**Figure s1: Forest plots of MetS, MetS without BPH, and cumulative effect of components of the metabolic syndrome in predicting MACE in multivariate analysis.**



MetS: metabolic syndrome; MetS without HBP: MetS without considering high blood pressure; MsWC: waist circumference > 102 cm in men > 88 cm in women; MsHBP: history of hypertension or ongoing antihypertensive treatment; MsHDL: HDL cholesterol < 0.50 g/L in women, < 0.40 g/L in men; MsTG: TG ≥1.5 g/L; MsGlc: fasting glucose ≥1.00 g/L.