

CRP	1.00				
Sodium	-0.21	1.00			
Total cholesterol	-0.11	0.17	1.00		
HDL cholesterol	-0.05	0.18	0.46	1.00	
LDL cholesterol	-0.03	0.18	0.82	0.20	1.00
	CRP	Sodium	Total cholesterol	HDL cholesterol	LDL cholesterol

Online Resource 4 (Supplemental Fig. 3) Correlated variables of 5 continuous variables before initial treatment that were treatment-associated factors. Variables with gray scale means the variable which was removed due to highly correlated pairs with the other. (Spearman's $r > 0.5$).