Summary of the four simulation mathematical models generated with increasing heterogeneous treatment effect complexity

Outcome model

Model II

 $Y_i = \beta_0 + \sum_{i=1}^p \beta_k x_{ik} + \delta T + \varepsilon$

 $Y_{i} = \beta_{0} + \sum_{k=1}^{p} \beta_{i} x_{ik} + (\gamma_{0} + \sum_{k=1}^{p} \gamma_{k} x_{ik}) T + \varepsilon$

 $Y_i = \beta_0 + \sum_{k=1}^p \beta_k X_i + (\gamma_0 + \gamma_1 x_{i1}^3 + \gamma_{23} \cos(x_{i2}) x_{i3}) T + \varepsilon$

Description of relationships between

No heterogeneous treatment effect

heterogeneity covariates

Nonlinear + interactive

High-dimensional covariates

Linear