At least one health checkup data registered in Japan Medical Data Center (JMDC) Claims database between April 2005 and March 2019. (n = 4,449,455)

Excluded (n = 286,506)

• Receives health checkups at intervals of more than two times a year.

The interval between health checkups is once a year (two months before and after are acceptable). (n = 4,162,949)

Excluded (n = 455,669)

• Age 19 years or younger or 60 years or older at the time of the 1st health checkup

Age between 20 and 59 years at 1st checkup in the last 10 health checkups during the observation period. (n = 3,707,280)

Excluded (n = 834,766)

• Subjects with at least 13 receipts in the calendar year of the 1st health checkup.

Subjects with 12 receipts or less in the calendar year of the 1st health checkup. (n = 2,872,514)

▲ Excluded (n = 644,799)

- Respondents answered that they had a medical history of the following diseases at the time of their 1st health checkup:
 - Cerebrovascular disease (n = 7,399)
 - Cardiovascular disease (n = 18,787)
 - Renal failure or dialysis (n = 2,622)
- At least one response to the three medical history question is nonresponsive. (n = 617,947)

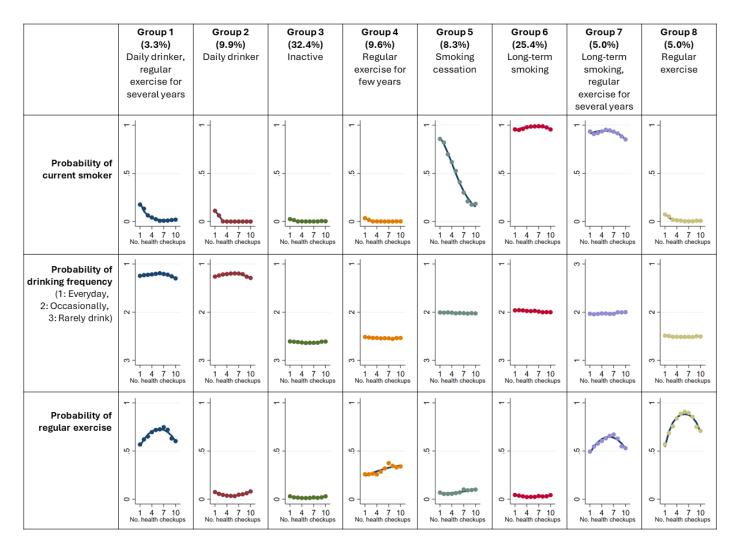
Subjects without the above medical histories and those who disclosed their medical background during the initial checkup. (n = 2,227,715).

Excluded (n = 2,171,013)

• Subjects with less than 9 registered cases of health checkup data

Subjects analyzed (n = 56,702). 44,691 men and 12,011 women.

Supplementary Figure 5.1. Flowchart of the study subjects in the sensitivity analysis for inclusion of subjects with one year or more interval between health checkups.



Supplementary Figure 5.2. Multitrajectories of current smoking, frequency of alcohol drinking, and regular exercise in the sensitivity analysis for inclusion of subjects with one year or more interval between health checkups.

Supplementary Table 5.1. Characteristics of health checkup at 1st by group divided by multi-trajectory modeling in the sensitivity analysis for inclusion of subjects with one year or more interval between health checkups.

n = 56,702) -	Healthy lifestyle (Group 0, n=631)	Daily drinker, regular exercise for several years	Daily drinker (Group 2, n=5,615)	Inactive (Group 3, n=18,362)	Regular exercise for a few	Smoking cessation (Group 5,	Long-term smoking (Group 6,	Long-term smoking,	Regular exercise
		(Group 1, n=1,888)			years (Group 4, n=5,431)	n=4,700)	n=14,416)	regular exercise for several years (Group 7, n=2,846)	(Group 8, n=2,813)
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78.8	39.9	91.8	91.4	62.2	64.3	91.9	95.7	94.8	66.2
21.2	60.1	8.2	8.6	37.8	35.7	8.1	4.3	5.2	33.8
16.6	6.3	4.9	7.4	19.4	17.4	20.3	17.5	18.0	13.7
28.8	14.0	19.1	25.0	32.3	27.7	28.6	30.3	24.8	23.0
42.4	61.7	51.5	50.3	39.6	43.8	38.1	40.8	43.2	47.1
12.1	18.1	24.5	17.3	8.7	11.2	13.0	11.4	14.1	16.2
24.6	0.0	77.2	78.0	2.7	4.9	28.8	34.4	31.0	4.5
29.2	36.5	16.4	18.5	32.3	31.7	32.5	27.9	28.5	34.4
40.0	63.6	1.2	1.0	60.8	50.4	31.8	31.8	29.2	48.5
6.3	0.0	5.3	2.6	4.2	13.0	6.8	5.9	11.3	12.7
60.7	100.0	82.4	88.4	97.6	96.6	14.4	4.4	6.7	92.4
39.3	0.0	17.6	11.6	2.4	3.4	85.6	95.6	93.3	7.5
0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
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Exercise at least 2 days a week for at

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No	76.0	0.0	40.1	86.2	86.2	60.7	81.2	85.4	43.4	36.7
Yes	12.9	100.0	54.0	7.0	2.4	25.7	6.2	4.0	42.3	49.2
Missing	11.0	0.0	5.9	6.8	11.5	13.6	12.6	10.6	14.3	14.1
Improvement of lifestyle										
I do not intend to improve	15.3	35.2	13.6	10.7	15.1	14.9	12.5	16.5	19.0	18.2
I intend to improve (generally within 6 months)	29.7	14.1	19.5	31.6	33.3	26.1	30.0	31.2	21.8	19.6
I intend to improve in the near future (generally within a month) and have begun to do so gradually	7.3	9.5	6.3	4.8	8.6	10.3	6.1	5.8	7.8	8.0
Already working on improvement (less than 6 months)	4.1	6.0	4.5	2.4	4.2	7.2	3.2	2.7	5.9	7.5
Already working on improvement (more than 6 months)	4.2	17.8	11.2	3.8	2.9	6.2	3.3	1.8	7.5	12.7
Missing	39.4	17.4	45.0	46.7	36.0	35.3	44.9	42.1	38.0	33.9

Data are shown as % in column.

The calendar year of the first checkup differed for each subject. The number of subjects in each calendar year was 157 in 2007, 3669 in 2008, 45494 in 2009, 1733 in 2010, and 11 in 2011.

Supplementary Table 5.2. Linear mixed-effect model estimates for anthropometric and laboratory over the course of 10 health checkups in the sensitivity analysis for inclusion of subjects with one year or more interval between health checkups.

Parameters	BMI	sBP	LDL-cholesterol	HbA1c
Fixed effect				
Intercept	21.95 (0.22) *	107.40 (0.80) *	78.38 (1.83) *	4.87 (0.03) *
Trajectory group				
Group 0: Healthy lifestyle	Reference	Reference	Reference	Reference
Group 1: Daily drinker, regular exercise for several years	0.20 (0.16)	2.25 (0.59) *	0.11 (1.32)	-0.17 (0.02) *
Group 2: Daily drinker	-0.02 (0.14)	2.63 (0.54) *	1.22 (1.20)	-0.15 (0.02) *
Group 3: Inactive	0.15 (0.14)	1.13 (0.52) *	4.34 (1.15) *	-0.04 (0.02)
Group 4: Regular exercise for a few years	0.64 (0.14) *	1.21 (0.54) *	5.19 (1.20) *	-0.02 (0.02)
Group 5: Smoking cessation	0.05 (0.14)	1.02 (0.55)	4.54 (1.22) *	-0.06 (0.02) *
Group 6: Long-term smoking	0.02 (0.14)	1.57 (0.52) *	4.18 (1.16) *	-0.06 (0.02) *
Group 7: Long-term smoking, regular exercise for several years	0.55 (0.15) *	1.35 (0.57) *	3.73 (1.27) *	-0.05 (0.02) *
Group 8: Regular exercise	0.43 (0.15) *	0.82 (0.57)	1.76 (1.26)	-0.05 (0.02) *
No. of health checkups ^a	0.04 (0.00) *	0.44 (0.04) *	1.60 (0.07) *	0.00 (0.00)
Interaction of No. of health checkups × Trajectory group				
Group 0: Healthy lifestyle	Reference	Reference	Reference	Reference
Group 1: Daily drinker, regular exercise for several years	0.01 (0.00) *	0.11 (0.05) *	-0.94 (0.08) *	0.01 (0.00) *
Group 2: Daily drinker	0.04 (0.00) *	0.11 (0.04) *	-0.89 (0.07) *	0.01 (0.00) *
Group 3: Inactive	0.06 (0.00) *	0.00 (0.04)	-0.35 (0.07) *	0.01 (0.00) *
Group 4: Regular exercise for a few years	0.03 (0.00) *	-0.05 (0.04)	-0.39 (0.07) *	0.01 (0.00) *
Group 5: Smoking cessation	0.12 (0.00) *	0.14 (0.04) *	-0.60 (0.08) *	0.01 (0.00) *
Group 6: Long-term smoking	0.06 (0.00) *	0.01 (0.04)	-0.94 (0.07) *	0.01 (0.00) *
Group 7: Long-term smoking, regular exercise for several years	0.03 (0.00) *	0.02 (0.05)	-1.02 (0.08) *	0.01 (0.00) *
Group 8: Regular exercise	0.01 (0.00) *	-0.01 (0.05)	-0.46 (0.08) *	0.00 (0.00) *

Age at 1st health checkup	0.03 (0.00) *	0.31 (0.01) *	1.02 (0.01) *	0.02 (0.00) *
Women sex	-2.04 (0.04) *	-9.69 (0.13) *	-6.98 (0.31) *	-0.11 (0.01) *
Total No. of health checkups during the observation period ^b	-0.04 (0.02) *	0.14 (0.06) *	-0.43 (0.13) *	0.01 (0.00) *
Being well-rested through sleep	0.03 (0.00) *	0.23 (0.04) *	0.46 (0.07) *	-0.01 (0.00) *
Use of antihypertensive medication	0.18 (0.01) *	-4.77 (0.10) *	-5.17 (0.17) *	0.06 (0.00) *
Use of insulin injections or glucose-lowering medication	-0.46 (0.02) *	-0.15 (0.17)	-9.49 (0.29) *	0.24 (0.01) *
Use of cholesterol-lowering medication	0.16 (0.01) *	-0.19 (0.10)	-28.56 (0.17) *	0.06 (0.00) *
Medical history of cerebrovascular disease	-0.18 (0.04) *	-1.59 (0.43) *	-5.16 (0.72) *	-0.04 (0.02) *
Medical history of cardiovascular disease	-0.11 (0.03) *	-1.83 (0.30) *	-12.42 (0.52) *	0.01 (0.01)
Medical history of renal failure or dialysis	-0.05 (0.07)	-1.11 (0.67)	1.83 (1.14)	-0.06 (0.03) *
Random effect				
Trajectory group × Subject ID ^c				
Standard deviation of intercept	3.27 (0.01)	10.87 (0.04)	25.96 (0.09)	0.44 (0.00)
Standard deviation of residual	0.88 (0.00)	9.17 (0.01)	15.28 (0.02)	0.30 (0.00)

Data are expressed as coefficients (standard error). Adjusted for age at the first health checkup, sex, total number of health checkups during the observation period, being well-rested through sleep, use of antihypertensive medication, insulin injections or glucose-lowering medication, cholesterol-lowering medication, and medical history of cerebrovascular disease, cardiovascular disease, renal failure, or dialysis.

Abbreviations: BMI, body mass index; sBP, systolic blood pressure; HbA1c, hemoglobin A1c

^{*} p-value < 0.05.

^a Number of health checkups incorporates a time element, where "3" corresponds to the third health checkup.

^b Total number of health checkups ranged from 10 to 14 owing to the 14-year observation period.

^c We created a variable by nesting the "trajectory group" and "Subject ID" (e.g., "trajectory groups – subject ID") and used it as a random effect.