

Supplementary Table 1 - Logistic regressions

Web-PATS database		Univariate regressions		Multiple regression	
Variable		Odds ratio	P	Odds ratio	P
Sex		1.70	<0.001	1.82	<0.001
Hyperlipidemia		2.38	<0.001	1.85	<0.001
Hypertension		1.90	<0.001	NS	
Diabetes Mellitus		2.18	<0.001	1.76	<0.001
Family history of ischemic heart disease		1.25	0.04	NS	
Previous Stroke		1.80	<0.001	NS	
Smoking		2.00	<0.001	1.73	<0.001
Extracardial Arteriopathy		4.09	<0.001	2.84	<0.001
BMI > 30		0.87	0.19		
LVEF < 30 %		1.14	0.16		
Angina		1.61	<0.001	1.39	0.01
NYHA classification	I				
	II	0.95	0.44		
	III				
	IV				
Age	< 51				
	51 - 60	1.56	<0.001	1.55	<0.001
	61 - 70				
	≥ 71				

Logistic regressions on the Web-PATS database (univariate and multiple) with odds ratios. (BMI – Body Mass Index, LVEF – Left Ventricular Ejection Fraction, Smoking defined as

active or prior smoker, NS – Not significant i.e. was entered into the initial multiple logistic regression but was excluded due to non-significance)