Supplemental data 3. Data acquisition. Demographic data such as age and sex, along with socioeconomic and behavioral characteristics, e.g., income status, smoking status, and alcohol consumption, were collected. In addition, we processed laboratory data including complete blood cell counts, serum electrolyte, serum glucose, total cholesterol, serum protein, serum albumin, serum bilirubin, aspartate transaminase, alanine aminotransferase, uric acid, blood urea nitrogen, serum creatinine (sCr), estimated glomerular filtration rate (eGFR), and urine protein/creatinine ratio. We assessed kidney function based on the eGFR calculated by the Chronic Kidney Disease Epidemiology Collaboration equation, as follows: eGFR = \(141 \times \min (sCr/\kappa, 1)^{\alpha} \times \max (sCr/\kappa, 1)^{-1.209} \times 0.993^{\text{age}} \times 1.018\) [if female], \(\kappa = 0.7\) (female) or 0.9 (male), \(\alpha = -0.329\) (female) or –0.411 (male).