



Supplementary figure 1 Kaplan–Meier curves on disease-free probability of cardiovascular incidence events among the acupuncture group and non-acupuncture group in patients with hypertension after PSM. Legend: A: MACE (Log rank test, $p < 0.0001$). B: All-cause mortality ($p < 0.0001$). C: Myocardial infarction (Log rank test, $p = 0.0045$). D: Stroke (Log rank test, $p = 0.7378$). MACE indicates Major Adverse Cardiovascular Events; PSM, Propensity Score Matching.