

**Table DS1** Chi-square tests of independence for associations between DSM diagnostic allocation and variables of illness severity or impact and developmental factors

|  |              | <b>BP<sup>a</sup></b><br><b>n = 83<sup>c</sup></b><br>(BP I = 4; BP II = 79) |          | <b>BPD<sup>a</sup></b><br><b>n = 53</b> |          | <b>Comorbid</b><br><b>n = 54</b><br>(BP I = 7; BP II = 47) |          | <b>Chi-Sq</b> | <b>P</b> |
|--|--------------|--|----------|---|----------|--|----------|---------------|----------|
|  |              | <b>n</b>   | <b>%</b> | <b>n</b>                                | <b>%</b> | <b>n</b>   | <b>%</b> |               |          |
| Gender   | F            | 44   | 53.7     | 45                                      | 84.9     | 43   | 81.1     | 19.24         | <0.001   |
|  | M            | 38   | 46.3     | 8                                       | 15.1     | 10   | 18.9     |               |          |
| Clinician Determined CSA <sup>b</sup>            | Y            | 10   | 12.2     | 22                                      | 42.3     | 27   | 50.0     | 25.59         | <0.001   |
|  | N            | 72   | 87.8     | 30                                      | 57.4     | 27   | 50.0     |               |          |
| Clinician Determined Developmental Trauma        | Y            | 29   | 34.9     | 34                                      | 65.4     | 36   | 66.7     | 18.07         | <0.001   |
|  | N            | 54   | 65.1     | 18                                      | 34.6     | 18   | 33.3     |               |          |
| Clinician Determined Childhood Depersonalisation | Y            | 17   | 20.5     | 30                                      | 57.7     | 26   | 48.1     | 21.57         | <0.001   |
|  | N            | 66   | 79.5     | 22                                      | 42.3     | 28   | 51.9     |               |          |
| Parent Distant/Rejecting                         | Y            | 26   | 33.3     | 35                                      | 67.3     | 35   | 68.6     | 21.39         | <0.001   |
|  | N            | 52   | 66.7     | 17                                      | 32.7     | 16   | 31.4     |               |          |
| MOPS <sup>b</sup> Maternal Indifference          | Y            | 43   | 52.4     | 32                                      | 65.3     | 29   | 59.2     | 2.14          | .344     |
|  | N            | 39   | 47.6     | 17                                      | 34.2     | 20   | 40.8     |               |          |
| MOPS Maternal Abuse                              | Y            | 33   | 40.2     | 30                                      | 61.2     | 38   | 76.0     | 16.90         | <0.001   |
|  | N            | 49   | 59.8     | 19                                      | 38.8     | 12   | 24.0     |               |          |
| MOPS Maternal Over-control                       | Y            | 38   | 46.3     | 30                                      | 61.2     | 37   | 74.0     | 10.04         | .007     |
|  | N            | 44   | 53.7     | 19                                      | 38.8     | 13   | 26.0     |               |          |
| MOPS Paternal Indifference                       | Y            | 30   | 38.5     | 34                                      | 70.8     | 32   | 62.7     | 14.64         | <0.001   |
|  | N            | 48   | 61.5     | 14                                      | 29.2     | 19   | 37.3     |               |          |
| MOPS Paternal Abuse                              | Y            | 31   | 39.7     | 31                                      | 64.6     | 36   | 70.6     | 14.14         | <0.001   |
|  | N            | 47   | 60.3     | 17                                      | 35.4     | 15   | 29.4     |               |          |
| MOPS Paternal Over-control                       | Y            | 35   | 45.5     | 31                                      | 64.6     | 37   | 72.5     | 10.28         | .006     |
|  | N            | 42   | 54.5     | 17                                      | 35.4     | 14   | 27.5     |               |          |
| Total Cognitive Score                            | Above Median | 14   | 18.2     | 40                                      | 83.3     | 41   | 87.2     | 77.55         | <0.001   |
|  | Below Median | 63   | 81.8     | 8                                       | 16.7     | 6  | 12.8     |               |          |
|  | Median       |  |          |   |          |  |          |               |          |
| Suicide Attempt                                  | Y            | 25   | 30.1     | 31                                      | 59.6     | 33   | 61.1     | 17.13         | <0.001   |
|  | N            | 58   | 69.9     | 21                                      | 40.4     | 21   | 38.9     |               |          |
| Self-Harm  | Y            | 40   | 48.8     | 44                                      | 83.0     | 42   | 77.8     | 21.18         | <0.001   |
|  | N            | 42   | 51.2     | 9                                       | 17.0     | 12   | 22.2     |               |          |
| Trialled a Mood Stabiliser                       | Y            | 77   | 92.8     | 25                                      | 47.2     | 38   | 70.4     | 35.12         | <0.001   |
|  | N            | 6  | 7.2      | 28                                      | 52.8     | 16   | 29.6     |               |          |
| Mood Stabiliser Effectiveness                    | Not at All   | 8  | 10.0     | 7                                       | 14.3     | 6  | 11.1     | 37.31         | <0.001   |
|  | Mildly       | 16   | 20.0     | 4                                       | 8.2      | 11   | 20.4     |               |          |
|  | Moderately   | 28   | 35.0     | 10                                      | 20.4     | 10   | 18.5     |               |          |
|  | Extremely    | 23   | 28.7     | 4                                       | 8.2      | 11   | 20.4     |               |          |
|  | N/A          | 5  | 6.3      | 25                                      | 49.0     | 16   | 29.6     |               |          |
| Hospitalised for Hypo/mania                      | Y            | 1  | 1.2      | 1                                       | 1.9      | 7  | 13.0     | 11.35         | .003     |
|  | N            | 82   | 98.8     | 52                                      | 98.1     | 47   | 87.0     |               |          |
| Hospitalised for depression                      | Y            | 20   | 24.1     | 24                                      | 45.3     | 30   | 55.6     | 14.86         | <0.001   |
|  | N            | 63   | 75.9     | 29                                      | 54.7     | 24   | 44.4     |               |          |
| Hospitalised for Self-Harm                       | Y            | 13   | 15.7     | 32                                      | 60.4     | 21   | 38.9     | 29.1          | <0.001   |
|  | N            | 70   | 84.3     | 21                                      | 39.6     | 33   | 61.1     |               |          |

<sup>a</sup>BP = Bipolar Disorder; BPD = Borderline Personality Disorder

<sup>b</sup>CSA= Childhood Sexual Abuse; MOPS= Measure of Parental Style

<sup>c</sup>Participants included if no more than 3 missing study variables.