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This supplementary material has been provided by the authors to give readers additional information about their work.

eAppendix. Statistical Analyses

The risk of mental disorders was estimated according to age with particular focus on the age group of 3-11 years since the diagnostic working criteria for PANDAS imply that the neuropsychiatric symptoms debut from the age of 3 years to the beginning of puberty. We investigated the importance of time since the streptococcal test was performed and a dose-response relationship by testing for a linear relationship between the number of tests and the following risk of the outcomes. In order to investigate a possible interaction between a streptococcal test and respectively sex and a personal or parental history of autoimmune disease, we stratified for these variables and made comparisons of the IRRs for exposure to a positive or negative test between the stratification groups and estimated statistical differences by P-values.

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eTable 1. Diagnosis Codes Based on the World Health Organization International Classification of Diseases Codes from the *ICD-10* Period and Antibiotics According to the Anatomical Therapeutic Chemical System from the World Health Organization

Outcome diagnoses	ICD-10
Any mental disorder	F00-F99
Tic disorders including Tourette syndrome	F95
OCD	F42
Other diagnoses	ICD-10
Infections	A00-B99, E23.6A, G00, I02, J00–J18, K35, L00– L08, M00, N30.0, N51.8B, N70– N72, N76, N77.0D, N77.1B, N77.1L, O23, O26.4, O85, O86, O98, P35.2A
Autoimmune diseases	D51.0, D59.1, D69.3, E05.0, E06.3, E10, E27.1, G35, G61.0, G70.0, H20, K50, K51, K73, K74.3, K90.0, L10, L12, L40.0-3, L40.5-9, L63, L80, M05, M06, M08, M31.3, M31.5, M31.6, M32.1, M32.9, M33, M34, M35.0, M35.3, M45.9
Family history of psychiatric disorders	F00-F99
Antibiotic	ATC code
Phenoxymethylpenicillin	J01CE02
Amoxicillin	J01CA04
Amoxicillin/clavulanic acid	J01CR02
Clarithromycin	J01FA09
Roxithromycin	J01FA06
Clindamycin	J01FF01

eTable 2. Demographic Variables for Individuals Without a Streptococcal Test and Individuals With a Negative or Positive Test

Covariates	No test	Negative test	Positive test
N (%)	429,478 (40.2)	288,283 (27.0)	349,982 (32.8)
Sex (female), N (%)	208,141 (48.5)	142,838 (49.5)	168,842 (48.2)
Birth year, N (%)			
1996-2001	113,792 (26.5)	101,208 (35.1)	148,814 (42.5)
2002-2007	131,833 (30.7)	97,828 (33.9)	123,969 (35.4)
2008-2013	183,853 (42.8)	89,247 (31.0)	77,199 (22.1)
Maternal education, N (%)			
≤10 years	74,009 (17.2)	46,292 (16.1)	54,623 (15.6)
>10 and ≤15 years	183,468 (42.7)	132,741 (46.0)	165,658 (47.3)
>15 years	160,760 (37.4)	104,857 (36.4)	125,646 (35.9)
Unknown	11,241 (2.6)	4,393 (1.5)	4,055 (1.2)
Maternal marital status, N (%)			
Married	265,108 (61.7)	191,195 (66.3)	243,359 (69.5)
Divorced	26,317 (6.1)	25,026 (8.7)	35,118 (10.0)
Unmarried	137,006 (31.9)	71,085 (24.7)	70,089 (20.0)
Widow	1,047 (0.2)	977 (0.3)	1,416 (0.4)
Maternal income in deciles, N (%)			
1-3	33,489 (7.8)	13,432 (4.7)	12,223 (3.5)
4-7	212,170 (49.4)	127,832 (44.3)	141,935 (40.6)
8-10	183,819 (42.8)	147,019 (51.0)	195,824 (56.0)
Parental mental disorder (yes), N (%)	88,691 (20.7)	66,918 (23.2)	82,036 (23.4)
Parental autoimmune disease (yes), N	32,437 (7.6)	26,102 (9.1)	34,841 (10.0)
(%)			
Personal autoimmune disease (yes), N (%)	1,548 (0.4)	1,912 (0.7)	2,989 (0.9)

Streptococcal test=rapid antigen diagnostic test for group A beta-hemolytic streptococcal throat infections. N=number of individuals.

eTable 3. Risk of Any Mental Disorder in Persons With Positive Streptococcal Tests, Stratified by the Specific Diagnostic ICD-10 Codes Included in the Category of any Mental Disorder

Specific <i>ICD-10</i> codes in the category of any mental disorder	•	tococcal test erence)	Positive streptococcal test			
mental disorder	N	IRR ^a (95% CI)	N	IRR ^a (95% CI)		
F00-09: Organic, including symptomatic, mental disorders	20	1.00	31	1.91 (0.99-3.67)		
F10-19: Mental and behavioral disorders due to psychoactive substance use	313	1.00	453	1.25 (1.06-1.49)		
F20-29: Schizophrenia, schizotypal, and delusional disorders	48	1.00	137	1.40 (1.00-1.95)		
F30-39: Mood disorders	145	1.00	507	1.64 (1.36-1.98)		
F40-49: Neurotic, stress-related, and somatoform disorders	2,448	1.00	2,933	1.24 (1.16-1.32)		
F50-59: Behavioral syndromes associated with physiological disturbances and physical factors	1,187	1.00	724	1.03 (0.92-1.16)		
F50: Eating disorders	813	1.00	542	0.91 (0.80-1.04)		
F60-69: Disorders of adult personality and behavior	42	1.00	95	1.85 (1.23-2.80)		
F70-79: Mental retardation	938	1.00	634	1.05 (0.94-1.18)		
F80-89: Disorders of psychological development	3,005	1.00	2,826	1.06 (1.00-1.12)		
F90-99: Behavioral and emotional disorders with onset usually occurring in childhood and adolescence	5,566	1.00	7,068	1.21 (1.17-1.26)		
F90: Hyperkinetic disorders	1,984	1.00	3,337	1.24 (1.17-1.31)		

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aAdjusted for sex, age, and calendar year.

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eTable 4. Risk of Mental Disorders in Cases Compared With Siblings With Positive and Negative Streptococcal Tests

	Any mental disorder				OCD		Tic disorders			
Result of streptococcal test	ORª	95%CI	N, Cases/siblings	ORª	95%CI	N, Cases/ siblings	ORª	95%CI	N, Cases/ siblings	
No test (reference, sibling)	1.00	-	0.405/0.000	1.00	-	170/100	1.00	-	402/452	
Positive (case)	1.05	0.96-1.16	8,405/9,889	1.22	0.69-2.18	178/190	1.10	0.72-1.68		
Negative (reference, sibling)	1.00	-	6 F40/7 400	1.00	-	100/211	1.00	-	474/E20	
Positive (case)	1.07	0.99-1.16	6,519/7,188	1.94	1.18-3.20	199/211	0.97	0.71-1.32	474/520	

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eTable 5. Risk of Mental Disorders in Individuals With Positive and Negative Streptococcal Tests, by Sex and Parental History of Autoimmune Disease

Sex	Result of	Any mental disorder			OCD			Tic disorders		
Jex	streptococcal test	N	IRR ^a	95%CI	N	IRR ^a	95%CI	N	IRR ^a	95%CI
	No test (reference)	5,255	1.00	-	115	1.00	-	118	1.00	-
Female	Negative	4,164	1.04	1.00-1.09	176	1.26	1.00-1.60	154	1.30	1.02-1.66
	Positive	5,878	1.24	1.19-1.29	306	1.51	1.22-1.88	230	1.50	1.20-1.87
	No test (reference)	8,457	1.00	-	91	1.00	-	404	1.00	-
Male	Negative	7,151	1.11	1.08-1.15	140	1.31	1.00-1.70	508	1.24	1.09-1.41
	Positive	9,530	1.15	1.11-1.19	250	1.50	1.18-1.90	763	1.31	1.16-1.48
Parental autoimmune disease										
	No test (reference)	1,101	1.00	-	19	1.00	-	41	1.00	-
Yes	Negative	1,007	1.02	0.94-1.12	39	1.57	0.91-2.71	66	1.46	0.99-2.15
	Positive	1,598	1.19	1.10-1.29	60	1.52	0.91-2.54	82	1.22	0.84-1.78
No	No test (reference)	12,611	1.00	-	187	1.00	-	481	1.00	-
	Negative	10,308	1.09	1.06-1.12	277	1.25	1.04-1.50	596	1.23	1.09-1.39
	Positive	13,810	1.18	1.15-1.21	496	1.50	1.27-1.78	911	1.36	1.21-1.52

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