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1  /*
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3  PHD PROJECT: The role of depressive symptoms and cardiometabolic risk factors in the prediction
4  of dementia: a cross-country comparison in England, the United States and China
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6  STUDY I: Independent and combined effects of depressive symptoms and cardiometabolic risk factors
7  on dementia incidence
8
9  DATASET: ELSA
10 baseline: wave 2 (2004) follow-up waves 3-9 (2006-2018)
11
12 TIMELINE
13
14 DEPRESSIVE SYMPTOMS AND CARDIOMETABOLIC RISK FACTORS: WV2 (BASELINE)
15 DEMENTIA INCIDENCE: W3 - WV9 (7 TIME POINTS)
16 COVARIATES ADJUSTMENT FOR HR MODELS: WV2
17
18 */
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20
21
22 * KEEP NECESSARY VARIABLES
23
24 keep idauniq w2wtbld w2wtbld ///
25 E_sex E_age E_education_yrs E_education E_maritalstatus_3cat E_maritalstatus_4cat ///
26 E_wealthquintiles E_smoking_3cat E_physicalactivity E_alcohol_freq E_alcohol_status ///
27 E_cvd_comorbidity E_cognitive_index E_memory_wordrecall Ewv6_memory_wordrecall ///
28 Ewv2_loneliness_quintiles ///
29 Ewv2_cesd_score Ewv2_depressive_symptoms ///
30 Ewv3_cesd_sumscore_rand Ewv3_depressive_symptoms ///
31 Ewv4_cesd_sumscore_rand Ewv4_depressive_symptoms ///
32 Ewv5_cesd_sumscore_rand Ewv5_depressive_symptoms ///
33 Ewv6_cesd_sumscore_rand Ewv6_depressive_symptoms ///
34 Ewv7_cesd_sumscore_rand Ewv7_depressive_symptoms ///
35 Ewv8_cesd_sumscore Ewv8_depressive_symptoms ///
36 Ewv9_cesd_sumscore Ewv9_depressive_symptoms ///
37 Ewv2_crp_level Ewv2_crp Ewv2_fibrinogen_level Ewv2_fibrinogen ///
38 Ewv2_hdl_level Ewv2_male_hdl Ewv2_female_hdl ///
39 Ewv2_meds_hdl Ewv2_cholesterol_evr Ewv2_hdl_sum Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol ///
40 Ewv2_waist Ewv2_malewaist_ao Ewv2_femalewaist_ao Ewv2_obesity_waist_sum Ewv2_obesity_waist ///
41 Ewv2_bmi_score Ewv2_obesity_bmi Ewv2_waist_bmi_sum Ewv2_obesity ///
42 Ewv2_tg_level Ewv2_tg ///
43 Ewv2_systolic_mean Ewv2_diastolic_mean Ewv2_systolic_bp Ewv2_diastolic_bp ///
44 Ewv2_meds_bp Ewv2_bp_reportevr Ewv2_bp_before Ewv2_bp_diagnosed_sum Ewv2_bp_diagnosed Ewv2_bp_sum
45 Ewv2_bp ///
46 Ewv2_diabetes_evr Ewv2_diabetes_before Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed_sum Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed ///
47 Ewv2_glucose_level Ewv2_glucose Ewv2_HbA1c_level Ewv2_HbA1c ///
48 Ewv2_meds1_diabetes Ewv2_meds2_diabetes Ewv2_insulin_diabetes ///
49 Ewv2_diabetes_anymeds_sum Ewv2_diabetes_anymeds ///
50 Ewv2_diabetes_glucose_sum Ewv2_glycemia ///
51 Ewv2_ao_depress_sum Ewv2_Nao_Ndepress Ewv2_Nao_Ydepress Ewv2_Yao_Ndepress Ewv2_Yao_Ydepress ///
52 Ewv2_ao_depress_group Ewv2_waist_depress_sum Ewv2_Nwaist_Ndepress Ewv2_Nwaist_Ydepress ///
53 Ewv2_Ywaist_Ndepress Ewv2_Ywaist_Ydepress Ewv2_waist_depress_group Ewv2_glycemia_depress_sum ///
54 Ewv2_Nglycemia_Ndepress Ewv2_Nglycemia_Ydepress Ewv2_Yglycemia_Ndepress Ewv2_Yglycemia_Ydepress ///
55 Ewv2_glycemia_depress_group Ewv2_diabet_depress_sum Ewv2_Ndiabet_Ndepress Ewv2_Ndiabet_Ydepress ///
56 Ewv2_Ydiabet_Ndepress Ewv2_Ydiabet_Ydepress Ewv2_diabet_depress_group Ewv2_hba1c_depress_sum ///
57 Ewv2_Nhba1c_Ndepress Ewv2_Nhba1c_Ydepress Ewv2_Yhba1c_Ndepress Ewv2_Yhba1c_Ydepress ///
58 Ewv2_hba1c_depress_group Ewv2_hdl_depress_sum Ewv2_Nhdl_Ndepress Ewv2_Nhdl_Ydepress ///
59 Ewv2_Yhdl_Ndepress Ewv2_Yhdl_Ydepress Ewv2_hdl_depress_group Ewv2_bp_depress_sum Ewv2_Nbp_Ndepress
60 Ewv2_Nbp_Ydepress Ewv2_Ybp_Ndepress Ewv2_Ybp_Ydepress Ewv2_bp_depress_group Ewv2_sbp_depress_sum
61 Ewv2_Nsbp_Ndepress Ewv2_Nsbp_Ydepress Ewv2_Ysbp_Ndepress Ewv2_Ysbp_Ydepress Ewv2_sbp_depress_group
62 Ewv2_dbp_depress_sum Ewv2_Ndbp_Ndepress Ewv2_Ndbp_Ydepress Ewv2_Ydbp_Ndepress Ewv2_Ydbp_Ydepress
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62 Ewv2_dbp_depress_group Ewv2_crp_depress_sum ///
63 Ewv2_Ncrp_Ndepress Ewv2_Ncrp_Ydepress ///
64 Ewv2_Ycrp_Ndepress Ewv2_Ycrp_Ydepress ///
65 Ewv2_crp_depress_group Ewv2_tg_depress_sum ///
66 Ewv2_Ntg_Ndepress Ewv2_Ntg_Ydepress Ewv2_Ytg_Ndepress Ewv2_Ytg_Ydepress ///
67 Ewv2_tg_depress_group Ewv2_fibr_depress_sum Ewv2_Nfibr_Ndepress ///
68 Ewv2_Nfibr_Ydepress Ewv2_Yfibr_Ndepress ///
69 Ewv2_Yfibr_Ydepress Ewv2_fibr_depress_group ///
70 Ewv2_cardio3 Ewv2_ca3_depress_sum Ewv2_Nca3_Ndepress Ewv2_Nca3_Ydepress ///
71 Ewv2_Yca3_Ndepress Ewv2_Yca3_Ydepress Ewv2_ca3_depress_group ///
72 Ewv2_cardio4 Ewv2_ca4_depress_sum Ewv2_Nca4_Ndepress Ewv2_Nca4_Ydepress ///
73 Ewv2_Yca4_Ndepress Ewv2_Yca4_Ydepress Ewv2_ca4_depress_group ///
74 Ewv2_cardio_number_sum Ewv2_cardio_number ///
75 Ewv2_cardio2 Ewv2_ca2_depress_sum ///
76 Ewv2_Nca2_Ndepress Ewv2_Nca2_Ydepress ///
77 Ewv2_Yca2_Ndepress Ewv2_Yca2_Ydepress Ewv2_ca2_depress_group ///
78 Ewv2_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
79 Ewv3_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
80 Ewv4_anydementia_iqcode_report Ewv6to9_dementia_event ///
81 Ewv5_anydementia_iqcode_report Ewv6_anydementia_iqcode_report Ewv7_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
82 Ewv8_anydementia_iqcode_report Ewv9_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
83 Ewv2_interview_date Ewv3_interview_date Ewv4_interview_date ///
84 Ewv5_interview_date Ewv6_interview_date Ewv7_interview_date ///
85 Ewv8_interview_date Ewv9_interview_date ///
86 Ewv3to9_dementia_sum Ewv3to9_dementia_sum_no_iqcode ///
87 Ewv3to9_dementia_event Ewv3to9_dementia_event_no_iqcode ///
88 Ewv3to9_dementia_report_or_lasti Ewv3to9_dementia_report_free_dat ///
89 Ewv3to9_newdementia_or_lastinter Ewv3to9_dementia_free_date E_time_dementia_months ///
90 E_time_dementia_report_months_no E_time_dementia_midpoint ///
91 E_time_dementia_midpoint_final E_time_event_dementia E_time_dementia_report_midpoint_ ///
92 E_time_dementia_midpoint_no_iqco E_time_event_dementia_report_no_ ///
93 Ewv6to9_dementia_free_date Ewv6to9_newdementia_or_lastinter ///
94 Ewv6to9_time_dementia_months Ewv6to9_time_dementia_midpoint ///
95 Ewv6to9_time_dementia_midpoint_f Ewv6to9_time_event_dementia
96
97
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100
101 /* ---- MERGE DATA ----
102
103 Process to merge
104
105 Open master dataset and run merge two datasets
106
107 After merging all data both from master and using will be added
108 Need to keep if _merge==3
109 1 means cases from master data
110 2 means cases from using data
111 3 means cases from both master and using data
112
113 Drop _merge var.
114 */
115
116
117 help merge
118
119 * Menu > Data > Combine datasets > Merge two datasets
120 * Choose One to many (key variable)
121
122
123
124 merge 1:m idauniq using
  "S:\Research\pkstudies\Study1_biopsych_risk\ELSA\elsa_to_merge_physicalact.dta"
125
126 keep if _merge==3
127
128 drop _merge

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131  /*
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133  EXPOSURE VARIABLES
134
135
136  Binary variables of depressive symptoms and cardiometabolic markers measured at wave 2
137
138  Depression: Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
139
140  CRP: Ewv2_crp
141
142  HDL cholesterol: Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
143
144  Obesity by waist cir: Ewv2_obesity_waist
145
146  systolic Blood pressure: Ewv2_systolic_bp
147
148  diastolic Blood pressure: Ewv2_diastolic_bp
149
150  Diabetes: Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
151
152  HbA1c: Ewv2_HbA1c
153
154  CA number (categ 0,1,2,3,4+): Ewv2_cardio_number
155
156  CA mutlimorbidity >= 2 CA conditions: Ewv2_cardio2
157
158  Grouping of Dep-CA: Ewv2_waist_depress_group Ewv2_diabet_depress_group Ewv2_hba1c_depress_group
    Ewv2_hdl_depress_group Ewv2_sbp_depress_group Ewv2_dbp_depress_group Ewv2_crp_depress_group
    Ewv2_ca3_depress_group Ewv2_ca4_depress_group Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
159
160
161  OUTCOME VARIABLES
162
163  Dementia event: Ewv3to9_dementia_event
164
165  Time-to-event: E_time_event_dementia
166
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168  */
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174
175  *** Descriptive stats of var of interest
176
177
178  tabulate Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
179  summarize Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
180
181  misstable summarize Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
182  misstable patterns Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
183
184  tabulate Ewv2_crp
185  summarize Ewv2_crp
186
187  misstable summarize Ewv2_crp
188  misstable patterns Ewv2_crp
189
190  tabulate Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
191  summarize Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
192
193  misstable summarize Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
194  misstable patterns Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol

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195
196 tabulate Ewv2_obesity_waist
197 summarize Ewv2_obesity_waist
198
199 misstable summarize Ewv2_obesity_waist
200 misstable patterns Ewv2_obesity_waist
201
202 tabulate Ewv2_systolic_bp
203 summarize Ewv2_systolic_bp
204
205 misstable summarize Ewv2_systolic_bp
206 misstable patterns Ewv2_systolic_bp
207
208
209 tabulate Ewv2_diastolic_bp
210 summarize Ewv2_diastolic_bp
211
212 misstable summarize Ewv2_diastolic_bp
213 misstable patterns Ewv2_diastolic_bp
214
215
216 tabulate Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
217 summarize Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
218
219 misstable summarize Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
220 misstable patterns Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
221
222
223 tabulate Ewv2_HbA1c
224 summarize Ewv2_HbA1c
225
226 misstable summarize Ewv2_HbA1c
227 misstable patterns Ewv2_HbA1c
228
229
230 tabulate Ewv2_anydementia_iqcode_report
231 summarize Ewv2_anydementia_iqcode_report
232
233 misstable summarize Ewv2_anydementia_iqcode_report
234 misstable patterns Ewv2_anydementia_iqcode_report
235
236
237
238
239
240
241 *** CLEANING DATA
242
243
244 * 1. drop dementia cases and missing data at baseline
245
246 drop if Ewv2_anydementia_iqcode_report==1
247 * (50 observations deleted)
248
249 drop if Ewv2_anydementia_iqcode_report== .
250 * (0 observations deleted)
251
252
253 * 2. drop missing values of depressive symptoms and cardiometabolic markers and invalid ca cases
254
255 drop if Ewv2_depressive_symptoms== .
256 * (73 observations deleted)
257
258 drop if Ewv2_crp_level > 100 & Ewv2_crp_level < 300
259 * (9 observations deleted)
260
261 drop if Ewv2_crp== .
262 * (1,733 observations deleted)

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263
264 drop if Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol== .
265 * (6 observations deleted)
266
267 drop if Ewv2_obesity_waist== .
268 * (131 observations deleted)
269
270 drop if Ewv2_systolic_bp== .
271 * (650 observations deleted)
272
273 drop if Ewv2_diastolic_bp== .
274 * (0 observations deleted)
275
276 drop if Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed== .
277 * (0 observations deleted)
278
279 drop if Ewv2_HbA1c== .
280 * (102 observations deleted)
281
282
283
284 * 3. drop obs with no records on dementia at any wave from 3-9 follow-ups
285
286
287 search mdesc
288 search rmiss2
289 search mvpatterns
290
291 * see number of missing values vs non-missing in each variable
292 mdesc Ewv3_anydementia_iqcode_report Ewv4_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
293 Ewv5_anydementia_iqcode_report Ewv6_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
294 Ewv7_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
295 Ewv8_anydementia_iqcode_report Ewv9_anydementia_iqcode_report
296
297
298
299 /* number of missing values per observation
300 * the code below creates a variable called nmisfollowup that gives the number of missing values
301 for each observation in the variables of interest */
302 egen nmisfollowup_dementia_wv3to9=rmiss2(Ewv3_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
303 Ewv4_anydementia_iqcode_report Ewv5_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
304 Ewv6_anydementia_iqcode_report Ewv7_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
305 Ewv8_anydementia_iqcode_report Ewv9_anydementia_iqcode_report)
306
307 tab nmisfollowup_dementia_wv3to9
308
309 * drop observations "nmisfollowup_dementia_wv3to9" > 6 (those with 7 missing data = no records at
any wave)
310 drop if nmisfollowup_dementia_wv3to9>6
311 *(440 observations deleted)
312
313
314 * ANALYTIC SAMPLE -> 4472
315
316
317 /*
318 ---- DESCRIPTIVE STATISTICS ----
319
320 General characteristics of participnats stratified for study inclusion
321
322 General characteristics of participants stratified for dementia occurence
323
324 CHI-SQUARE (chi2) for categorical var (crosstabulation)
325     Frequency tables -> two-way tables
326         using the command tabulate, chi2
327         reporting observations, column percentage (N, %) and p-value of Pearson's r
328
329 one-way ANOVA for continuous var

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330     check box plot
331     using the command oneway
332     reporting mean, sd (summary tables) and p-value of F
333 */
334
335
336 * General characteristics of ELSA participants at baseline
337
338 * Socio-demographics
339 sum E_age
340 ta E_sex
341 ta E_education
342 ta E_maritalstatus_4cat
343 ta E_wealthquintiles
344 * Cardiometabolic risk factors
345 ta Ewv2_crp
346 ta Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
347 ta Ewv2_obesity_waist
348 ta Ewv2_systolic_bp
349 ta Ewv2_diastolic_bp
350 ta Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
351 ta Ewv2_HbA1c
352 ta Ewv2_cardio2
353 * Lifestyle and health indicators
354 ta E_smoking_3cat
355 ta E_physicalactivity
356 ta E_alcohol_status
357 ta E_cvd_comorbidity
358 * Depressive symptoms (categ)
359 ta Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
360 * Memory score
361 sum E_memory_wordrecall
362
363
364 * General characteristics of ELSA participants stratified for dementia occurrence
365
366 * Socio-demographics
367 ttest E_age, by(Ewv3to9_dementia_event)
368 ta E_sex Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
369 ta E_education Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
370 ta E_maritalstatus_4cat Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
371 ta E_wealthquintiles Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
372 * Cardiometabolic risk factors
373 ta Ewv2_crp Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
374 ta Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
375 ta Ewv2_obesity_waist Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
376 ta Ewv2_systolic_bp Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
377 ta Ewv2_diastolic_bp Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
378 ta Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
379 ta Ewv2_HbA1c Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
380 ta Ewv2_cardio2 Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
381 * Lifestyle and health indicators
382 ta E_smoking_3cat Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
383 ta E_physicalactivity Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
384 ta E_alcohol_status Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
385 ta E_cvd_comorbidity Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
386 * Depressive symptoms
387 ta Ewv2_depressive_symptoms Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
388 * Memory score
389 ttest E_memory_wordrecall, by(Ewv3to9_dementia_event)
390 ta E_age_group Ewv3to9_dementia_event, chi2 column row
391
392
393
394 /*
395 ---- SURVIVAL ANALYSIS IN COMPLETE DATA ----
396
397 Tests of proportional-hazards assumption

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398 Kaplan Meier survival curves
399 Person-time
400 Cox proportional regression - Hazard ratios - stcox
401 Postestimation tools for stcox
402 Test of Goodness of Fit
403
404 *** Cox regression in full data, complete data (listwise deletion of missing data) and imputed data
405 Cox PH regression in complete data
406 Cox PH regression model in imputed dataset - mi estimate
407
408
409 */
410
411
412
413 * check dataset variables of interest only
414
415 codebook E_time_event_dementia Ewv3to9_dementia_event ///
416 Ewv2_depressive_symptoms Ewv2_crp Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol ///
417 Ewv2_obesity_waist Ewv2_systolic_bp Ewv2_diastolic_bp ///
418 Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed Ewv2_HbA1c ///
419 Ewv2_cardio2 Ewv2_cardio3 Ewv2_cardio4 Ewv2_cardio_number ///
420 Ewv2_waist_depress_group Ewv2_diabet_depress_group ///
421 Ewv2_hba1c_depress_group Ewv2_hdl_depress_group ///
422 Ewv2_sbp_depress_group Ewv2_dbp_depress_group ///
423 Ewv2_crp_depress_group Ewv2_ca2_depress_group ///
424 Ewv2_ca3_depress_group Ewv2_ca4_depress_group ///
425 E_age E_sex E_education E_maritalstatus_4cat E_wealthquintiles ///
426 E_smoking_3cat E_alcohol_status E_cvd_comorbidity,compact
427
428
429
430 * Declare Data to be Survival Data
431 * Time to event: E_time_event_dementia (months)
432 * Censoring: Ewv3to9_dementia_event (1=dementia, 0=censored)
433 * Command is stset TIMETOEVENT, failure(CENSORVARIABLE)
434
435
436 stset E_time_event_dementia, failure (Ewv3to9_dementia_event==1) id(idauniq)
437
438
439 *describe survival data using commnad stsum
440
441 stsum
442
443 stsum, by(Ewv2_ca2_depress_group)
444
445
446
447 * Kaplan Meier Curve estimation
448
449 sts list
450
451 sts list, by(Ewv2_ca2_depress_group)
452
453
454
455 * Kaplan Meier Curve Plot
456
457 * no frills plot
458
459 sts graph
460
461 * with frills
462
463 sts graph, xtitle("Time in Months") ytitle("Survival Prob") ///
464 title("Kaplan Meier Curve")
465

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466
467 * With Greenwood CI limits
468
469 sts graph, gwood legend(off) xtitle("Time in Months") ytitle("Survival Prob") ///
470 title("Kaplan Meier Curve")
471
472
473 * Group Kaplan-Meier Curve Estimation
474 * Command is sts graph, by(GROUPVAR) OPTION OPTION OPTION Note: Must have sorted by GROUPVAR first
475
476 sort Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
477
478 sts list, by(Ewv2_ca2_depress_group)
479
480 * graph with frills
481
482 sts graph, by(Ewv2_ca2_depress_group) xlabel(0(20)180) ylabel(0.80(.05)1) xtitle("Time in Months")
483 ///
484 ytitle("Survival Prob") title("Kaplan Meier Curve")
485
486
487 * calculate person-time and incidence rates using command stptime
488
489 stptime, title(Person-years)
490
491 stptime, title(Person-years) per(1000)
492
493
494
495 /*
496
497 Repeat to find incident case per category
498
499 Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
500 Ewv2_crp
501 Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
502 Ewv2_obesity_waist
503 Ewv2_systolic_bp
504 Ewv2_diastolic_bp
505 Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
506 Ewv2_HbA1c
507 Ewv2_cardio_number
508 Ewv2_cardio2
509
510
511 Ewv2_crp_depress_group
512 Ewv2_hdl_depress_group
513 Ewv2_waist_depress_group
514 Ewv2_sbp_depress_group
515 Ewv2_dbp_depress_group
516 Ewv2_diabet_depress_group
517 Ewv2_hba1c_depress_group
518 Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
519
520
521 */
522
523
524 ta Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
525
526 * calculate person-time by category
527
528 stptime, by(Ewv2_ca2_depress_group)
529
530 stptime, by(Ewv2_ca2_depress_group) per(1000)
531
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533
534 * mean and median of follow-up
535 sum E_time_event_dementia
536 sum E_time_event_dementia, detail
537
538
539
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542
543 /* Log Rank Test of equality of survival distributions
544 (NULL: equality of survival distributions among groups)
545 We will consider including the predictor if the test has a p-value of 0.2 - 0.25 or less.
546 If the predictor has a p-value greater than 0.25 in a univariate analysis
547 it is highly unlikely that it will contribute anything to a model which includes other
predictors.
548 Command is sts test GROUPVAR
549 */
550
551
552 sts test Ewv2_ca2_depress_group, logrank
553
554 sts test E_age, logrank
555
556 sts test E_sex, logrank
557
558 sts test E_eduaction, logrank
559
560 sts test E_maritalstatus_4cat, logrank
561
562 sts test E_wealthquintiles, logrank
563
564 sts test E_smoking_3cat, logrank
565
566 sts test E_alcohol_status, logrank
567
568 sts test E_cvd_comorbidity, logrank
569
570
571
572
573
574
575 /* Cox PH regression model
576
577 using the command stcox
578
579 --- Building the model ---
580
581 Model 1: unadjusted - single predictor of group
582 Model 2: model 1 + sociodemographics: age sex education marital status and wealth
583 Model 3: model 2 + lifestyle/health indicators: smoking, alcohol consumption, cvd comorbidity
584
585
586 !! I didn't adjust for physical activity because this variable can't be used in CHARLS (missing
values)
587
588 */
589
590
591 * Unadjusted model - model 1 - single predictor
592
593 stcox Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
594
595 * define design var by using i.(by group)
596
597 stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
598

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599
600 * Adjusted models - multivariable Cox model
601 * controlling for covariates
602
603 * model 2: model 1 + adjust for sociodemographics: age sex education marital status and wealth
604
605 stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.
E_wealthquintiles
606
607
608 * model 3: model 2 + adjust for lifestyle/ health indicators
609
610 stcox i.Ewv2_depressive_symptoms E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.
E_wealthquintiles ///
611 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity
612
613
614
615
616
617 * Coefficients instead of hazard ratios by specifying the option nohr
618
619 stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group, nohr
620
621
622 stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.
E_wealthquintiles ///
623 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity, nohr
624
625
626
627
628
629 * Multivariable model development
630 * Likelihood-ratio tests
631
632
633
634 *install eststo
635 findit eststo
636
637
638 * ---- rx controlling for age and sex -----*
639 quietly: stcox E_age i.E_sex
640 eststo modelagesex
641
642 quietly: stcox E_age i.E_sex i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
643 eststo modelagesex_4group
644
645 lrtest modelagesex modelagesex_4group
646
647
648
649 * ---- rx controlling for sociodemographics -----*
650 quietly: stcox E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles
651 eststo modelsociodemo
652
653 quietly: stcox E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles i.
Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
654 eststo modelsociodemo_4group
655
656 lrtest modelsociodemo modelsociodemo_4group
657
658
659 * ---- rx controlling for lifestyle/health indicators-----*
660 quietly: stcox i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity
661 eststo modelcardiovascular
662

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663 quietly: stcox i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
664 eststo modelcardiovascular_4group
665
666 lrtest modelcardiovascular modelcardiovascular_4group
667
668
669
670 * side-by-side comparison of models
671
672
673 quietly: stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
674 eststo model1
675
676
677 quietly: stcox E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles i.
678 Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
679 eststo model2
680
681 quietly: stcox E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
682 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
683 eststo model3
684
685
686
687
688
689 * Display Betas and Summary Statistics
690 estout model1 model2 model3, stats(n chi2 bic, star(chi2)) prehead("Betas")
691
692 /* Key Interpretation
693 Chi2 = Value of LR test comparing the model fit ("full") to intercept only ("reduced")
694 bic = Schwarz' Bayesian Information Criterion = It is a function of the log-likelihood.
695 Smaller values indicate a better fit.
696 */
697
698 * Display Hazard Ratios and Model Fit Statistics. Option eform produces hazard ratios
699 estout model1 model2 model3, eform stats(n chi2 bic, star(chi2)) prehead("Hazard Ratios")
700
701
702
703
704 * Postestimation tools for stcox
705
706 * Test of proportional hazards
707
708 estat phtest, detail
709
710
711 /* Proportionality Assumption - method 1
712 We will check proportionality by including time-dependent covariates in the model
713 by using the tvc and the texp options in the stcox command.
714 Time dependent covariates are interactions of the predictors and time.
715 In this analysis we choose to use the interactions with log(time)
716 because this is the most common function of time used in time-dependent covariates
717 but any function of time could be used.
718 If a time-dependent covariate is significant this indicates
719 a violation of the proportionality assumption for that specific predictor.
720 The conclusion is that all of the time-dependent variables are not significant
721 either collectively or individually thus supporting the assumption of proportional hazard.
722 */
723
724
725
726 stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.
727 E_wealthquintiles ///
728 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity, nohr ///
729 tvc(Ewv2_ca2_depress_group E_age E_sex E_education E_maritalstatus_4cat E_wealthquintiles ///

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729 E_smoking_3cat E_alcohol_status E_cvd_comorbidity texp(ln(E_time_event_dementia))
730
731
732
733 /* Proportionality Assumption - method 2
734 by using the Schoenfeld and scaled Schoenfeld residuals
735 In the stptest command we test the proportionality of the model as a whole
736 and by using the detail option we get a test of proportionality for each predictor.
737 By using the plot option we can also obtain a graph of the scaled Schoenfeld assumption.
738 If the tests in the table are not significance (p-values over 0.05)
739 then we can not reject proportionality and we assume
740 that we do not have a violation of the proportional assumption.
741 The stphplot command uses log-log plots to test proportionality
742 and if the lines in these plots are parallel then we have further indication
743 that the predictors do not violate the proportionality assumption.
744 */
745
746 quietly stcox Ewv2_ca2_depress_group E_age E_sex E_education E_maritalstatus_4cat
E_wealthquintiles ///
747 E_smoking_3cat E_alcohol_status E_cvd_comorbidity, schoenfeld(sch*) scaledsch(sca*)
748 stptest, detail
749 stptest, plot(Ewv2_ca2_depress_group) msym(oh)
750 stptest, plot(E_age) msym(oh)
751 stptest, plot(E_sex) msym(oh)
752 stptest, plot(E_education) msym(oh)
753 stptest, plot(E_maritalstatus_4cat) msym(oh)
754 stptest, plot(E_wealthquintiles) msym(oh)
755 stptest, plot(E_smoking_3cat) msym(oh)
756 stptest, plot(E_alcohol_status) msym(oh)
757 stptest, plot(E_cvd_comorbidity) msym(oh)
758
759
760
761
762
763 stphplot, by(Ewv2_ca2_depress_group) plot1(msym(oh)) plot2(msym(th))
764 stphplot, by(E_age) plot1(msym(oh)) plot2(msym(th))
765 stphplot, by(E_sex) plot1(msym(oh)) plot2(msym(th))
766 stphplot, by(E_education) plot1(msym(oh)) plot2(msym(th))
767 stphplot, by(E_maritalstatus_4cat) plot1(msym(oh)) plot2(msym(th))
768 stphplot, by(E_wealthquintiles) plot1(msym(oh)) plot2(msym(th))
769 stphplot, by(E_smoking_3cat) plot1(msym(oh)) plot2(msym(th))
770 stphplot, by(E_alcohol_status) plot1(msym(oh)) plot2(msym(th))
771 stphplot, by(E_cvd_comorbidity) plot1(msym(oh)) plot2(msym(th))
772
773
774
775 * Assessment of PH Assumption: adjust for age and sex
776 stphplot, by(Ewv2_ca2_depress_group) adjust(E_age E_sex) nolntime plot1opts(symbol(none) color(
black) lpattern(dash)) ///
777 plot2opts(symbol(none) color(green)) plot3opts(symbol(none) color(red)) ///
778 title("Assessment of PH Assumption") subtitle(" Predictor is Ewv2_ca4_depress_group") xtitle(
"months")
779
780
781
782 * Assessment of PH Assumption: adjust for model 2
783 stphplot, by(Ewv2_ca2_depress_group) adjust(E_age E_sex E_education E_maritalstatus_4cat
E_wealthquintiles) ///
784 nolntime plot1opts(symbol(none) color(black) lpattern(dash)) ///
785 plot2opts(symbol(none) color(green)) plot3opts(symbol(none) color(red)) ///
786 title("Assessment of PH Assumption") subtitle(" Predictor is Ewv2_ca4_depress_group") xtitle(
"months")
787
788
789
790 * Assessment of PH Assumption: adjust for model 3
791 stphplot, by(Ewv2_ca2_depress_group) adjust(E_age E_sex E_education E_maritalstatus_4cat

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E_wealthquintiles ///
792 E_smoking_3cat E_alcohol_status E_cvd_comorbidity) ///
793 nolntime plotlopts(symbol(none) color(black) lpattern(dash)) ///
794 plot2opts(symbol(none) color(green)) plot3opts(symbol(none) color(red)) ///
795 title("Assessment of PH Assumption") subtitle(" Predictor is Ewv2_ca4_depress_group") xtitle(
"months")

796
797
798
799
800
801 /* Test of overall goodness of fit
802 Goodness of fit of the final model
803 2 methods:
804 - by using the commnad stcoxgof (good fit = non sig p-value)
805 - by using the Cox-Snell residuals
806 to create the Nelson-Aalen cumulative hazard function
807 If the hazard function follows the 45 degree line then we know that it approximately
808 has an exponential distribution with a hazard rate of one and that the model fits the data
well.
809 If the model fits the data, the plot of the cumulative hazard versus cs
810 should approximate a straight line with slope 1.
811 */
812
813
814 * by using the commnad stcoxgof
815
816 * install stcoxgof
817
818 findit stcoxgof
819
820
821 stcox Ewv2_ca2_depress_group E_age E_sex E_education E_maritalstatus_4cat E_wealthquintiles ///
822 E_smoking_3cat E_alcohol_status E_cvd_comorbidity, mgale(mgale)
823
824
825 stcoxgof
826
827
828
829
830
831 * by using the Cox-Snell residuals
832
833 quietly stcox Ewv2_ca2_depress_group E_age E_sex E_education E_maritalstatus_4cat
E_wealthquintiles ///
834 E_smoking_3cat E_alcohol_status E_cvd_comorbidity
835 predict cs, csnell
836
837 * or
838
839 quietly stcox Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
840 predict cs, csnell
841
842
843 stset cs, failure(Ewv3to9_dementia_event)
844 sts generate km = s
845 generate H = -ln(km)
846 line H cs cs, sort ytitle("") clstyle(. reflines)
847
848
849
850
851
852
853
854 /* Cox PH regression model for independent depressive symptoms and CA exposure variables
855

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856 Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
857 Ewv2_crp
858 Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
859 Ewv2_obesity_waist
860 Ewv2_systolic_bp
861 Ewv2_diastolic_bp
862 Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
863 Ewv2_HbA1c
864 Ewv2_cardio_number
865 Ewv2_cardio2
866 Ewv2_cardio3
867 Ewv2_cardio4
868
869 */
870
871
872
873
874 stset E_time_event_dementia, failure (Ewv3to9_dementia_event==1) id(idauniq)
875
876
877
878 * Unadjusted model 1
879
880 stcox i.Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
881
882
883 * Adjusted models - multivariable Cox model
884 * controlling for covariates
885
886 * model 2: model 1 + adjust for sociodemographics: age sex education marital status and wealth
887
888 stcox i.Ewv2_depressive_symptoms E_age i.E_sex i.E_eduaction i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.
E_wealthquintiles
889
890
891 * model 3: model 2 + adjust for lifestyle / health indicators
892
893 stcox i.Ewv2_depressive_symptoms E_age i.E_sex i.E_eduaction i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.
E_wealthquintiles ///
894 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity
895
896
897 * repeat for each independent variable from the list above
898
899
900
901
902 ** ----- **
903
904
905
906
907 /* MULTIPLE IMPUTATION (MI)
908
909 To handle with missing values of covariates
910
911
912 useful sources for MI and MICE:
913
914 https://stats.idre.ucla.edu/stata/seminars/mi\_in\_stata\_pt1\_new/
915 https://www.stata.com/manuals/mi.pdf - see page 139
916 https://www.stata.com/meeting/switzerland16/slides/medeiros-switzerland16.pdf
917 https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i6S0lq0mjuc&ab\_channel=StataCorpLLC
918 https://dss.princeton.edu/training/MIStata.pdf
919
920
921

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922 Preparing to conduct MI
923 1. examine the number and proportion of missing values among the variables of interest
924     use the mdesc command
925 2. examine missing data patterns
926     use commands mi set and mi misstable patterns
927 3. identify potential auxiliary variables
928
929
930 Run MI using chained equations (MICE)
931 using the commands
932 1. how (in what style) to store the imputations
933     mi set wide
934 2. which variables will be imputed
935     mi register imputed
936 3. optionally, which variables will not be imputed
937     mi register regular
938 4. what imputation method is implemented to impute each of var - MICE
939     mi impute chained
940
941 */
942
943
944
945
946
947 /*
948
949 1. examining missing values
950     install packages:
951     * install mdesc
952     * install tabmiss
953     * insatll dm31
954     * insall mvpatterna
955
956 */
957
958 search mdesc
959 search rmiss2
960 search mvpatterns
961
962
963 * examining number of missing values vs non-missing in each variable
964
965 mdesc E_age E_sex E_education E_maritalstatus_4cat E_wealthquintiles ///
966 E_smoking_3cat E_physicalactivity E_alcohol_status E_cvd_comorbidity E_memory_wordrecall
967
968
969
970
971 * examining missing data patterns
972
973 mi set wide
974
975 mi misstable summarize E_age E_sex E_education E_maritalstatus_4cat ///
976 E_wealthquintiles E_smoking_3cat E_physicalactivity ///
977 E_alcohol_status E_cvd_comorbidity ///
978
979 mi misstable patterns E_age E_sex E_education ///
980 E_maritalstatus_4cat E_wealthquintiles ///
981 E_smoking_3cat E_physicalactivity E_alcohol_status E_cvd_comorbidity
982
983
984 /*
985     identifying potential auxiliary var
986     * Auxiliary variables are either correlated with a missing variable(s)
987     (the recommendation is  $r > 0.4$ ) or are believed to be associated with missingness
988     - a priori knowledge of var that would make good auxiliary var
989     - identify potential candidates by examining associations between missing var and other var in

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the dataset
990     running correlation using the command: pwcorr v1 v2 v3, obs
991     the recommendation for good correlation is  $r > 0.4$ 
992
993
994 Missing var to be imputed:
995
996     E_education E_wealthquintiles
997     E_smoking_3cat E_physicalactivity E_alcohol_status
998
999
1000
1001
1002
1003 Potential auxiliary var:
1004 DV:  Ewv3to9_dementia_event
1005 IV:  Ewv2_depressive_symptoms Ewv2_crp Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
1006     Ewv2_obesity_waist Ewv2_systolic_bp Ewv2_diastolic_bp
1007     Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed Ewv2_HbA1c
1008 other var:
1009     E_age E_sex E_maritalstatus_4cat E_cvd_comorbidity
1010
1011 */
1012
1013
1014 * correlation
1015
1016 pwcorr E_education E_wealthquintiles ///
1017     E_smoking_3cat E_physicalactivity E_alcohol_status ///
1018     Ewv3to9_dementia_event Ewv2_depressive_symptoms Ewv2_crp Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol ///
1019     Ewv2_obesity_waist Ewv2_systolic_bp Ewv2_diastolic_bp ///
1020     Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed Ewv2_HbA1c ///
1021     E_age E_sex E_maritalstatus_4cat E_cvd_comorbidity, obs
1022
1023
1024 /* The correlation showed that all the following var are good auxiliary:
1025     Ewv3to9_dementia_event Ewv2_depressive_symptoms Ewv2_crp Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
1026     Ewv2_systolic_bp Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed E_age E_sex E_cvd_comorbidity
1027 A good auxiliary does not have to be correlated with every variable to be useful
1028 And it's not problematic if it has missing info of it's own
1029 */
1030
1031
1032
1033 /*
1034 MI by chained equations (MICE)
1035     see: https://stats.idre.ucla.edu/stata/seminars/mi\_in\_stata\_pt1\_new/
1036
1037 MICE is known as the fully conditional specification or sequential generalized regression
1038 does not assume a joint MVN distribution
1039 but instead uses a separate conditional distribution for each imputed variable.
1040
1041 The multivariate normal (MVN) model - mi imputed mvn -
1042 assumes multivariate normality of all var
1043
1044 The multivariate imputation by chained equations (MICE) - mi imputed chained -
1045 offers flexibility in how each var is modeled
1046
1047 mi impute chained allows to specify models for a
1048 variety of variable types, including
1049 continuous, binary, ordinal, nominal, truncated, and count variables
1050
1051
1052 The MICE distributions available in Stata are:
1053 binary, ordered and multinomial logistic regression for categorical variables,
1054 linear regression and predictive mean matching (PMM)* for continuous variables,
1055 and Poisson and negative binomial regression for count variables.
1056

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1058
1059 IMPUTATION PHASES
1060
1061 1. mi set wide
1062     style to store imputations
1063
1064 2. mi register imputed
1065     identifies which variables in the imputation model have missing information.
1066
1067 3. mi register regular (! optional)
1068     which variables will not be imputed
1069
1070 4. mi impute chained
1071     where the user specifies the imputation model to be used
1072     and the number of imputed datasets to be created.
1073     Example:
1074         mi impute chained (regress) bmi age (logit) female ///
1075         (mlogit) race = bpdiaast i.region, add(20)
1076
1077 5. mi estimate
1078     is used as a prefix to the standard regress command.
1079     This executes the specified estimation model within each of the 20 imputed datasets
1080     to obtain 20 sets of coefficients and standard errors.
1081     Stata then combines these estimates to obtain one set of inferential statistics.
1082     In the output from mi estimate you will see some metrics: Imputation Diagnostics
1083     information for RVI (Relative Increase in Variance),
1084     FMI (Fraction of Missing Information),
1085     DF (Degrees of Freedom) ,
1086     RE (Relative Efficiency),
1087     and the between imputation and the within imputation variance estimates
1088     to examine how the standard errors (SEs) are calculated.
1089
1090 -----
1091
1092
1093 SELECTING MY IMPUTATION MODEL
1094
1095 - MICE -> mi impute chained
1096
1097 - var to be imputed:
1098
1099     linear regression for continuous var (regress) -> none
1100
1101     logistic for the binary var (logit) -> none
1102
1103     multinomial logistic for our nominal categorical var (mlogit) ->
1104     E_education E_wealthquintiles
1105     E_smoking_3cat E_physicalactivity E_alcohol_status
1106
1107
1108
1109 - auxiliary var:
1110
1111     DV -> Ewv3to9_dementia_event
1112     IV -> Ewv2_depressive_symptoms Ewv2_crp Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
1113     Ewv2_systolic_bp Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
1114     other covariates -> E_age E_sex E_cvd_comorbidity
1115
1116
1117
1118 - imputation numbers (m) -> 10
1119
1120     White et al. (2010) recommendation: use the rule that m should equal the percentage of
1121     incomplete cases
1122
1123 - rseed (53421) for reproducability reasons

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1124
1125
1126 - (! OPTIONAL) advance impute options -> force
1127
1128     proceed with imputation, even when missing imputed values (e.g. auxiliary have missing data)
    are encountered
1129
1130 - impute options -> savetrace (trace1)
1131
1132     specifies Stata to save the means and standard deviations of imputed values from each
    iteration to a Stata dataset named "trace1
1133 */
1134
1135
1136 mi set wide
1137
1138
1139 mi register imputed E_education E_wealthquintiles ///
1140     E_smoking_3cat E_physicalactivity E_alcohol_status
1141
1142
1143
1144 mi impute chained (mlogit) E_education E_wealthquintiles E_smoking_3cat E_physicalactivity
    E_alcohol_status = Ewv3to9_dementia_event Ewv2_depressive_symptoms Ewv2_crp Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
    Ewv2_systolic_bp Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed E_age E_sex E_cvd_comorbidity, add(10) rseed(53421)
    savetrace(trace1)
1145
1146
1147
1148
1149 * save imputed data
1150
1151 * plot imputations
1152
1153
1154 *it will open a file named trace1
1155 use trace1, clear
1156
1157 describe
1158
1159
1160 reshape wide *mean *sd, i(iter) j(m)
1161
1162 tsset iter
1163
1164
1165
1166
1167 /*
1168 The trace plot below graphs the predicted means value produced during the first imputation chain.
1169 As before, the expectations is that the values would vary randomly to incorporate variation into
    the predicted values for read.
1170 */
1171
1172 tsline E_education_mean1, name(mice1,replace)legend(off) ytitle("Mean of education")
1173 tsline E_wealthquintiles_mean1, name(mice1,replace)legend(off) ytitle("Mean of wealth")
1174 tsline E_smoking_3cat_mean1, name(mice1,replace)legend(off) ytitle("Mean of smoking")
1175 tsline E_physicalactivity_mean1, name(mice1,replace)legend(off) ytitle("Mean of physical activity")
1176 tsline E_alcohol_status_mean1, name(mice1,replace)legend(off) ytitle("Mean of alcohol status")
1177
1178
1179 /*
1180
1181 All 10 imputation chains can also be graphed simultaneously to make sure that nothing unexpected
    occurred in a single chain.
1182 Every chain is obtained using a different set of initial values and this should be unique.
1183 Each colored line represents a different imputation.
1184 So all 10 imputation chains are overlaid on top of one another.

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1185
1186 */
1187
1188
1189 tsline E_alcohol_status_mean*, name(mice1,replace)legend(off) ytitle("Mean of alcohol")
1190 tsline E_alcohol_status_sd*, name(mice2, replace) legend(off) ytitle("SD of alcohol")
1191 graph combine mice1 mice2, xcommon cols(1) title(Trace plots of summaries of imputed values)
1192
1193 * repeat for each imputed var
1194
1195
1196
1197
1198
1199
1200
1201
1202 * ----- COX PH REGRESSION MODEL IN IMPUTED DATASET ----- *
1203
1204
1205 * Declare Data to be Survival Data by using mi
1206
1207 mi stset E_time_event_dementia, failure (Ewv3to9_dementia_event==1) id(idauniq)
1208
1209
1210 * Run Cox regression analysis in imputed dataset by using "mi estimate:"
1211
1212
1213
1214
1215 /*
1216 Independent risk factors
1217
1218 Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
1219 Ewv2_crp
1220 Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
1221 Ewv2_obesity_waist
1222 Ewv2_systolic_bp
1223 Ewv2_diastolic_bp
1224 Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
1225 Ewv2_HbA1c
1226 Ewv2_cardio_number
1227 Ewv2_cardio2
1228
1229 */
1230
1231
1232
1233 * Depressive symptoms
1234
1235 * Unadjusted model - model 1 - single predictor
1236
1237 * Model 1 (default coefficients)
1238 mi estimate: stcox Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
1239
1240 * Model 1: define design var by using i.
1241 mi estimate: stcox i.Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
1242
1243
1244 * Model 1 ask for hazard ratio by using the option eform("Haz.Ratio")
1245
1246 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
1247
1248
1249
1250 * Adjusted models - multivariable Cox model
1251 * controlling for covariates
1252

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1253 * model 2: model 1 + adjust for sociodemographics: age sex education marital status and wealth
1254
1255 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_depressive_symptoms ///
1256 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles
1257
1258
1259 * model 3: model 2 + adjust for lifestyle/ health indicators
1260
1261 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_depressive_symptoms ///
1262 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
1263 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity
1264
1265
1266
1267 * repeat for each independent variable from the list above
1268
1269
1270
1271
1272
1273 /*
1274 Combined effects Cox regression models
1275
1276 Ewv2_crp_depress_group
1277 Ewv2_hdl_depress_group
1278 Ewv2_waist_depress_group
1279 Ewv2_sbp_depress_group
1280 Ewv2_dbp_depress_group
1281 Ewv2_diabet_depress_group
1282 Ewv2_hba1c_depress_group
1283 Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
1284
1285 */
1286
1287
1288
1289
1290 * Model 1 ask for hazard ratio by using the option eform("Haz.Ratio")
1291
1292 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
1293
1294
1295 * Adjusted models - multivariable Cox model
1296 * controlling for covariates
1297
1298 * model 2: model 1 + adjust for sociodemographics: age sex education marital status and wealth
1299
1300 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group ///
1301 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles
1302
1303 * model 3: model 2 + adjust for lifestyle/ health indicators
1304
1305 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group ///
1306 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
1307 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity
1308
1309
1310 * repeat for each variable from the list above
1311
1312
1313
1314 *-----*
1315
1316
1317
1318
1319 /*
1320

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1321 *** SENSITIVITY ANALYSES ***
1322
1323
1324 1) interaction effect of gender and age_group
1325
1326 2) survival analysis stratified by age
1327 two age groups: young old <70 and old old >=70
1328
1329 3) depressive symptoms as continuous variable
1330 and >= 3 and >=4 cardiometabolic multimorbidity
1331
1332 4) exclude participants with cvd
1333
1334 5) survival analysis without IQCODE
1335
1336 6) Complete data
1337
1338 7) survival analysis limiting to 5 year follow-up period
1339
1340
1341
1342 Repeat on all independent and combined variables
1343
1344 Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
1345 Ewv2_crp
1346 Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
1347 Ewv2_obesity_waist
1348 Ewv2_systolic_bp
1349 Ewv2_diastolic_bp
1350 Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
1351 Ewv2_HbA1c
1352 Ewv2_cardio_number
1353 Ewv2_cardio2
1354
1355
1356 Ewv2_crp_depress_group
1357 Ewv2_hdl_depress_group
1358 Ewv2_waist_depress_group
1359 Ewv2_sbp_depress_group
1360 Ewv2_dbp_depress_group
1361 Ewv2_diabet_depress_group
1362 Ewv2_hba1c_depress_group
1363 Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
1364
1365
1366 */
1367
1368
1369
1370
1371 * 1) Interaction effect
1372
1373 * sex*risk factor
1374
1375 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_cardio2 i.E_sex#i.Ewv2_cardio2
1376
1377
1378 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_cardio2 ///
1379 E_age i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
1380 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity ///
1381 i.E_sex#i.Ewv2_cardio2
1382
1383
1384 * age*risk factor
1385
1386 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_cardio2 c.E_age#i.Ewv2_cardio2
1387
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1389   mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_cardio2 ///
1390   E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
1391   i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity ///
1392   c.E_age#i.Ewv2_cardio2
1393
1394
1395
1396
1397   /* 2) Survival analysis stratified by age
1398
1399   generate age group variable
1400   Age groups: 1) young old (< 70) 2) old old (>= 70)
1401
1402   Kaplan Meier curves
1403   Cox regression models in imputed data
1404
1405   young old <70
1406   if E_age_group==1
1407
1408   old old >70
1409   if E_age_group==2
1410
1411   */
1412
1413
1414
1415
1416   gen E_age_group=1 if E_age < 70
1417   replace E_age_group=2 if E_age >=70 & !missing(E_age)
1418
1419   label var E_age_group "Age groups <70 young-old / 70 old-old"
1420   lab def age_group 1 "young old <70" 2 "old old >70"
1421   lab val E_age_group age_group
1422
1423   tab E_age_group
1424
1425
1426
1427   * COX PH REGRESSION MODEL IN IMPUTED DATASET
1428
1429
1430   * Declare Data to be Survival Data by using mi
1431
1432   mi stset E_time_event_dementia, failure (Ewv3to9_dementia_event==1) id(idauniq)
1433
1434
1435
1436   * YOUNG OLD <70 Cox regression models
1437
1438   * Model 1 ask for hazard ratio by using the option eform("Haz.Ratio")
1439
1440   mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group if E_age_group==1
1441
1442
1443   * Model 3: model 2 + adjust for lifestyle/health indicators
1444
1445   mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group ///
1446   i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
1447   i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity if E_age_group==1
1448
1449
1450
1451
1452   * OLD OLD >70 Cox regression models
1453
1454
1455   * Model 1 ask for hazard ratio by using the option eform("Haz.Ratio")
1456

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1457 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group if E_age_group==2
1458
1459
1460 * Model 3: model 2 + adjust for lifestyle/health indicators
1461
1462 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group ///
1463 i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
1464 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity if E_age_group==2
1465
1466
1467
1468
1469
1470
1471 * 3) On depressive symptom continuous variable
1472
1473
1474 * COX PH REGRESSION MODEL IN IMPUTED DATASET
1475
1476 * Declare Data to be Survival Data by using mi
1477
1478 mi stset E_time_event_dementia, failure (Ewv3to9_dementia_event==1) id(idauniq)
1479
1480
1481
1482 * Model 1 ask for hazard ratio by using the option eform("Haz.Ratio")
1483
1484 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox Ewv2_cesd_score
1485
1486
1487 * Adjusted models - multivariable Cox model
1488 * controlling for covariates
1489
1490 * Model 2: model 1 + adjust for socio-demographics: age sex education marital status and wealth
1491 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox Ewv2_cesd_score ///
1492 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles
1493
1494
1495 * Model 3: model 2 + adjust for lifestyle/health indicators
1496
1497 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox Ewv2_cesd_score ///
1498 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
1499 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity
1500
1501
1502
1503
1504
1505
1506 * Cardiometabolic multimorbidity >= 3
1507
1508
1509 * Model 1 ask for hazard ratio by using the option eform("Haz.Ratio")
1510
1511 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_cardio3
1512
1513
1514 * Adjusted models - multivariable Cox model
1515 * controlling for covariates
1516
1517 * Model 2: model 1 + adjust for socio-demographics: age sex education marital status and wealth
1518 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_cardio3 ///
1519 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles
1520
1521
1522 * Model 3: model 2 + adjust for lifestyle/health indicators
1523
1524 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_cardio3 ///

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1525 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
1526 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity
1527
1528
1529
1530
1531 * Model 1 ask for hazard ratio by using the option eform("Haz.Ratio")
1532
1533 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca3_depress_group
1534
1535
1536 * Adjusted models - multivariable Cox model
1537 * controlling for covariates
1538
1539 * Model 2: model 1 + adjust for socio-demographics: age sex education marital status and wealth
1540 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca3_depress_group ///
1541 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles
1542
1543
1544 * Model 3: model 2 + adjust for lifestyle/health indicators
1545
1546 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca3_depress_group ///
1547 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
1548 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity
1549
1550
1551
1552
1553 * Cardiometabolic multimorbidity >=4
1554
1555
1556 * Model 1 ask for hazard ratio by using the option eform("Haz.Ratio")
1557
1558 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_cardio4
1559
1560
1561 * Adjusted models - multivariable Cox model
1562 * controlling for covariates
1563
1564 * Model 2: model 1 + adjust for socio-demographics: age sex education marital status and wealth
1565 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_cardio4 ///
1566 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles
1567
1568
1569 * Model 3: model 2 + adjust for lifestyle/health indicators
1570
1571 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_cardio4 ///
1572 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
1573 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity
1574
1575
1576
1577
1578 * Model 1 ask for hazard ratio by using the option eform("Haz.Ratio")
1579
1580 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca4_depress_group
1581
1582
1583 * Adjusted models - multivariable Cox model
1584 * controlling for covariates
1585
1586 * Model 2: model 1 + adjust for socio-demographics: age sex education marital status and wealth
1587 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca4_depress_group ///
1588 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles
1589
1590
1591 * Model 3: model 2 + adjust for lifestyle/health indicators
1592

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1593 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca4_depress_group ///
1594 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
1595 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity
1596
1597
1598
1599
1600
1601
1602 /*
1603
1604 4) exclude participants with cvd
1605
1606 use the command if E_cvd_comorbidity==0
1607
1608 */
1609
1610
1611 * COX PH REGRESSION MODEL IN IMPUTED DATASET
1612
1613
1614 * Declare Data to be Survival Data by using mi
1615
1616 mi stset E_time_event_dementia, failure (Ewv3to9_dementia_event==1) id(idauniq)
1617
1618
1619 * Model 1 ask for hazard ratio by using the option eform("Haz.Ratio")
1620
1621 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group if E_cvd_comorbidity==0
1622
1623
1624
1625 * Model 3: model 2 + adjust for lifestyle/health indicators
1626
1627 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group ///
1628 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
1629 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status if E_cvd_comorbidity==0
1630
1631
1632
1633
1634
1635 * 5) Exclude dementia cases identified with IQCODE
1636
1637
1638 * Declare Data to be Survival Data by using mi
1639
1640 mi stset E_time_event_dementia_report_no_, failure (Ewv3to9_dementia_event_no_iqcode==1) id(
1641 idauniq)
1642
1643
1644 * Model 1 ask for hazard ratio by using the option eform("Haz.Ratio")
1645
1646
1647 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
1648
1649
1650 * Model 3: model 2 + adjust for cvd health
1651
1652 mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group ///
1653 E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
1654 i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity
1655
1656
1657
1658 * 6) On complete cases (see above)
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1661
1662  /*
1663  7) survival analysis limiting to 5 year follow-up period
1664
1665  elsa follow-up wave 3-6
1666
1667  */
1668
1669
1670
1671  merge 1:m RAHHIDPN using "S:\Research\pkstudies\Study3_cardio_lca\HRS\hrs_lca data sensitivity
1672  9to12followup.dta"
1673
1674
1675  * Declare Data to be Survival Data by using mi
1676
1677  mi stset Ewv3to6_time_event_dementia, failure (Ewv3to6_dementia_event==1) id(idauniq)
1678
1679
1680  * Model 1 ask for hazard ratio by using the option eform("Haz.Ratio")
1681
1682  mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group
1683
1684
1685  * Adjusted models - multivariable Cox model
1686  * controlling for covariates
1687
1688  * Model 2: model 1 + adjust for socio-demographics: age sex education marital status and wealth
1689  mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group ///
1690  E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles
1691
1692
1693
1694
1695  * Model 3: model 2 + adjust for lifestyle/health indicators
1696
1697  mi estimate, eform("Haz. Ratio"): stcox i.Ewv2_ca2_depress_group ///
1698  E_age i.E_sex i.E_education i.E_maritalstatus_4cat i.E_wealthquintiles ///
1699  i.E_smoking_3cat i.E_alcohol_status i.E_cvd_comorbidity
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1707  * ----- *
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