Supplemental Table: Personal characteristics of US veterans and non-veterans

| Descriptive | Total sample $\begin{gathered} (\mathrm{N}=151765) \\ \mathrm{n}(\%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Non-Veterans } \\ (\mathrm{n}=138251) \\ \mathrm{n}(\%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Veterans } \\ (\mathrm{n}=13514) \\ \mathrm{n}(\%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \mathbf{P}- \\ \text { Value } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Obesity Yes <br> No | $\begin{aligned} & 45924 \text { (29.68\%) } \\ & 105841 \text { (70.32\%) } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 41684(29.55 \%) \\ & 96597(70.45 \%) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4240 \text { (31.11\%) } \\ & 9274 \text { (68.89\%) } \end{aligned}$ | 0.0012 |
| Year 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 | $31830(19.94 \%)$ $33821(19.68 \%)$ $31165(19.75 \%)$ $30297(20.20 \%)$ $24652(20.42 \%)$ | $\begin{aligned} & 30822(21.20 \%) \\ & 30380(19.37 \%) \\ & 28010(19.43 \%) \\ & 26949(19.90 \%) \\ & 22090(20.20 \%) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1008(7.60 \%) \\ & 3441(23.01 \%) \\ & 3155(23.12 \%) \\ & 3348(23.47 \%) \\ & 2562(22.80 \%) \end{aligned}$ | <0.0001 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Age } \\ & <40 \\ & 40-59 \\ & 60+ \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48411(33.19 \%) \\ & 51142(33.44 \%) \\ & 52212(33.37 \%) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 46946(35.23 \%) \\ & 47665(34.11 \%) \\ & 43640(30.67 \%) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1465 \text { (11.67\%) } \\ & 3477 \text { (26.37\%) } \\ & 8572 \text { (61.96\%) } \end{aligned}$ | <0.0001 |
| Sex <br> Male <br> Female | $\begin{aligned} & 69776 \text { (46.96\%) } \\ & 81989 \text { (53.04\%) } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 57422(42.75 \%) \\ & 80829(57.25 \%) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12354 \text { (91.62\%) } \\ & 1160 \text { (8.38\%) } \end{aligned}$ | <0.0001 |
| Race <br> White <br> Hispanic <br> Black <br> Asian | $\begin{aligned} & 100519(69.30 \%) \\ & 22583(13.05 \%) \\ & 20023(12.57 \%) \\ & 8640(5.08 \%) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 89666(68.20 \%) \\ & 21818(13.75 \%) \\ & 18405(12.63 \%) \\ & 8362(5.42 \%) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10853(80.94 \%) \\ & 765(5.60 \%) \\ & 1618(11.93 \%) \\ & 278(1.53 \%) \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | <0.0001 |
| Marital Status <br> Married <br> Living with partner Single | $\begin{aligned} & 67868 \text { (44.74\%) } \\ & 9114 \text { (6.01\%) } \\ & 74498(49.25 \%) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 60726(43.98 \%) \\ & 8597(6.20 \%) \\ & 68664(49.82 \%) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 7142 \text { ( } 52.74 \%) \\ & 517 \text { (4.03\%) } \\ & 5834(43.22 \%) \end{aligned}$ | <. 0001 |
| Degree <br> No high school degree High school degree Some college/ associates/ degrees/ college degree | $\begin{aligned} & 20217 \text { (12.01\%) } \\ & 37714(24.31 \%) \\ & 93317 \text { (63.68\%) } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19206(12.48 \%) \\ & 34148(24.16 \%) \\ & 84399(63.36 \%) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1011 \text { (7.04\%) } \\ & 3566 \text { (25.92\%) } \\ & 8918 \text { (67.04\%) } \end{aligned}$ | <0.0001 |
| Federal Poverty Level Poverty <br> Less than 100\%-1 <br> $100 \%$ and less than $200 \%$ <br> $200 \%$ and less than $400 \%$ <br> >400\% <br> Missing | $21875(13.45 \%)$ $28153(17.52 \%)$ $40711(26.64 \%)$ $50443(35.33 \%)$ $10583(7.06 \%)$ | $\begin{aligned} & 20997(14.11 \%) \\ & 26060(17.76 \%) \\ & 36485(26.28 \%) \\ & 45102(34.82 \%) \\ & 9607(7.03 \%) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 878(6.43 \%) \\ & 2093(14.90 \%) \\ & 4226(30.89 \%) \\ & 5341(40.82 \%) \\ & 976(7.36 \%) \end{aligned}$ | <0.0001 |
| Health Insurance Type <br> Not covered <br> Private <br> Medicare/ Medicaid <br> Military <br> Military plus <br> Multiple non-military | $\begin{aligned} & 19281(11.87 \%) \\ & 73734(50.92 \%) \\ & 27771(18.03 \%) \\ & 3175(2.11 \%) \\ & 3972(2.38 \%) \\ & 23340(14.70 \%) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18736(12.61 \%) \\ & 70571(53.42 \%) \\ & 25454(18.07 \%) \\ & 1471(1.10 \%) \\ & 1491(1.01 \%) \\ & 20051(13.80 \%) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 545 \text { (4.06\%) } \\ & 3163(24.45 \%) \\ & 2317(17.61 \%) \\ & 1704(12.83 \%) \\ & 2481(16.91 \%) \\ & 3289(24.14 \%) \end{aligned}$ | <0.0001 |
| Self-Reported Health Status <br> Excellent/very good <br> Good <br> Fair/Poor | $\begin{aligned} & 87639(59.01 \%) \\ & 41577(26.87 \%) \\ & 22493(14.12 \%) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 80961(59.86 \%) \\ & 37241(26.41 \%) \\ & 19998(13.73 \%) \end{aligned}$ | $6678(50.01 \%)$ $4336(31.72 \%)$ $2495(18.27 \%)$ | <0.0001 |
| Usual Care Yes <br> No | $\begin{aligned} & 131369 \text { (86.84\%) } \\ & 20231 \text { (13.16\%) } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 118905 \text { (86.34\%) } \\ & 19192(13.66 \%) \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 12464(86.34 \%) \\ & 1039(7.82 \%) \end{aligned}$ | <. 0001 |

Note: Values are unweighted sample sizes, and all percentages were weighted; Chi-square represents association between each characteristic and veteran status.

