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ABSTRACT

Anthropometric factors and Cardiovascular Health

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Objectives: To determine the association between anthropometric values for individuals and cardiovascular health......

Methods: A cross-sectional analysis of persons 30 years and over was used to fulfill the aim of this study.....

Results: Majority (90.9%) of participants had a BMI of ... Univariate analysis found that BMI were associated with.....

Conclusion: These results emphasize the value of anthropometric measurements......

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