

Supplementary Table 1. Association of covariates and asthma risk

| Variable | OR (95% CI) | P value |
|------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Sex | | |
| Male | Reference | |
| Female | 0.82 (0.73–0.92) | 0.001 |
| Age (yr) | 1.02 (1.01–1.03) | <0.001 |
| Race/ethnicity | | |
| Mexican American | Reference | |
| Other Hispanic | 1.52 (1.21–1.91) | <0.001 |
| Non-Hispanic White | 1.37 (1.14–1.66) | 0.001 |
| Non-Hispanic Black | 2.51 (2.1–2.99) | <0.001 |
| Other/multiracial | 1.27 (1.02–1.57) | 0.03 |
| PIR | | |
| Median (1.3–3.5) | Reference | |
| Low (<1.3) | 1.29 (1.14–1.46) | <0.001 |
| High (>3.5) | 0.79 (0.66–0.94) | 0.009 |
| BMI category | | |
| Normal weight | Reference | |
| Underweight | 0.94 (0.66–1.33) | 0.728 |
| Overweight | 1.08 (0.93–1.27) | 0.318 |
| Obese | 1.61 (1.41–1.83) | <0.001 |
| WBC (1,000 cells/ μ L) | 1.01 (0.99–1.04) | 0.357 |
| EOPC (%) | 1.13 (1.12–1.15) | <0.001 |
| Lymphocyte (1,000 cells/ μ L) | 0.91 (0.86–0.95) | <0.001 |
| Monocyte (1,000 cells/ μ L) | 1.02 (0.78–1.32) | 0.908 |
| Neutrophils (1,000 cells/ μ L) | 1.03 (1–1.07) | 0.058 |
| HGB (g/dL) | 1.01 (0.97–1.06) | 0.55 |
| Family asthma | | |
| No | Reference | |
| Yes | 5.65 (5–6.38) | <0.001 |
| Secondhand smoking | | |
| No | | |
| Yes | 1.27 (1.14–1.42) | <0.001 |
| NLR | 1.06 (1.01–1.11) | 0.021 |

OR, odds ratio; CI, confidence interval; PIR, Ratio of income to poverty; BMI, body mass index; WBC, White blood cell count; EOPC, Eosinophils percent; HGB, Hemoglobin.
 Boldface indicates a statistically significant difference with $P<0.05$.