Dynamic interplay between life events and course of psychotic disorders: 10-year longitudinal study following first admission

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Supplementary Material

Supplemental Table 1. Life Event Categories

Negative Event Categories	Positive Event Categories			
Laid off	New residence			
Wage cut	Returned to old job			
Reduced family income	Started new job			
Property damage or robbery	Started school/vocational program			
Accident	Promoted			
Driver's license suspended	Engaged or married			
Arrested	Started romantic relationship			
Other legal problems	Had/adopted a baby			
Death of close other	Child had/adopted a baby			
Illness of close other				
Got separated or divorced				
Parents separated or divorced				
Abortion or miscarriage				

Supplemental Table 2. Impact of Demographics on Effects of Adverse LEs

_	Without C	ovariates ¹	With Covariates		
_	β	p	β	p	
Reality Distortion	.07	.006*	.09	.001*	
Disorganization	.07	.002*	.08	.001*	
Negative Symptoms	08	<.0001*	07	<.0001*	
Mania	.08	.002*	.08	.003*	
Depression	.06	.019*	.06	.016*	

¹Regression models covarying for demographic factors including age, sex, diagnosis, SES; *p<.05.

Supplemental Table 3. Impact of Demographics on Slope of Adverse LE – Symptoms

Effect ¹	Reality	Disorgani	Negative SX (β)	Mania	Depression
	distortion (β)	zation (β)	SA (P)	(β)	(β)
Negative LE * Age	02	.01	00	02	.04
Negative LE * Diagnosis	.00	01	13*	08	05
Negative LE * Sex	04	05	02	07	12*
Negative LE * SES	02	05	01	02	.03

¹LE=Life Events, SX=Symptoms; *p<.05

Supplemental Table 4. Negative Symptom Covariate Models

	Negative LEs				Positive LEs				
	Original Model		Covariate Model		Origina	Original Model		Covariate Model	
	β	р	β	p	β	р	β	p	
Negative Symptoms	08	<.001	09	<.001	13	<.001	12	<.001	

Note: LEs = Life Events. Original Model reflects negative symptoms regressed on LEs. Covariate Model reflects negative symptoms, antipsychotic medication, and depressive symptoms regressed on LEs.

Supplemental Figure 1. Negative Symptoms and Adverse Life Events

Moderating effect of diagnosis on relationship of adverse LEs with negative symptoms. LEs = Life Events; OPD = Other Psychotic Disorders; SZ = Schizophrenia-Spectrum.

Supplemental Figure 2. Depression and Adverse Life Events

Moderating effect of gender on relationship of adverse LEs with depression. LEs = Life Events; F = Female; M = Male.