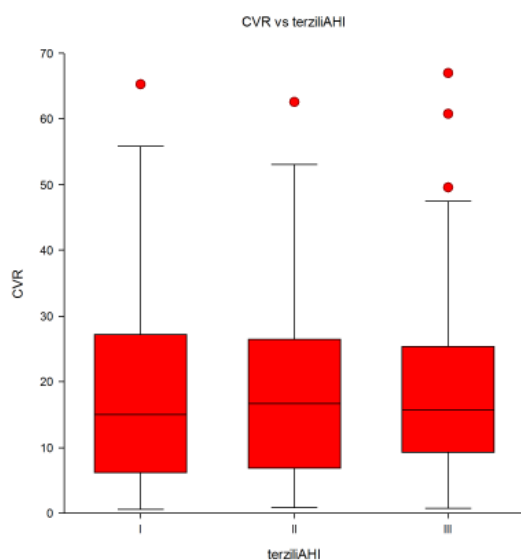


Figure 1 shows the percentage of cardiovascular risk in the whole population which was weakly related with BMI ($r=0.33$; $P<0.001$), but not with AHI.



When AHI values were stratified in tertiles, the percentage cardiovascular risk did not vary with increasing AHI values (**Figure2**).