Study Participant Flowchart

Stroke patients recruited at baseline (n = 661)

Wrong diagnosis (n = 13)
Discharged overseas (n = 1)

Stroke patients at baseline eligible for analysis (n = 647)

Patient deaths within observation period (n = 36)

Stroke patients sample used to merge with National Claims Database (n = 611)

Unable to match with National Claims Database (n = 19)

Stroke patients at baseline eligible for analysis (n = 592)