

Supplemental Table S1. SMD Value When Performing PS-Matching for Each of Lateralized PA, Non-Lateralized PA, High ARR, and EH Patients Who Were Not Taking Lipid-Lowering Agents

Variable	Lateralized PA vs. EH	Non-lateralized PA vs. EH	High ARR (SIT or CCT negative) vs. EH
Age, yr	0.008	0.090	0.033
Male sex	<0.001	0.061	<0.001
BMI, kg/m ²	0.041	0.010	<0.001
Diabetes	<0.001	0.071	<0.001
Aldosterone, ng/dL	1.149	0.354	1.080
Renin activity, ng/mL/hr	0.558	0.635	1.353
ARR, ng/dL per ng/(mL/hr)	1.893	1.947	1.519
eGFR, mL/min/1.73 m ²	0.266	0.513	0.365
Potassium, mEq/L	1.517	1.099	0.041
HbA1c, %	0.164	0.020	0.190
TC, mg/dL	0.457	0.201	0.098
HDL-C, mg/dL	0.015	0.127	0.331
LDL-C, mg/dL	0.341	0.114	0.180
TG, mg/dL	0.430	0.203	0.021
Non-HDL-C, mg/dL	0.475	0.235	0.039

Nearest neighbor methods were used with calipers of width 0.1 of the logit of the propensity score, and absolute SMD of less than 0.1 were regarded as a cut-off for the optimal matching for each covariate.

SMD, standard mean difference; PS, propensity-score; PA, primary aldosteronism; ARR, aldosterone-renin ratio; EH, essential hypertension; SIT, saline infusion test; CCT, captopril challenge test; BMI, body mass index; eGFR, estimated glomerular filtration rate; HbA1c, glycosylated hemoglobin; TC, total cholesterol; HDL-C, high-density lipoproteins cholesterol; LDL-C, low-density lipoprotein cholesterol; TG, triglyceride.