Supplemental Methods

Data sources

The following nationwide, mandated-by-law registry data were collected and combined from all study patients:

- All hospital admissions, all outpatient visits in specialist medical care, and all emergency
 room admissions (International Classification of Diagnosis / ICD-10) and operational codes
 (Nordic Classification of Surgical Procedures) collected from the CRHC registry. Received
 from the National Institute for Health and Welfare of Finland. Available from Jan 1st 2004.
- Cancer data from the Finnish Cancer Registry. Received from the National Institute for Health and Welfare of Finland. Available from Jan 1st 1980.
- Prescription medication purchases including Anatomical Therapeutic Chemical (ATC)-codes and purchase dates. Received from the National Institute for Health and Welfare of Finland (Findata). Available from Jan 1st 2004.
- Entitlements to special reimbursements for prescription medications including entitlement codes and underlying ICD diagnoses. Received from the National Institute for Health and Welfare of Finland (Findata). Available from Jan 1st 1964.
- Mortality data including date and causes of death. Received from the Statistics Finland.
 Available from Jan 1st 2005.

Co-morbidities and complications of diabetes were detected from the data of index MI admission and data available prior to index MI. Revascularization was detected from the data of index MI admission.

Propensity matching

Propensity score was re-calculated for hospital surviving patients. Patients with type 1 diabetes in the original matched cohort were 1:1 matched with hospital surviving controls without any type of diabetes using the nearest neighbor (NN) method that retained all hospital surviving patients with type 1 diabetes.

As a sensitivity analysis, all patients with type 1 diabetes were 1:1 matched with controls without diabetes using the original propensity score and nearest neighbor (NN) method that retained all patients with type 1 diabetes.

Supplemental Results

Propensity score matching of hospital surviving MI patients resulted in 1,552 pairs of patients with type 1 diabetes and without diabetes but with comparable baseline features (Supplement Table 1). In matched hospital surviving patients, the one-year case fatality was 12.8% in the type 1 diabetes group versus 8.8% in the control group (HR 1.49; CI 1.19-1.87; p=0.001).

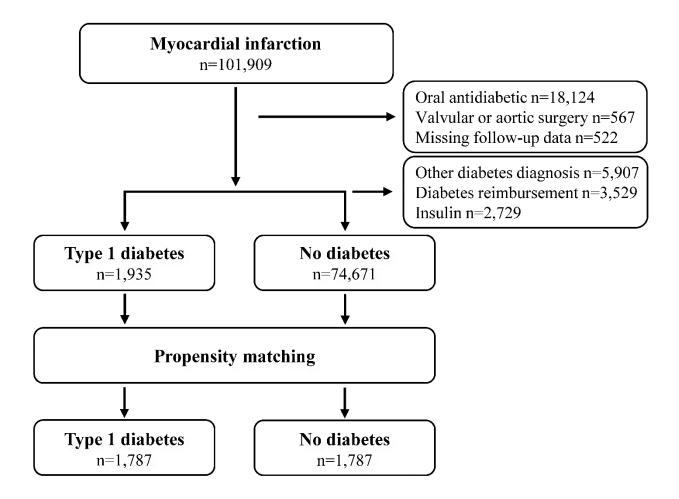
The NN matching of all patients with type 1 diabetes resulted in 1,935 pairs of patients with type 1 diabetes and without diabetes (Supplement Table 2). The duration of hospital stay after MI was longer in patients with type 1 diabetes (median: 7 days; IQR: 4–14 days) than in the NN-matched controls (median: 5 days; IQR: 3–10; p<0.0001). Thirty-day case fatality was 12.7% in the type 1 diabetes group and 8.4% in the NN-matched control group (p<0.0001). The one-year case fatality in the NN-matched cohort was 25.1% in the type 1 diabetes group versus 17.0% in the matched control group (HR 1.54; CI 1.32-1.78; p<0.0001). The E-value for one-year case fatality in the NN-matched cohort was 2.5 (CI 2.0–3.0).

	Matched hospital surviving patients				
Variable	Type 1 diabetes n=1,552	No diabetes n=1,552	<i>P</i> -value	SMD	
Age, years (SD)	62.4 (12.4)	62.4 (13.8)	0.980	0.001	
Women	40.2%	39.8%	0.763	0.009	
Co-morbidities					
Alcohol abuse	4.6%	5.4%	0.344	0.033	
Atrial fibrillation	11.7%	11.9%	0.863	0.006	
Cerebrovascular disease	17.0%	17.7%	0.574	0.019	
Chronic pulmonary disease	12.1%	11.5%	0.593	0.018	
Dementia	3.5%	4.0%	0.441	0.027	
Heart failure	31.8%	32.0%	0.893	0.004	
Diabetic retinopathy or	40.0%	-	-		
glaucoma					
Diabetic hypoglycemic coma	11.2%	-			
Diabetic neuropathy	10.6%	-	-		
Diabetic ketoacidosis	7.6%	_	-		
Hypertension	71.1%	70.4%	0.529	0.016	
Liver disease	2.4%	2.4%	1.000	< 0.0001	
Malignancy	11.1%	11.5%	0.706	0.012	
Paralysis	1.0%	1.0%	0.853	0.007	
Peripheral vascular disease	24.5%	24.4%	0.923	0.003	
Prior CABG	7.1%	7.7%	0.519	0.022	
Prior MI	20.2%	19.9%	0.805	0.008	
Psychotic disorder	3.4%	3.7%	0.626	0.018	
Rheumatic disease	6.8%	7.5%	0.419	0.027	
Renal failure	19.7%	18.4%	0.215	0.033	
Valvular disease	5.7%	5.7%	1.000	< 0.0001	
Revascularization	58.6%	59.5%	0.568	0.017	
PCI	49.5%	50.5%	0.511	0.019	
CABG	11.3%	11.2%	0.948	0.002	
ST-elevation MI	30.4%	31.7%	0.409	0.024	
Anterior MI*	53.3%	51.0%	0.342	0.028	
University hospital	55.0%	56.1%	0.467	0.022	
Year of MI			0.417	0.020	

Supplemental Table 1. Baseline features of hospital surviving myocardial infarction patients with type 1 diabetes (included in the original matched cohort) and 1:1 matched control patients without diabetes. CABG = coronary artery bypass grafting surgery, MI = myocardial infarction, PCI = percutaneous coronary intervention, SMD = standardized mean difference. *of ST elevation MI patients.

	Matched patients (nearest neighbor)				
Variable	Type 1 diabetes n=1,935	No diabetes n=1,935	<i>P</i> -value	SMD	
Age, years (SD)	62.5 (12.6)	63.3 (14.1)	0.013	0.062	
Women	40.6%	40.3%	0.816	0.006	
Co-morbidities					
Alcohol abuse	5.0%	5.0%	0.424	0.026	
Atrial fibrillation	12.1%	12.5%	0.702	0.011	
Cerebrovascular disease	19.5%	19.1%	0.726	0.011	
Chronic pulmonary disease	12.4%	12.3%	0.915	0.003	
Dementia	4.1%	4.3%	0.747	0.010	
Heart failure	37.3%	37.1%	0.902	0.003	
Diabetic retinopathy or	40.9%	-	-	-	
glaucoma					
Diabetic hypoglycemic coma	11.8%	-			
Diabetic neuropathy	10.8%	-	-	-	
Diabetic ketoacidosis	8.4%	_	-	-	
Hypertension	73.8%	71.7%	0.032	0.048	
Liver disease	3.3%	3.1%	0.710	0.012	
Malignancy	11.5%	13.0%	0.116	0.046	
Paralysis	1.0%	0.8%	0.612	0.016	
Peripheral vascular disease	29.9%	27.2%	0.029	0.060	
Prior CABG	7.8%	7.6%	0.800	0.008	
Prior MI	22.2%	21.6%	0.615	0.015	
Psychotic disorder	3.4%	3.5%	0.861	0.006	
Rheumatic disease	7.1%	8.9%	0.031	0.069	
Renal failure	27.0%	23.6%	0.001	0.080	
Valvular disease	5.9%	5.5%	0.566	0.018	
Revascularization	54.0%	55.3%	0.320	0.026	
PCI	43.9%	44.5%	0.655	0.011	
CABG	11.1%	11.6%	0.481	0.020	
ST-elevation MI	30.4%	31.7%	0.262	0.029	
Anterior MI*	52.7%	49.5%	0.298	0.032	
University hospital	53.9%	55.5%	0.240	0.031	
Year of MI			0.705	0.006	

Supplemental Table 2. Baseline features of myocardial infarction patients with type 1 diabetes in the original cohort and 1:1 nearest neighbor method matched control patients without diabetes. CABG = coronary artery bypass grafting surgery, MI = myocardial infarction, PCI = percutaneous coronary intervention, SMD = standardized mean difference. *of ST elevation MI patients.



Supplemental Figure 1. Study flow-chart.