	Baseline only (n=902)	Serial sampling available (n=449)	Overall (n=1351)
Sex, no. (%)			
Female	295 (32.7)	155 (34.5)	450 (33.3)
Male	607 (67.3)	294 (65.5)	901 (66.7)
Race, no. (%)			
Chinese	570 (63.2)	273 (60.8)	843 (62.4)
Indian	166 (18.4)	96 (21.4)	262 (19.4)
Malay	120 (13.3)	60 (13.4)	180 (13.3)
Others	46 (5.1)	20 (4.5)	66 (4.9)
Hypertension, no. (%)	473 (52.4)	239 (53.2)	712 (52.7)
Diabetes, no. (%)	276 (30.6)	124 (27.6)	400 (29.6)
Ever smoker, no. (%)	258 (28.6)	120 (26.7)	378 (28.0)
History of myocardial infarction, no. (%)	106 (11.8)	43 (9.6)	149 (11.0)
Previous coronary artery bypass graft surgery, no. (%)	79 (8.8)	22 (4.9)	101 (7.5)
Previous coronary angioplasty, no. (%)	143 (15.9)	64 (14.3)	207 (15.3)
History of stroke or transient ischaemic attack, no. (%)	35 (3.9)	11 (2.4)	46 (3.4)