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**Table DS1** Cox regression proportional hazards analyses for time to relapse/recurrence in patients with recurrent depression receiving mindfulness-based cognitive therapy followed by discontinuation of maintenance antidepressant medication (MBCT+discontinuation) or mindfulness-based cognitive therapy plus maintenance antidepressant medication (MBCT+mADM), with moderator variables of interest

Variable	Intention-to-treat analysis (N=249)			Per-protocol analysis (N=135)		
	Hazard ratio	95% confidence interval	p	Hazard ratio	95% confidence interval	p
Condition (MBCT+Discontinuation vs. MBCT+mADM)	1.59	1.10 to 2.31	.01	1.59	1.01 to 2.51	.05
Condition, adjusted <sup>a</sup>	1.60	1.11 to 2.33	.01	1.69	1.07 to 2.68	.03
Remission (full vs. partial)	0.64	0.45 to 0.93	.02	0.61	0.39 to 0.96	.03
Remission x Condition	1.17	0.55 to 2.45	.69	1.06	0.42 to 2.67	.91
Nr of episodes (3–4 vs. 5+)	1.00	0.70 to 1.44	.99	0.91	0.58 to 1.43	.69
Episodes x Condition	0.58	0.28 to 1.23	.16	0.93	0.37 to 2.32	.88
Prior CBT (no vs. yes)	0.68	0.46 to 1.00	.05	0.73	0.46 to 1.15	.17
CBT x Condition	0.70	0.32 to 1.52	.36	0.56	0.22 to 1.43	.22
Gender (male vs. female)	0.75	0.50 to 1.11	.15	0.81	0.50 to 1.32	.40
Gender x Condition	0.61	0.27 to 1.35	.22	0.50	0.18 to 1.38	.18

CBT, cognitive-behavioural therapy.

a. Adjusted for depressive symptoms (Inventory of Depressive Symptomatology, Clinician Rated) at baseline and number of depressive episodes in the past.

**Table DS2** Quality of life for the MBCT+Discontinuation group (N=128) and MBCT+mADM group (N=121) at baseline, 3 and 15 months.

Variable	Baseline		3 months		15 months		<i>p</i> <sup>a</sup>	<i>p</i> <sup>b</sup>
	<i>Mean (SD)</i>	<i>N</i>	<i>Mean (SD)</i>	<i>N</i>	<i>Mean (SD)</i>	<i>N</i>		
WHO-QoL – Q1: overall perception of quality of life							.36	.24
MBCT+Discontinuation	3.5 (0.8)	116	3.4 (0.9)	93	3.6 (0.8)	83		
MBCT+mADM	3.5 (0.8)	113	3.6 (0.8)	86	3.7 (0.9)	68		
WHO-QoL – Q2: overall perception of health							.55	.29
MBCT+Discontinuation	3.5 (1.0)	116	3.3 (1.0)	92	3.4 (1.0)	83		
MBCT+mADM	3.4 (1.0)	113	3.3 (1.0)	85	3.4 (1.1)	68		
WHO-QoL – physical domain							.48	.36
MBCT+Discontinuation	24.6 (4.3)	116	24.4 (4.5)	93	25.4 (4.9)	83		
MBCT+mADM	24.2 (4.4)	113	24.6 (4.7)	86	25.6 (4.5)	67		
WHO-QoL – psychological domain							.21	.22
MBCT+Discontinuation	19.1 (3.1)	116	18.8 (3.7)	93	19.7 (3.6)	82		
MBCT+mADM	18.7 (3.2)	113	19.9 (3.6)	86	20.0 (3.8)	68		
WHO-QoL – social domain							.94	.60
MBCT+Discontinuation	10.1 (2.2)	115	10.1 (2.1)	93	10.5 (2.3)	83		
MBCT+mADM	9.8 (2.2)	113	10.0 (2.2)	86	10.1 (2.2)	68		
WHO-QoL – environmental domain							.60	.65
MBCT+Discontinuation	30.9 (4.2)	115	30.7 (4.9)	93	31.6 (4.5)	83		
MBCT+mADM	30.6 (4.0)	113	30.5 (4.2)	86	31.9 (4.0)	68		

WHO-QoL = WHO Quality of Life. <sup>a</sup>*p*-value reported for the repeated measures analysis on condition – time interaction based on observed data. <sup>b</sup>*p*-value reported for the repeated measures analysis on condition – time interaction based on imputed data.