

**Appendix A. Supplementary Table S1. Standardized factor loadings for the measurement model (N=404).**

	Offspring maladaptive attributes in the late 30s	Maternal maladaptive attributes in the mid-60s	Offspring maladaptive attributes in adolescence	Mother-child weak attachment relationship during the offspring's adolescence	Maternal maladaptive attributes in the early 40s
Offspring depressed mood in the late 30s	0.55 (12.77)				
Offspring ego control in the late 30s	-0.82 (-21.04)				
Offspring impulsivity in the late 30s	0.63 (15.04)				
Maternal depressed mood in the mid-60s		0.85 (29.74)			
Maternal ego control in the mid-60s		-0.66 (-18.68)			
Maternal self-esteem in the mid-60s		-0.68 (-20.14)			
Offspring depressed mood in adolescence			0.52 (10.99)		
Offspring ego control in adolescence			-0.77 (-18.81)		
Offspring impulsivity in adolescence			0.60 (13.68)		
Child's resistance to maternal control				0.34 (4.93)	
Maternal identification				-0.61 (-9.61)	
Maternal affection				-0.51 (-8.66)	
Maternal depressed mood in the early 40s					0.69 (18.55)
Maternal ego control in the early 40s					-0.69 (-18.70)
Maternal self-esteem in the early 40s					-0.65 (-16.95)

Notes:

<sup>a</sup> - All factor loadings were significant at  $p < 0.001$ ;

<sup>b</sup> - The offspring's age, gender, smoking in adolescence, and the mother's age and educational level were statistically controlled.