

Supplemental Table 3: baseline characteristics (2003-2006) of participants included in the analysis and participants who did not have follow-up, Colaus study, Lausanne, Switzerland.

	Included (N=3038)	No follow-up (N=1553)	p-value
Age (years)	49.9 ± 9.9	51.4 ± 10.9	<0.001
Female sex	1753 (57.7)	825 (53.1)	0.003
Smoking status			<0.001
Never	1314 (43.3)	627 (40.4)	
Former	958 (31.5)	424 (27.3)	
Current	766 (25.2)	502 (32.3)	
Education			<0.001
University	763 (25.1)	286 (18.4)	
High school	843 (27.8)	327 (21.1)	
Apprenticeship	1009 (33.2)	521 (33.6)	
Mandatory	423 (13.9)	419 (27.0)	
Physically active	1808 (59.5)	824 (53.1)	<0.001
BMI (kg/m ²)	24.3 ± 3.5	24.7 ± 3.8	<0.001
MHO	170 (5.6)	123 (7.9)	0.002

BMI, body mass index; MHO, metabolically healthy obesity. Results are expressed as number of participants (percentage) or as mean ± standard deviation. Between-group comparisons performed using student's t-test or chi square analysis.