Fung TT et al. 2009 USA 2391 incident cases of CVD decreases CVD event risk 74,886 women 38-63 years old Trichopoulou A et al. 2003 Greece 22,043 20-86 years old 275 deaths of CVD decreases CVD event risk Knoops KT et al. 2004 Europe 2339 70-90 years old 122 cases of CVD decreases CVD event risk (19 cities)

20-86 years old

>18 years old

Outcome

29-69 years old 609 cases of CVD

25-70 years old 25 CVD events

20-86 years old 636 CVD events

68 CVD events

40-69 years old 281 CVD

40-59 years old -

38 years old

average age

275 CVD

110 CVD

45-64 years old 79 CVD

**Findings** 

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**TABLE 2.** Results from the studies regarding the Mediterranean dietary pattern.

**Participants** 

41,078

1139

28 572

2101

900

39,532

12763 men

28 572

13,609

Year Country

Spain

2012 Northern and

Greece

2008 Greece

2015 Turkey

2012 Greece

Spain

2018 Melbourne

Finland.

Italy, Greece, Japan, Serbia, Yugoslavia, The Netherlands

Central Italy

2009

2004

2004

2011

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