**Supplemental Material**

Supplemental Figure 1. RMST representation for each trial



Legend: ACM, all-cause mortality.

The represented projections range from the 25th to the 75th percentile of age in each trial.

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