| Characteristic | Overall, N = 23,1681 | case, N = 3,9141 | control, N = 19,2541 |
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| **Sex** |  |  |  |
| Female | 10,920 (47%) | 1,842 (47%) | 9,078 (47%) |
| Male | 12,248 (53%) | 2,072 (53%) | 10,176 (53%) |
| **Average age (years)** | 65 (12) | 65 (12) | 65 (12) |
| **Civil status** |  |  |  |
| Married | 14,127 (61%) | 2,401 (61%) | 11,726 (61%) |
| Divorced | 2,715 (12%) | 432 (11%) | 2,283 (12%) |
| Widower | 4,192 (18%) | 723 (18%) | 3,469 (18%) |
| Never married | 2,134 (9.2%) | 358 (9.1%) | 1,776 (9.2%) |
| **Place of birth** |  |  |  |
| Greater Copenhagen | 4,849 (21%) | 829 (21%) | 4,020 (21%) |
| Big cities of Denmark | 7,894 (34%) | 1,351 (35%) | 6,543 (34%) |
| Rest of Denmark | 8,985 (39%) | 1,538 (39%) | 7,447 (39%) |
| Greenland | 239 (1.0%) | 52 (1.3%) | 187 (1.0%) |
| Foreign | 1,066 (4.6%) | 121 (3.1%) | 945 (4.9%) |
| Unknown | 135 (0.6%) | 23 (0.6%) | 112 (0.6%) |
| **Place of residence** |  |  |  |
| Capital Region of Denmark | 7,734 (33%) | 1,321 (34%) | 6,413 (33%) |
| Cities >50K population | 3,686 (16%) | 612 (16%) | 3,074 (16%) |
| Rest of Denmark | 11,682 (50%) | 1,973 (50%) | 9,709 (50%) |
| Unknown | 66 (0.3%) | 8 (0.2%) | 58 (0.3%) |
| **Family SES** |  |  |  |
| Group 1 (Highest) | 2,335 (10%) | 452 (12%) | 1,883 (9.8%) |
| Group 2 | 2,828 (12%) | 498 (13%) | 2,330 (12%) |
| Group 3 | 4,358 (19%) | 783 (20%) | 3,575 (19%) |
| Group 4 | 6,572 (28%) | 1,067 (27%) | 5,505 (29%) |
| Group 5 (Lowest) | 4,408 (19%) | 712 (18%) | 3,696 (19%) |
| Group 9 (Unknown) | 2,667 (12%) | 402 (10%) | 2,265 (12%) |
| **PM2.5** | 12.63 (2.64) | 12.65 (2.68) | 12.62 (2.63) |
| 1n (%); Mean (SD) | | | |