

**The association between different domains of quality of life and symptoms in  
primary care patients with emotional disorders**

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**Table S1.** Correlation matrix of symptoms intensity and QoL domains

<b>QoL (WHOQOL-Bref)</b>	<b>Depression (PHQ-9)</b>	<b>Anxiety (GAD-7)</b>	<b>Somatizations (PHQ-15)</b>
Psychological	-.600 <sup>a</sup>	-.477 <sup>a</sup>	-.558 <sup>a</sup>
Physical	-.668 <sup>a</sup>	-.510 <sup>a</sup>	-.419 <sup>a</sup>
Social relations	-.400 <sup>a</sup>	-.241 <sup>a</sup>	-.201 <sup>a</sup>
Environmental	-.384 <sup>a</sup>	-.336 <sup>a</sup>	-.302 <sup>a</sup>
Overall	-.420 <sup>a</sup>	-.301 <sup>a</sup>	-.267 <sup>a</sup>

<sup>a</sup> Correlation is significant at the 0.01 level.

QoL, Quality of Life; WHOQOL-Bref, World Health Organization Quality of Life Instrument-Short Form; PHQ-9, Patient Health Questionnaire-9; GAD-7, Generalized Anxiety Disorder 7; PHQ-15, Patient Health Questionnaire-15.

**Table S2.** Covariate Adjusted Means (standard errors) of QoL as a function of the number of mental disorder diagnoses<sup>b</sup>

	Number of diagnoses			
	<b>0</b> (n= 195)	<b>1</b> (n= 261)	<b>2</b> (n= 299)	<b>3</b> (n= 486)
	Mean (SE) <sup>b</sup>	Mean (SE)	Mean (SE)	Mean (SE)
<b>QoL (WHOQOL-Bref)<sup>c</sup></b>				
Psychological (0-100)	70.65 (0.99)	59.88 (0.85)**	54.44 (0.79)**	44.61 (0.63)**
Physical (0-100)	58.57 (1.05)	52.76 (0.90)**	45.18 (0.84)**	34.93 (0.67)**
Social relations (0-100)	60.47 (1.44)	54.53 (1.23)*	50.09 (1.15)	43.49 (0.91)**
Environmental (0-100)	63.88 (0.98)	59.74 (0.84)*	55.91 (0.78)*	51.27 (0.62)**
Overall (0-4)	3.34 (0.06)	3.10 (0.05)*	2.89 (0.05)*	2.58 (0.04)**

\*p<.01; \*\*p<.001

WHOQOL-Bref , World Health Organization Quality of Life Instrument-Short Form; QoL, Quality of Life

<sup>a</sup> Means after controlling for covariates (age, sex, education, marital status, employment status, and income).

<sup>b</sup> Significance in the column '1 diagnosis' refer to the difference with 'no diagnosis', in the '2 diagnoses' column, to the difference between 2 diagnoses and 1 diagnosis, and in the '3 diagnoses' column to the difference between 3 diagnoses and 2 diagnoses. Diagnoses based on algorithms from the PHQ-9, GAD-7 and PHQ-15 for major depression, generalized anxiety and somatoform disorders, respectively.

<sup>b</sup> SE- standard errors based on 1000 bootstrap samples.

<sup>c</sup> in parenthesis overall score range of each subscale.