (0.82; 1.14) | 1.01 (0.84; 1.20) | <b>0.001</b>                    |
|                     | >41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.98 (0.89; 1.06) | 0.92 (0.83; 1.01) | 0.85 (0.75; 0.95) |                                 |
| Model 2             | ≤41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.87 (0.72; 1.03) | 0.97 (0.81; 1.14) | 0.99 (0.82; 1.18) | <b>&lt;0.001</b>                |
|                     | >41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.98 (0.89; 1.06) | 0.91 (0.82; 1.00) | 0.85 (0.75; 0.94) |                                 |
|                     |           | Cluster 2: Fiber Intake (g/1000kcal)     |                   |                   |                   | <i>P</i> <sub>interaction</sub> |
|                     |           | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        |                                 |
| Prevalent Cases / N | ≤41 years | 300 / 1131                               | 287 / 1082        | 214 / 969         | 198 / 951         |                                 |
|                     | >41 years | 506 / 889                                | 470 / 942         | 474 / 1050        | 463 / 1076        |                                 |
| Model 1             | ≤41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.98 (0.85; 1.13) | 0.81 (0.68; 0.96) | 0.77 (0.63; 0.92) | 0.17                            |
|                     | >41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.88 (0.80; 0.97) | 0.82 (0.74; 0.91) | 0.79 (0.70; 0.88) |                                 |
| Model 2             | ≤41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.00 (0.86; 1.15) | 0.83 (0.69; 0.98) | 0.79 (0.65; 0.95) | 0.15                            |
|                     | >41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.89 (0.80; 0.97) | 0.83 (0.74; 0.91) | 0.80 (0.71; 0.89) |                                 |
|                     |           | Cluster 3: Eating Occasions / day        |                   |                   |                   | <i>P</i> <sub>interaction</sub> |
|                     |           | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        |                                 |
| Prevalent Cases / N | ≤41 years | 274 / 1032                               | 288 / 1159        | 251 / 997         | 186 / 945         |                                 |
|                     | >41 years | 375 / 715                                | 531 / 991         | 504 / 1034        | 503 / 1217        |                                 |
| Model 1             | ≤41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.91 (0.78; 1.06) | 0.91 (0.77; 1.07) | 0.70 (0.57; 0.85) | 0.64                            |
|                     | >41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.03 (0.93; 1.13) | 0.96 (0.86; 1.06) | 0.83 (0.73; 0.93) |                                 |
| Model 2             | ≤41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.91 (0.78; 1.06) | 0.92 (0.78; 1.09) | 0.72 (0.58; 0.87) | 0.62                            |
|                     | >41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.03 (0.93; 1.12) | 0.96 (0.86; 1.06) | 0.82 (0.72; 0.93) |                                 |
|                     |           | Cluster 3: Energy Intake (kcal)          |                   |                   |                   | <i>P</i> <sub>interaction</sub> |
|                     |           | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        |                                 |
| Prevalent Cases / N | ≤41 years | 258 / 1119                               | 247 / 1050        | 240 / 962         | 254 / 1002        |                                 |
|                     | >41 years | 420 / 904                                | 469 / 972         | 523 / 1060        | 501 / 1021        |                                 |
| Model 1             | ≤41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.93 (0.78; 1.09) | 0.91 (0.75; 1.09) | 0.89 (0.72; 1.09) | 0.79                            |
|                     | >41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.99 (0.88; 1.09) | 0.99 (0.88; 1.10) | 0.99 (0.87; 1.12) |                                 |
| Model 2             | ≤41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.93 (0.78; 1.10) | 0.92 (0.76; 1.10) | 0.91 (0.73; 1.11) | 0.82                            |
|                     | >41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.99 (0.89; 1.10) | 0.99 (0.88; 1.11) | 1.00 (0.88; 1.13) |                                 |
|                     |           | Cluster 4: Protein Intake (%kcal)        |                   |                   |                   | <i>P</i> <sub>interaction</sub> |
|                     |           | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        |                                 |
| Prevalent Cases / N | ≤41 years | 179 / 764                                | 283 / 1106        | 252 / 1046        | 285 / 1217        |                                 |
|                     | >41 years | 258 / 580                                | 488 / 1038        | 568 / 1116        | 599 / 1223        |                                 |
| Model 1             | ≤41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.08 (0.91; 1.27) | 1.00 (0.84; 1.19) | 0.97 (0.80; 1.16) | 0.34                            |
|                     | >41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.06 (0.94; 1.18) | 1.12 (1.00; 1.24) | 1.07 (0.94; 1.20) |                                 |
| Model 2             | ≤41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.08 (0.91; 1.27) | 1.00 (0.84; 1.19) | 0.97 (0.80; 1.16) | 0.32                            |
|                     | >41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.06 (0.94; 1.18) | 1.12 (1.00; 1.24) | 1.07 (0.95; 1.20) |                                 |
|                     |           | Cluster 4: Carbohydrate Irregularity (%) |                   |                   |                   | <i>P</i> <sub>interaction</sub> |
|                     |           | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        |                                 |
| Prevalent Cases / N | ≤41 years | 208 / 878                                | 226 / 919         | 308 / 1304        | 257 / 1032        |                                 |
|                     | >41 years | 365 / 828                                | 395 / 863         | 611 / 1216        | 542 / 1050        |                                 |
| Model 1             | ≤41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.00 (0.84; 1.18) | 0.97; 0.82; 1.13) | 0.99 (0.82; 1.18) | 0.16                            |
|                     | >41 years | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.01 (0.90; 1.13) | 1.09 (0.98; 1.19) | 1.06 (0.94; 1.17) |                                 |

|         |           |            |                   |                   |                   |      |
|---------|-----------|------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------|
| Model 2 | ≤41 years | 1.00 (ref) | 1.00 (0.84; 1.18) | 0.97 (0.82; 1.14) | 0.98 (0.82; 1.17) | 0.17 |
|         | >41 years | 1.00 (ref) | 1.01 (0.90; 1.12) | 1.08 (0.98; 1.19) | 1.05 (0.93; 1.17) |      |

Model 1: adjusted for age and sex, as well as for the quartiles of the most representative variable of the other clusters, respectively.  
Model 2: adjusted for covariates of Model 1, plus education level, region of employment, work hours, and sleep duration.

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**Table S6.** Cross-sectional associations between k-means four-cluster solution top hit diet exposure quartiles with cardiometabolic risk prevalence stratified by physical activity ( $N_{low\ activity} = 7154$ ,  $N_{high\ activity} = 936$ ). Values are presented as prevalence ratio (95% confidence interval). Significant p-values ( $p < 0.05$ ) are marked in bold.

|                     |               | Cluster 1: Saturated Fat Intake (%kcal)  |                   |                   |                   | <i>P</i> <sub>interaction</sub> |
|---------------------|---------------|------------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------------------|
|                     |               | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        |                                 |
| Prevalent Cases / N | Low activity  | 415 / 1258                               | 625 / 1820        | 726 / 1969        | 813 / 2107        |                                 |
|                     | High activity | 63 / 185                                 | 77 / 234          | 96 / 264          | 97 / 253          |                                 |
| Model 1             | Low activity  | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.00 (0.90; 1.12) | 1.03 (0.92; 1.15) | 1.02 (0.90; 1.14) | 0.63                            |
|                     | High activity | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.90 (0.65; 1.20) | 0.96 (0.70; 1.27) | 0.94 (0.66; 1.27) |                                 |
| Model 2             | Low activity  | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.00 (0.90; 1.12) | 1.03 (0.92; 1.15) | 1.01 (0.90; 1.14) | 0.57                            |
|                     | High activity | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.90 (0.65; 1.21) | 0.97 (0.71; 1.29) | 0.94 (0.66; 1.27) |                                 |
|                     |               | Cluster 2: Carbohydrate Intake (%kcal)   |                   |                   |                   | <i>P</i> <sub>interaction</sub> |
|                     |               | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        |                                 |
| Prevalent Cases / N | Low activity  | 758 / 1736                               | 595 / 1614        | 588 / 1715        | 638 / 2089        |                                 |
|                     | High activity | 93 / 219                                 | 73 / 190          | 77 / 203          | 90 / 324          |                                 |
| Model 1             | Low activity  | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.93 (0.85; 1.02) | 0.92 (0.83; 1.01) | 0.91 (0.82; 1.01) | 0.36                            |
|                     | High activity | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.94 (0.70; 1.19) | 0.98 (0.74; 1.24) | 0.77 (0.55; 1.04) |                                 |
| Model 2             | Low activity  | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.93 (0.85; 1.02) | 0.91 (0.83; 1.00) | 0.91 (0.81; 1.00) | 0.32                            |
|                     | High activity | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.93 (0.69; 1.19) | 0.98 (0.73; 1.24) | 0.77 (0.54; 1.03) |                                 |
|                     |               | Cluster 2: Fiber Intake (g/1000kcal)     |                   |                   |                   | <i>P</i> <sub>interaction</sub> |
|                     |               | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        |                                 |
| Prevalent Cases / N | Low activity  | 725 / 1796                               | 669 / 1790        | 606 / 1778        | 579 / 1790        |                                 |
|                     | High activity | 81 / 224                                 | 88 / 234          | 82 / 241          | 82 / 237          |                                 |
| Model 1             | Low activity  | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.91 (0.83; 0.99) | 0.81 (0.73; 0.89) | 0.75 (0.67; 0.84) | 0.63                            |
|                     | High activity | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.96 (0.72; 1.24) | 0.82 (0.59; 1.10) | 0.85 (0.59; 1.16) |                                 |
| Model 2             | Low activity  | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.92 (0.83; 1.00) | 0.82 (0.74; 0.91) | 0.77 (0.68; 0.86) | 0.55                            |
|                     | High activity | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.95 (0.71; 1.23) | 0.83 (0.60; 1.11) | 0.88 (0.61; 1.20) |                                 |
|                     |               | Cluster 3: Eating Occasions / day        |                   |                   |                   | <i>P</i> <sub>interaction</sub> |
|                     |               | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        |                                 |
| Prevalent Cases / N | Low activity  | 567 / 1526                               | 724 / 1913        | 676 / 1796        | 612 / 1919        |                                 |
|                     | High activity | 82 / 221                                 | 95 / 237          | 79 / 235          | 77 / 243          |                                 |
| Model 1             | Low activity  | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.97 (0.88; 1.07) | 0.94 (0.84; 1.04) | 0.75 (0.66; 0.84) | 0.46                            |
|                     | High activity | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.10 (0.84; 1.38) | 0.92 (0.67; 1.20) | 0.83 (0.59; 1.13) |                                 |
| Model 2             | Low activity  | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.97 (0.88; 1.07) | 0.94 (0.85; 1.05) | 0.75 (0.66; 0.85) | 0.38                            |
|                     | High activity | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.09 (0.83; 1.37) | 0.91 (0.67; 1.19) | 0.83 (0.59; 1.13) |                                 |
|                     |               | Cluster 3: Energy Intake (kcal)          |                   |                   |                   | <i>P</i> <sub>interaction</sub> |
|                     |               | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        |                                 |
| Prevalent Cases / N | Low activity  | 588 / 1754                               | 631 / 1801        | 686 / 1824        | 674 / 1775        |                                 |
|                     | High activity | 90 / 269                                 | 85 / 221          | 77 / 198          | 81 / 248          |                                 |
| Model 1             | Low activity  | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.96 (0.86; 1.06) | 0.96 (0.85; 1.07) | 0.97 (0.85; 1.09) | 0.38                            |
|                     | High activity | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.96 (0.70; 1.27) | 0.91 (0.64; 1.24) | 0.79 (0.53; 1.12) |                                 |
| Model 2             | Low activity  | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.97 (0.87; 1.07) | 0.97 (0.86; 1.08) | 0.98 (0.87; 1.11) | 0.31                            |
|                     | High activity | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.97 (0.70; 1.28) | 0.92 (0.64; 1.25) | 0.80 (0.53; 1.13) |                                 |
|                     |               | Cluster 4: Protein Intake (%kcal)        |                   |                   |                   | <i>P</i> <sub>interaction</sub> |
|                     |               | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        |                                 |
| Prevalent Cases / N | Low activity  | 395 / 1197                               | 696 / 1913        | 719 / 1905        | 769 / 2139        |                                 |
|                     | High activity | 42 / 147                                 | 75 / 231          | 101 / 257         | 115 / 301         |                                 |
| Model 1             | Low activity  | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.07 (0.96; 1.18) | 1.06 (0.95; 1.18) | 1.01 (0.90; 1.13) | 0.24                            |
|                     | High activity | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.05 (0.73; 1.45) | 1.21 (0.86; 1.63) | 1.15 (0.79; 1.57) |                                 |
| Model 2             | Low activity  | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.07 (0.96; 1.18) | 1.06 (0.95; 1.18) | 1.01 (0.90; 1.13) | 0.21                            |
|                     | High activity | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.04 (0.72; 1.44) | 1.21 (0.85; 1.63) | 1.15 (0.80; 1.58) |                                 |
|                     |               | Cluster 4: Carbohydrate Irregularity (%) |                   |                   |                   | <i>P</i> <sub>interaction</sub> |
|                     |               | Quartile 1                               | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        |                                 |
| Prevalent Cases / N | Low activity  | 500 / 1492                               | 555 / 1583        | 815 / 2226        | 709 / 1853        |                                 |
|                     | High activity | 73 / 214                                 | 66 / 199          | 104 / 294         | 90 / 229          |                                 |
| Model 1             | Low activity  | 1.00 (ref)                               | 1.02 (0.92; 1.13) | 1.05 (0.95; 1.15) | 1.04 (0.93; 1.15) | 0.54                            |
|                     | High activity | 1.00 (ref)                               | 0.92 (0.66; 1.22) | 1.04 (0.78; 1.33) | 1.02 (0.74; 1.34) |                                 |

|         |               |            |                   |                   |                   |      |
|---------|---------------|------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------|
| Model 2 | Low activity  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.02 (0.92; 1.13) | 1.05 (0.95; 1.15) | 1.03 (0.93; 1.15) | 0.48 |
|         | High activity | 1.00 (ref) | 0.91 (0.66; 1.22) | 1.03 (0.78; 1.33) | 1.00 (0.72; 1.32) |      |

Model 1: adjusted for age and sex, as well as for the quartiles of the most representative variable of the other clusters, respectively.  
Model 2: adjusted for covariates of Model 1, plus education level, region of employment, work hours, and sleep duration.

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**Table S7.** Cross-sectional associations between k-means four-cluster solution top hit diet exposure quartiles with cardiometabolic risk prevalence within overweight individuals (body mass index [BMI]  $\geq 25$  kg/m<sup>2</sup>,  $N = 5416$ ). Values are presented as prevalence ratio (95% confidence interval). Significant p-values ( $p < 0.05$ ) are marked in bold.

| Cluster 1: Saturated Fat Intake (%kcal*) |            |                   |                   |                   |                           |
|------------------------------------------|------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|---------------------------|
|                                          | Quartile 1 | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | <i>P</i> <sub>trend</sub> |
| Prevalent Cases / N                      | 442 / 980  | 644 / 1371        | 760 / 1515        | 831 / 1550        |                           |
| Model 1                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.01 (0.91; 1.12) | 1.06 (0.95; 1.16) | 1.07 (0.96; 1.19) | 0.21                      |
| Model 2                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.01 (0.90; 1.11) | 1.05 (0.94; 1.16) | 1.06 (0.95; 1.18) | 0.28                      |
| Cluster 2: Carbohydrate Intake (%kcal)   |            |                   |                   |                   |                           |
|                                          | Quartile 1 | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | <i>P</i> <sub>trend</sub> |
| Prevalent Cases / N                      | 794 / 1435 | 623 / 1250        | 612 / 1272        | 648 / 1459        |                           |
| Model 1                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 0.93 (0.85; 1.01) | 0.94 (0.86; 1.02) | 0.92 (0.83; 1.01) | 0.10                      |
| Model 2                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 0.92 (0.84; 1.00) | 0.94 (0.85; 1.02) | 0.92 (0.83; 1.01) | 0.08                      |
| Cluster 2: Fiber Intake (g/1000kcal)     |            |                   |                   |                   |                           |
|                                          | Quartile 1 | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | <i>P</i> <sub>trend</sub> |
| Prevalent Cases / N                      | 744 / 1415 | 699 / 1378        | 632 / 1341        | 602 / 1282        |                           |
| Model 1                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 0.97 (0.89; 1.05) | 0.88 (0.79; 0.96) | 0.89 (0.80; 0.99) | <b>0.009</b>              |
| Model 2                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 0.97 (0.89; 1.05) | 0.88 (0.80; 0.97) | 0.90 (0.81; 0.99) | <b>0.02</b>               |
| Cluster 3: Eating Occasions / day        |            |                   |                   |                   |                           |
|                                          | Quartile 1 | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | <i>P</i> <sub>trend</sub> |
| Prevalent Cases / N                      | 603 / 1234 | 757 / 1456        | 691 / 1372        | 626 / 1354        |                           |
| Model 1                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.06 (0.97; 1.15) | 1.01 (0.92; 1.11) | 0.89 (0.79; 0.99) | <b>0.01</b>               |
| Model 2                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.06 (0.97; 1.15) | 1.01 (0.92; 1.11) | 0.89 (0.79; 0.99) | <b>0.009</b>              |
| Cluster 3: Energy Intake (kcal)          |            |                   |                   |                   |                           |
|                                          | Quartile 1 | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | <i>P</i> <sub>trend</sub> |
| Prevalent Cases / N                      | 603 / 1243 | 660 / 1296        | 706 / 1429        | 708 / 1448        |                           |
| Model 1                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 0.99 (0.90; 1.09) | 0.94 (0.84; 1.04) | 0.97 (0.86; 1.09) | 0.66                      |
| Model 2                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.00 (0.90; 1.09) | 0.94 (0.85; 1.05) | 0.98 (0.87; 1.09) | 0.76                      |
| Cluster 4: Protein Intake (%kcal)        |            |                   |                   |                   |                           |
|                                          | Quartile 1 | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | <i>P</i> <sub>trend</sub> |
| Prevalent Cases / N                      | 383 / 800  | 700 / 1389        | 770 / 1486        | 824 / 1741        |                           |
| Model 1                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.00 (0.90; 1.11) | 0.99 (0.89; 1.09) | 0.88 (0.78; 0.99) | <b>0.004</b>              |
| Model 2                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.01 (0.90; 1.11) | 0.99 (0.89; 1.10) | 0.88 (0.78; 0.99) | <b>0.005</b>              |
| Cluster 4: Carbohydrate Irregularity (%) |            |                   |                   |                   |                           |
|                                          | Quartile 1 | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | <i>P</i> <sub>trend</sub> |
| Prevalent Cases / N                      | 519 / 1079 | 558 / 1139        | 848 / 1698        | 752 / 1500        |                           |
| Model 1                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.01 (0.91; 1.11) | 0.99 (0.90; 1.08) | 0.97 (0.87; 1.06) | 0.40                      |
| Model 2                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.01 (0.91; 1.11) | 0.99 (0.90; 1.08) | 0.96 (0.87; 1.06) | 0.38                      |

Model 1: adjusted for age, sex, and BMI, as well as for the quartiles of the most representative variable of the other clusters, respectively.

Model 2: adjusted for covariates of Model 1, plus education level, region of employment, work hours, and sleep duration.  
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**Table S8.** Cross-sectional associations between k-means four-cluster solution top hit diet exposure quartiles with impaired blood glucose control prevalence ( $N = 8090$ ). Values are presented as prevalence ratio (95% confidence interval). Significant p-values ( $p < 0.05$ ) are marked in bold.

| Cluster 1: Saturated Fat Intake (%kcal*) |            |                   |                   |                   |                  |
|------------------------------------------|------------|-------------------|-------------------|-------------------|------------------|
|                                          | Quartile 1 | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | $P_{trend}$      |
| Prevalent Cases / N                      | 542 / 1443 | 840 / 2054        | 942 / 2233        | 1047 / 2360       |                  |
| Model 1                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.11 (1.02; 1.20) | 1.13 (1.05; 1.24) | 1.19 (1.08; 1.29) | <b>&lt;0.001</b> |
| Model 2                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.11 (1.01; 1.20) | 1.14 (1.04; 1.24) | 1.17 (1.07; 1.28) | <b>&lt;0.001</b> |
| Cluster 2: Carbohydrate Intake (%kcal)   |            |                   |                   |                   |                  |
|                                          | Quartile 1 | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | $P_{trend}$      |
| Prevalent Cases / N                      | 820 / 1955 | 735 / 1804        | 833 / 1918        | 983 / 2413        |                  |
| Model 1                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.01 (0.93; 1.09) | 1.10 (1.02; 1.19) | 1.08 (0.99; 1.17) | <b>0.02</b>      |
| Model 2                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.01 (0.93; 1.09) | 1.10 (1.01; 1.18) | 1.08 (0.99; 1.17) | <b>0.04</b>      |
| Cluster 2: Fiber Intake (g/1000kcal)     |            |                   |                   |                   |                  |
|                                          | Quartile 1 | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | $P_{trend}$      |
| Prevalent Cases / N                      | 833 / 2020 | 844 / 2024        | 819 / 2019        | 875 / 2027        |                  |
| Model 1                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 0.96 (0.89; 1.04) | 0.90 (0.82; 0.98) | 0.94 (0.86; 1.02) | 0.09             |
| Model 2                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 0.97 (0.89; 1.04) | 0.91 (0.83; 0.99) | 0.95 (0.87; 1.04) | 0.17             |
| Cluster 3: Eating Occasions / day        |            |                   |                   |                   |                  |
|                                          | Quartile 1 | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | $P_{trend}$      |
| Prevalent Cases / N                      | 692 / 1747 | 875 / 2150        | 884 / 2031        | 920 / 2162        |                  |
| Model 1                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 0.98 (0.90; 1.07) | 1.01 (0.93; 1.10) | 0.94 (0.86; 1.03) | 0.21             |
| Model 2                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 0.98 (0.90; 1.06) | 1.01 (0.92; 1.10) | 0.93 (0.84; 1.02) | 0.13             |
| Cluster 3: Energy Intake (kcal)          |            |                   |                   |                   |                  |
|                                          | Quartile 1 | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | $P_{trend}$      |
| Prevalent Cases / N                      | 880 / 2023 | 841 / 2022        | 859 / 2022        | 791 / 2023        |                  |
| Model 1                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 0.97 (0.89; 1.04) | 1.02 (0.93; 1.10) | 0.99 (0.90; 1.08) | 0.94             |
| Model 2                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 0.97 (0.90; 1.05) | 1.02 (0.94; 1.11) | 1.00 (0.90; 1.09) | 0.82             |
| Cluster 4: Protein Intake (%kcal)        |            |                   |                   |                   |                  |
|                                          | Quartile 1 | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | $P_{trend}$      |
| Prevalent Cases / N                      | 570 / 1344 | 880 / 2144        | 891 / 2162        | 1030 / 2440       |                  |
| Model 1                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 0.97 (0.89; 1.06) | 0.98 (0.89; 1.06) | 1.04 (0.95; 1.13) | 0.21             |
| Model 2                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 0.98 (0.89; 1.06) | 0.98 (0.90; 1.07) | 1.04 (0.95; 1.13) | 0.17             |
| Cluster 4: Carbohydrate Irregularity (%) |            |                   |                   |                   |                  |
|                                          | Quartile 1 | Quartile 2        | Quartile 3        | Quartile 4        | $P_{trend}$      |
| Prevalent Cases / N                      | 730 / 1706 | 769 / 1782        | 1040 / 2,520      | 832 / 2082        |                  |
| Model 1                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.00 (0.92; 1.08) | 0.97 (0.90; 1.05) | 0.95 (0.87; 1.03) | 0.21             |
| Model 2                                  | 1.00 (ref) | 1.00 (0.92; 1.08) | 0.97 (0.90; 1.05) | 0.95 (0.87; 1.03) | 0.18             |

Model 1: adjusted for age and sex, as well as for the quartiles of the most representative variable of the other clusters, respectively.

Model 2: adjusted for covariates of Model 1, plus education level, region of employment, work hours, and sleep duration.

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