

Supplemented Table S1. Basic clinical information

	Total	Asymptomatic	Symptomatic	
n	39	4	35	p
Ages, y \pm SE	71.1 \pm 1.5	78.0 \pm 1.9	70.3 \pm 1.6	ns
Sex, male (% , n)	64.1 (25)	75.0 (3)	62.8 (22)	ns
Diabetes mellitus, % (n)	12.8 (5)	25 (1)	11.4 (4)	ns
Hypertesion, % (n)	74.3 (29)	50.0 (2)	77.1 (27)	ns
Smoking, % (n)	41.0 (16)	0 (0)	45.7 (16)	ns
Statin treatment, % (n)	46.1 (18)	25.0 (1)	48.6 (17)	ns
Total cholesterol	5.01 \pm 0.3	5.2 \pm 0.6	4.98 \pm 0.3	ns
LDL	2.79 \pm 0.2	2.67 \pm 0.74	2.81 \pm 0.2	ns
HDL	1.20 \pm 0.09	1.70 \pm 0.47	1.12 \pm 0.06	ns
TG	2.04 \pm 0.2	1.87 \pm 0.35	2.07 \pm 0.23	ns
Hb	142 \pm 1.89	141 \pm 13.02	142 \pm 1.83	ns
MCV	92.4 \pm 0.7	95.0 \pm 2.5	92.2 \pm 0.7	ns
MCHC	330 \pm 1,8	332 \pm 5.1	330 \pm 1.9	ns
EVF	43.2 \pm 0.6	42 \pm 3.5	43.3 \pm 0.6	ns