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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 2: Mediating effects of depressive symptoms and cardiometabolic health on dementia
7  development
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9  Method of analysis:
10 Path Analysis (SEM)
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12 MODEL
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14 T1: EXPOSURE: DEPRESSIVE SYMPTOMS WV2 (BASELINE, 2004)
15                CARDIOMETABOLIC RISK WV2 (BASELINE, 2004)
16 T2: MEDIATOR: DEPRESSIVE SYMPTOMS WV4 (2008)
17                CARDIOMETABOLIC RISK: WV4 (2008)
18 T3: OUTCOME: DEMENTIA WV6 (2012)
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20 COVARIATES ADJUSTMENT FOR PATH MODELS: WV2
21
22 */
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26 * KEEP NECESSARY VARIABLES
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28 keep idauniq w2wtnur w2wtbld ///
29 E_sex E_age E_education_yrs E_education E_maritalstatus_3cat E_maritalstatus_4cat ///
30 E_wealthquintiles E_smoking_3cat E_physicalactivity E_alcohol_freq E_alcohol_status ///
31 E_cvd_comorbidity E_cognitive_index E_memory_wordrecall ///
32 Ewv2_loneliness_quintiles Ewv6_memory_wordrecall ///
33 Ewv2_cesd_happy_rand Ewv2_cesd_enlife_rand Ewv2_cesd_depressed_rand ///
34 Ewv2_cesd_effort_rand Ewv2_cesd_sleep_rand Ewv2_cesd_lonely_rand ///
35 Ewv2_cesd_sad_rand Ewv2_cesd_going_rand ///
36 Ewv2_cesd_score Ewv2_depressive_symptoms ///
37 Ewv3_cesd_sumscore_rand Ewv3_depressive_symptoms ///
38 Ewv4_cesd_happy_rand Ewv4_cesd_enlife_rand ///
39 Ewv4_cesd_depressed_rand Ewv4_cesd_effort_rand ///
40 Ewv4_cesd_sleep_rand Ewv4_cesd_lonely_rand ///
41 Ewv4_cesd_sad_rand Ewv4_cesd_going_rand ///
42 Ewv4_cesd_sumscore_rand Ewv4_depressive_symptoms ///
43 Ewv5_cesd_sumscore_rand Ewv5_depressive_symptoms ///
44 Ewv6_cesd_sumscore_rand Ewv6_depressive_symptoms ///
45 Ewv7_cesd_sumscore_rand Ewv7_depressive_symptoms ///
46 Ewv8_cesd_sumscore Ewv8_depressive_symptoms ///
47 Ewv9_cesd_sumscore Ewv9_depressive_symptoms ///
48 Ewv2_crp_level Ewv2_crp Ewv2_fibrinogen_level Ewv2_fibrinogen ///
49 Ewv2_hdl_level Ewv2_male_hdl Ewv2_female_hdl ///
50 Ewv2_meds_hdl Ewv2_cholesterol_evr Ewv2_hdl_sum Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol ///
51 Ewv2_waist Ewv2_malewaist_ao Ewv2_femalewaist_ao Ewv2_obesity_waist_sum Ewv2_obesity_waist ///
52 Ewv2_bmi_score Ewv2_obesity_bmi Ewv2_waist_bmi_sum Ewv2_obesity ///
53 Ewv2_tg_level Ewv2_tg ///
54 Ewv2_systolic_mean Ewv2_diastolic_mean Ewv2_systolic_bp Ewv2_diastolic_bp ///
55 Ewv2_meds_bp Ewv2_bp_reportevr Ewv2_bp_before Ewv2_bp_diagnosed_sum ///
56 Ewv2_bp_diagnosed Ewv2_bp_sum Ewv2_bp ///
57 Ewv2_diabetes_evr Ewv2_diabetes_before Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed_sum Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed ///
58 Ewv2_glucose_level Ewv2_glucose Ewv2_HbA1c_level Ewv2_HbA1c ///
59 Ewv2_meds1_diabetes Ewv2_meds2_diabetes Ewv2_insulin_diabetes ///
60 Ewv2_diabetes_anymeds_sum Ewv2_diabetes_anymeds ///
61 Ewv2_diabetes_glucose_sum Ewv2_glycemia ///
62 Ewv4_crp_level Ewv4_crp Ewv4_hdl_level Ewv4_male_hdl Ewv4_female_hdl ///
63 Ewv4_meds1_hdl Ewv4_meds2_hdl Ewv4_cholesterol_anymeds_sum Ewv4_cholesterol_anymeds ///
64 Ewv4_cholesterol_before Ewv4_cholesterol_confirm Ewv4_cholesterol_still ///
65 Ewv4_cholesterol_new Ewv4_cholesterol_newreport Ewv4_cholesterol_evr ///
66 Ewv4_cholesterol_diagnosed_sum Ewv4_cholesterol_diagnosed Ewv4_hdl_sum ///

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67 Ewv4_hdl_cholesterol Ewv4_waist Ewv4_malewaist_ao Ewv4_femalewaist_ao ///
68 Ewv4_obesity_waist_sum Ewv4_obesity_waist Ewv4_bmi_score Ewv4_obesity_bmi ///
69 Ewv4_waist_bmi_sum Ewv4_obesity Ewv4_tg_level Ewv4_tg Ewv4_systolic_mean ///
70 Ewv4_diastolic_mean Ewv4_systolic_bp Ewv4_diastolic_bp Ewv4_meds1_bp ///
71 Ewv4_meds2_bp Ewv4_bp_anymeds_sum Ewv4_bp_anymeds Ewv4_bp_before ///
72 Ewv4_bp_confirm Ewv4_bp_still Ewv4_bp_new Ewv4_bp_newreport Ewv4_bp_evr ///
73 Ewv4_bp_diagnosed_sum Ewv4_bp_diagnosed Ewv4_bp_sum Ewv4_bp Ewv4_diabetes_before ///
74 Ewv4_diabetes_confirm Ewv4_diabetes_new Ewv4_diabetes_newreport Ewv4_diabetes_doctor ///
75 Ewv4_diabetes_evr Ewv4_diabetes_diagnosed_sum Ewv4_diabetes_diagnosed Ewv4_glucose_level ///
76 Ewv4_glucose Ewv4_HbA1c_level Ewv4_HbA1c_who Ewv4_meds1_diabetes Ewv4_meds2_diabetes ///
77 Ewv4_insulin_diabetes Ewv4_meds3_diabetes Ewv4_diabetes_anymeds_sum Ewv4_diabetes_anymeds ///
78 Ewv4_diabetes_glucose_sum Ewv4_glycemia ///
79 Ewv2_cardio_number_sum Ewv2_cardio_number Ewv2_cardio3 Ewv2_cardio4 ///
80 Ewv4_cardio_number_sum Ewv4_cardio_number Ewv4_cardio3 Ewv4_cardio4 ///
81 Ewv2_anydementia_iqcode_report Ewv3_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
82 Ewv4_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
83 Ewv5_anydementia_iqcode_report Ewv6_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
84 Ewv6_anydementia_report Ewv7_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
85 Ewv8_anydementia_iqcode_report Ewv9_anydementia_iqcode_report ///
86 Ewv2_interview_date Ewv3_interview_date Ewv4_interview_date ///
87 Ewv5_interview_date Ewv6_interview_date Ewv7_interview_date ///
88 Ewv8_interview_date Ewv9_interview_date ///
89 Ewv2_interview_year Ewv3_interview_year Ewv5_interview_year ///
90 Ewv6_interview_year Ewv7_interview_year Ewv8_interview_year Ewv9_interview_year ///
91 Ewv3to9_dementia_sum Ewv3to9_dementia_sum_no_iqcode ///
92 Ewv3to9_dementia_event Ewv3to9_dementia_event_no_iqcode ///
93 Ewv3to9_dementia_report_or_lasti Ewv3to9_dementia_report_free_dat ///
94 Ewv3to9_newdementia_or_lastinter Ewv3to9_dementia_free_date ///
95 Ewv6to9_dementia_event Ewv6to9_dementia_sum_no_iqcode ///
96 Ewv6to9_dementia_event_no_iqcode ///
97 E_time_dementia_months ///
98 E_time_dementia_report_months_no E_time_dementia_midpoint ///
99 E_time_dementia_midpoint_final E_time_event_dementia ///
100 E_time_dementia_report_midpoint_ ///
101 E_time_dementia_midpoint_no iqco E_time_event_dementia_report_no_ ///
102 Ewv6to9_newdementia_or_lastinter Ewv6to9_time_dementia_months ///
103 Ewv6to9_dementia_free_date ///
104 Ewv6to9_time_dementia_midpoint ///
105 Ewv6to9_time_dementia_midpoint_f Ewv6to9_time_event_dementia
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111 /* Prepare variables for SEM dataset
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113 Binary variables of depressive symptoms and binary and continous cardiometabolic markers at wave
114 2 and 4
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116 EXPOSURE
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118 DEPRESSION T1
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120 Ewv2_cesd_happy_rand Ewv2_cesd_enlife_rand Ewv2_cesd_depressed_rand Ewv2_cesd_effort_rand
121 Ewv2_cesd_sleep_rand Ewv2_cesd_lonely_rand Ewv2_cesd_sad_rand Ewv2_cesd_going_rand
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123 CARDIO HEALTH T1
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125 CRP: Ewv2_crp_level Ewv2_crp
126 HDL cholesterol: Ewv2_hdl_level Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
127 Obesity by waist cir: Ewv2_waist Ewv2_obesity_waist
128 SBP: Ewv2_diastolic_meanEwv2_systolic_mean Ewv2_systolic_bp
129 DBP: Ewv2_diastolic_mean Ewv2_diastolic_bp
130 Diabetes: Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
131 HbA1c: Ewv2_HbA1c_level Ewv2_HbA1c
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133 MEDIATORS

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134 DEPRESSION T2
135
136 Ewv4_cesd_happy_rand Ewv4_cesd_enlife_rand Ewv4_cesd_depressed_rand Ewv4_cesd_effort_rand
Ewv4_cesd_sleep_rand Ewv4_cesd_lonely_rand Ewv4_cesd_sad_rand Ewv4_cesd_going_rand
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138
139 CARDIO HEALTH T2
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141 CRP: Ewv4_crp_level Ewv4_crp
142 HDL cholesterol: Ewv4_hdl_level Ewv4_hdl_cholesterol
143 Obesity by waist cir: Ewv4_waist Ewv4_obesity_waist
144 SBP: Ewv4_systolic_mean Ewv4_systolic_bp
145 DBP: Ewv4_diastolic_mean Ewv4_diastolic_bp
146 Diabetes: Ewv4_diabetes_diagnosed
147 HbA1c: Ewv4_HbA1c_level Ewv4_HbA1c_who
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150 OUTCOME
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152 Dementia incidence: Ewv6_anydementia_iqcode_report (binary)
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154 */
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164 *** Descriptive stats of Exposure, Mediator and Outcome at time 1 (wave 2 baseline)
165
166 * depression
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169 tabulate Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
170 summarize Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
171
172 misstable summarize Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
173 misstable patterns Ewv2_depressive_symptoms
174
175 * crp
176
177 tabulate Ewv2_crp_level
178 summarize Ewv2_crp_level, detail
179 histogram Ewv2_crp_level, discrete frequency normal
180 sktest Ewv2_crp_level
181
182 misstable summarize Ewv2_crp_level
183 misstable patterns Ewv2_crp_level
184
185 tabulate Ewv2_crp
186 summarize Ewv2_crp
187
188 misstable summarize Ewv2_crp
189 misstable patterns Ewv2_crp
190
191 *hdl
192
193 tabulate Ewv2_hdl_level
194 summarize Ewv2_hdl_level, detail
195 histogram Ewv2_hdl_level, discrete frequency normal
196 sktest Ewv2_hdl_level
197
198 misstable summarize Ewv2_hdl_level
199 misstable patterns Ewv2_hdl_level

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201
202 tabulate Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
203 summarize Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
204
205 misstable summarize Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
206 misstable patterns Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol
207
208
209 *obesity waist
210
211
212 tabulate Ewv2_waist
213 summarize Ewv2_waist, detail
214 histogram Ewv2_waist, discrete frequency normal
215 sktest Ewv2_waist
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217
218 misstable summarize Ewv2_waist
219 misstable patterns Ewv2_waist
220
221
222 tabulate Ewv2_obesity_waist
223 summarize Ewv2_obesity_waist
224
225 misstable summarize Ewv2_obesity_waist
226 misstable patterns Ewv2_obesity_waist
227
228
229 *sbp
230
231 tabulate Ewv2_systolic_mean
232 summarize Ewv2_systolic_mean, detail
233 histogram Ewv2_systolic_mean, discrete frequency normal
234 sktest Ewv2_systolic_mean
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236
237 misstable summarize Ewv2_systolic_mean
238 misstable patterns Ewv2_systolic_mean
239
240
241 tabulate Ewv2_systolic_bp
242 summarize Ewv2_systolic_bp
243
244 misstable summarize Ewv2_systolic_bp
245 misstable patterns Ewv2_systolic_bp
246
247
248 *dbp
249
250
251 tabulate Ewv2_diastolic_mean
252 summarize Ewv2_diastolic_mean, detail
253 histogram Ewv2_diastolic_mean, discrete frequency normal
254 sktest Ewv2_diastolic_mean
255
256 misstable summarize Ewv2_diastolic_mean
257 misstable patterns Ewv2_diastolic_mean
258
259 tabulate Ewv2_diastolic_bp
260 summarize Ewv2_diastolic_bp
261
262 misstable summarize Ewv2_diastolic_bp
263 misstable patterns Ewv2_diastolic_bp
264
265 * diabetes
266
267 tabulate Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed

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268 summarize Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
269
270 misstable summarize Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
271 misstable patterns Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed
272
273
274 * HbA1c
275
276 tabulate Ewv2_HbA1c_level
277 summarize Ewv2_HbA1c_level, detail
278 histogram Ewv2_HbA1c_level, discrete frequency normal
279 sktest Ewv2_HbA1c_level
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281
282 misstable summarize Ewv2_HbA1c_level
283 misstable patterns Ewv2_HbA1c_level
284
285 tabulate Ewv2_HbA1c
286 summarize Ewv2_HbA1c
287
288 misstable summarize Ewv2_HbA1c
289 misstable patterns Ewv2_HbA1c
290
291 * dementia wave 2
292
293 tabulate Ewv2_anydementia_iqcode_report
294 summarize Ewv2_anydementia_iqcode_report
295
296 misstable summarize Ewv2_anydementia_iqcode_report
297 misstable patterns Ewv2_anydementia_iqcode_report
298
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302 *** Descriptive stats of Exposure, Mediator and Outcome at time 2 (wave 4)
303
304 *depression
305
306 tabulate Ewv4_depressive_symptoms
307 summarize Ewv4_depressive_symptoms
308
309 misstable summarize Ewv4_depressive_symptoms
310 misstable patterns Ewv4_depressive_symptoms
311
312
313 *crp
314
315 tabulate Ewv4_crp_level
316 summarize Ewv4_crp_level, detail
317 histogram Ewv4_crp_level, discrete frequency normal
318 sktest Ewv4_crp_level
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320
321 misstable summarize Ewv4_crp_level
322 misstable patterns Ewv4_crp_level
323
324 tabulate Ewv4_crp
325 summarize Ewv4_crp
326
327 misstable summarize Ewv4_crp
328 misstable patterns Ewv4_crp
329
330
331 *hdl
332
333 tabulate Ewv4_hdl_level
334 summarize Ewv4_hdl_level, detail
335 histogram Ewv4_hdl_level, discrete frequency normal

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336 sktest Ewv4_hdl_level
337
338
339 misstable summarize Ewv4_hdl_level
340 misstable patterns Ewv4_hdl_level
341
342
343 tabulate Ewv4_hdl_cholesterol
344 summarize Ewv4_hdl_cholesterol
345
346 misstable summarize Ewv4_hdl_cholesterol
347 misstable patterns Ewv4_hdl_cholesterol
348
349
350 *obesity waist
351
352 tabulate Ewv4_waist
353 summarize Ewv4_waist, detail
354 histogram Ewv4_waist, discrete frequency normal
355 sktest Ewv4_waist
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358 misstable summarize Ewv4_waist
359 misstable patterns Ewv4_waist
360
361 tabulate Ewv4_obesity_waist
362 summarize Ewv4_obesity_waist
363
364 misstable summarize Ewv4_obesity_waist
365 misstable patterns Ewv4_obesity_waist
366
367
368 *sbp
369
370 tabulate Ewv4_systolic_mean
371 summarize Ewv4_systolic_mean, detail
372 histogram Ewv4_systolic_mean, discrete frequency normal
373 sktest Ewv4_systolic_mean
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375
376 misstable summarize Ewv4_systolic_mean
377 misstable patterns Ewv4_systolic_mean
378
379 tabulate Ewv4_systolic_bp
380 summarize Ewv4_systolic_bp
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382 misstable summarize Ewv4_systolic_bp
383 misstable patterns Ewv4_systolic_bp
384
385
386
387 *dbp
388
389 tabulate Ewv4_diastolic_mean
390 summarize Ewv4_diastolic_mean, detail
391 histogram Ewv4_diastolic_mean, discrete frequency normal
392 sktest Ewv4_diastolic_mean
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394
395 misstable summarize Ewv4_diastolic_mean
396 misstable patterns Ewv4_diastolic_mean
397
398
399 tabulate Ewv4_diastolic_bp
400 summarize Ewv4_diastolic_bp
401
402 misstable summarize Ewv4_diastolic_bp
403 misstable patterns Ewv4_diastolic_bp

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405
406 *diabetes
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408 tabulate Ewv4_diabetes_diagnosed
409 summarize Ewv4_diabetes_diagnosed
410
411 misstable summarize Ewv4_diabetes_diagnosed
412 misstable patterns Ewv4_diabetes_diagnosed
413
414
415 *HbA1c
416
417 tabulate Ewv4_HbA1c_level
418 summarize Ewv4_HbA1c_level, detail
419 histogram Ewv4_HbA1c_level, discrete frequency normal
420 sktest Ewv4_HbA1c_level
421
422
423 misstable summarize Ewv4_HbA1c_level
424 misstable patterns Ewv4_HbA1c_level
425
426 tabulate Ewv4_HbA1c_who
427 summarize Ewv4_HbA1c_who
428
429 misstable summarize Ewv4_HbA1c_who
430 misstable patterns Ewv4_HbA1c_who
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432
433
434 * dementia wave 3 and 4
435
436
437 tabulate Ewv3_anydementia_iqcode_report
438 summarize Ewv3_anydementia_iqcode_report
439
440 misstable summarize Ewv3_anydementia_iqcode_report
441 misstable patterns Ewv3_anydementia_iqcode_report
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444 tabulate Ewv4_anydementia_iqcode_report
445 summarize Ewv4_anydementia_iqcode_report
446
447 misstable summarize Ewv4_anydementia_iqcode_report
448 misstable patterns Ewv4_anydementia_iqcode_report
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456 *** CLEANING DATA
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459 * drop dementia cases at wv2,3 and 4 and missing data at baseline
460
461 drop if Ewv2_anydementia_iqcode_report==1
462 * (50 observations deleted)
463
464 drop if Ewv2_anydementia_iqcode_report== .
465 * (0 observations deleted)
466
467 * drop dementia cases at wave 3 and 4
468
469 drop if Ewv3_anydementia_iqcode_report==1
470 * (56 observations deleted)
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472 drop if Ewv4_anydementia_iqcode_report==1
473 * (65 observations deleted)
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478 * drop invalid ca cases t1 and t2
479
480 * drop CRP > 100
481
482 drop if Ewv2_crp_level > 100 & Ewv2_crp_level < 300
483 * (8 observations deleted)
484
485
486 drop if Ewv4_crp_level > 100 & Ewv4_crp_level < 300
487 * (2 observations deleted)
488
489
490
491 * drop obs with no records on dementia at wave 6
492
493 drop if Ewv6_anydementia_iqcode_report== .
494 * (2624 observations deleted)
495
496 drop if Ewv6_anydementia_report== .
497 * (0 observations deleted)
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501 * ANALYTIC SAMPLE -> 4861
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506 *** Recoding crp and hdl of interest
507
508
509 * log transform crp (left-skewed)
510
511 gen log_Ewv2_crp_level=log(Ewv2_crp_level)
512 gen log_Ewv4_crp_level=log(Ewv4_crp_level)
513
514 * reverse HDL scores
515
516 * HDL cholesterol was reverse scored, so that for all biomarkers higher scores represent greater
cardiometabolic dysfunction
517
518 findit revrs
519
520 revrs Ewv2_hdl_level Ewv4_hdl_level
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524 * rename var of interest to shorter names (max 8 characters)
525
526 * multiple renaming
527 findit renvars
528
529
530 renvars Ewv2_cesd_score Ewv2_depressive_symptoms Ewv2_cesd_happy_rand Ewv2_cesd_enlife_rand
Ewv2_cesd_depressed_rand Ewv2_cesd_effort_rand Ewv2_cesd_sleep_rand Ewv2_cesd_lonely_rand
Ewv2_cesd_sad_rand Ewv2_cesd_going_rand Ewv2_crp Ewv2_hdl_cholesterol Ewv2_obesity_waist
Ewv2_systolic_bp Ewv2_diastolic_bp Ewv2_diabetes_diagnosed Ewv2_HbA1c log_Ewv2_crp_level
revEwv2_hdl_level Ewv2_waist Ewv2_systolic_mean Ewv2_diastolic_mean Ewv2_HbA1c_level
Ewv4_cesd_sumscore_rand Ewv4_depressive_symptoms Ewv4_cesd_happy_rand Ewv4_cesd_enlife_rand
Ewv4_cesd_depressed_rand Ewv4_cesd_effort_rand Ewv4_cesd_sleep_rand Ewv4_cesd_lonely_rand
Ewv4_cesd_sad_rand Ewv4_cesd_going_rand Ewv4_crp Ewv4_hdl_cholesterol Ewv4_obesity_waist
Ewv4_systolic_bp Ewv4_diastolic_bp Ewv4_diabetes_diagnosed Ewv4_HbA1c_who log_Ewv4_crp_level

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revEwv4_hdl_level Ewv4_waist Ewv4_systolic_mean Ewv4_diastolic_mean Ewv4_HbA1c_level
Ewv6_anydementia_iqcode_report Ewv6_anydementia_report E_age E_sex E_education
E_maritalstatus_4cat E_wealthquintiles E_smoking_3cat E_alcohol_status E_cvd_comorbidity \ cesdsc1
cesddr1 happy1 enlife1 depress1 effort1 sleep1 lonely1 sad1 going1 crp1 hdl1 obese1 sbp1 dbp1
diab1 hba1c1 lcrp1 lhd11 lobese1 lsbp1 ldbp1 lhba1c1 cesdsc2 cesddr2 happy2 enlife2 depress2
effort2 sleep2 lonely2 sad2 going2 crp2 hdl2 obese2 sbp2 dbp2 diab2 hba1c2 lcrp2 lhd12 lobese2
lsbp2 ldbp2 lhba1c2 dem noiq_dem age sex educ marital wealth smoke alcohol cvd

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* Correlation matrix of the CM and depression variables

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* to create quality table in word - asdoc -

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* https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XHBl6PHf0zs&ab_channel=StataProfessor

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help asdoc

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asdoc pwcorr happy1 enlife1 depress1 effort1 sleep1 lonely1 sad1 going1 crp2 hdl2 obese2 sbp2 dbp2
diab2 hba1c2, star(.05)

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asdoc pwcorr crp1 hdl1 obese1 sbp1 dbp1 diab1 hba1c1 happy2 enlife2 depress2 effort2 sleep2
lonely2 sad2 going2, star(.05)

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* Correlation matrix of the categorical (binary) Cardiometabolic and depression domains

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There are three metrics that are commonly used to calculate the correlation between categorical
variables:

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1. Tetrachoric Correlation: Used to calculate the correlation between binary categorical variables.
2. Polychoric Correlation: Used to calculate the correlation between ordinal categorical variables.
3. Cramer's V: Used to calculate the correlation between nominal categorical variables.

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tetrachoric computes estimates of the tetrachoric correlation coefficients of the binary
variables in varlist. All of these variables should be 0, 1, or missing values.

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tetrachoric happy1 enlife1 depress1 effort1 sleep1 lonely1 sad1 going1 crp2 hdl2 obese2 sbp2 dbp2
diab2 hba1c2, star(.05)

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tetrachoric crp1 hdl1 obese1 sbp1 dbp1 diab1 hba1c1 happy2 enlife2 depress2 effort2 sleep2 lonely2
sad2 going2, star(.05)

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* KEEP SEM MODEL VARIABLES

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keep idauniq w2wtunur w2wtbld ///

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happy1 enlife1 depress1 effort1 sleep1 lonely1 sad1 going1 ///

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cesdsc1 cesddr1 ///

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lcrp1 crp1 lhd11 hdl1 lobese1 obese1 lsbp1 sbp1 ldbp1 dbp1 ///

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diab1 lhba1c1 hba1c1 ///

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happy2 enlife2 depress2 effort2 sleep2 lonely2 sad2 going2 ///

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cesdsc2 cesddr2 ///

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lcrp2 crp2 lhd12 hdl2 lobese2 obese2 lsbp2 sbp2 ldbp2 dbp2 ///

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diab2 lhba1c2 hba1c2 ///

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dem noiq_dem age sex educ marital wealth smoke alcohol cvd

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586
587
588 *** To read by Mplus -> Open in spss - missing data (-99) - save as csv - tab delimited - tick do
not write var names on the first linear
589
590
591
592 *** convert from stata (dat) to mplus (dta)
593
594 help stata2mplus
595
596
597 stata2mplus using S:\Research\pkstudies\Study4_depr_cardio_path\ELSA\elsa_sem, missing (-99)
replace
598
599
600
601
602
603 * General baseline characteristics of ELSA participants by dementia status
604 * crosstabs categ var (frequencies and chi2) !report column percentage!
605 * oneway ANOVA cont var (mean, sd)
606
607
608 * Socio-demographics
609 ttest age, by(dem)
610 ta sex dem, chi2 column row
611 ta educ dem, chi2 column row
612 ta marital dem, chi2 column row
613 ta wealth dem, chi2 column row
614 * Cardiometabolic factors
615 ta crp1 dem, chi2 column row
616 ta hdl1 dem, chi2 column row
617 ta obese1 dem, chi2 column row
618 ta sbp1 dem, chi2 column row
619 ta dbp1 dem, chi2 column row
620 ta diab1 dem, chi2 column row
621 ta hba1c1 dem, chi2 column row
622 * Lifestyle/health factors
623 ta smoke dem, chi2 column row
624 ta Ewv6_physicalactivity Ewv6_anydementia_iqcode_report, chi2 column row
625 ta alcohol dem, chi2 column row
626 ta cvd dem, chi2 column row
627 * Mental health
628 ttest cesdsc1, by(dem)
629 ta cesddr1 dem, chi2 column row
630
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633
634
635 *** SENSITIVITY ANALYSES ***
636
637 /*
638
639 1) Stratify by age
640 Age groups: 1) young old (< 70) 2) old old (>= 70)
641
642 2) Exclude dementia cases identified with IQCODE
643
644 3) Exclude those with CVDs at baseline
645
646 4) Mediation analysis on complete cases
647
648 */
649
650
651 * Stratify by age

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652
653
654 gen age70=1 if age < 70
655 replace age70=2 if age >=70 & !missing(age)
656
657 label var age70 "Age groups <70 young-old / 70 old-old"
658 lab def age_group 1 "young" 2 "old"
659 lab val age70 age_group
660
661 tab age70
662
663
664
665 *** MISSING DATA ***
666
667
668 search mdesc
669
670
671 * examining number of missing values vs non-missing in each variable
672
673 mdesc age sex educ marital wealth smoke alcohol cvd happy1 enlife1 depress1 effort1 sleep1 lonely1
      sad1 going1 happy2 enlife2 depress2 effort2 sleep2 lonely2 sad2 going2 crp1 hdl1 obese1 sbp1 dbp1
      diab1 hba1c1 crp2 hdl2 obese2 sbp2 dbp2 diab2 hba1c2
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