

Supplementary Material

Table S1. Interpretation of the CV risk score.

Individual risk score for major cardiovascular events (i.e., stroke or myocardial infarction) in the following 10 years. Risk re-evaluation is suggested at 6-month intervals for scores $\geq 20\%$ suggest, and after three years for scores $< 5\%$. <http://www.cuore.iss.it/valutazione/calc-rischio>

CV-RS Class







VI		$> 30\%$
V		$20\% - 30\%$
IV		$15\% - 20\%$
III		$10\% - 15\%$
II		$5\% - 10\%$
I		$< 5\%$

Fig S1.

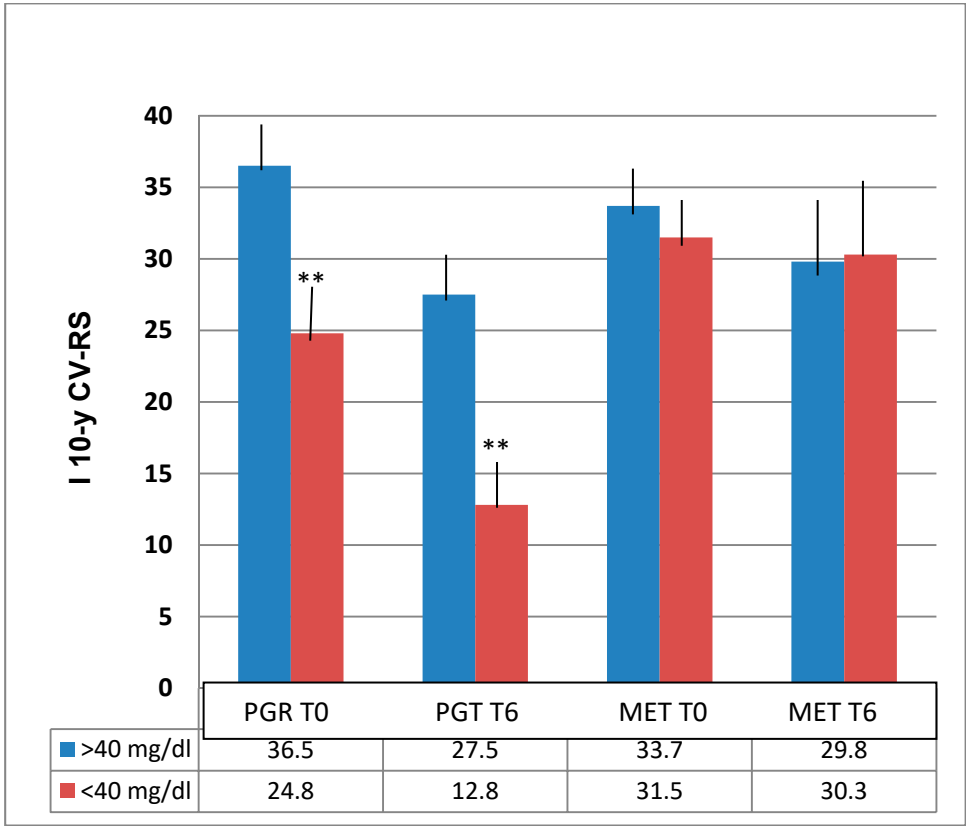


Figure S1. 10-y-CV-RS changes based on related HDL-Cholesterol level (\geq or $<$ 40 mg/dL, cut-off arbitrarily chosen independently of gender). ** $p < 0.001$ vs T0, and T6. Differenced between PGR and MET were non significant at all of follow-up time.