

Table S1. Score differences on re-administration of the DASS (time 2 minus time 1) and intraclass correlation coefficients for the intra-language correlation

	Mean score difference (SD)	Min score difference	Max score difference	ICC
Maltese-Maltese				
DASS total score	3.5 (8.9)	-6	24	0.73
DASS limitations subscale	1.5 (3.5)	-3	9	0.69
DASS hassles/burdens subscale	1 (3.6)	-4	8	0.87
DASS psychological impact subscale	1 (3.8)	-3	10	0.77
English-English				
DASS total score	4.7 (9.9)	-10	19	0.85
DASS limitations subscale	2.8 (6.1)	-3	15	0.80
DASS hassles/burdens subscale	2.3 (2.5)	0	6	0.80
DASS psychological impact subscale	-0.4 (4.7)	-10	6	0.71

Abbreviations: ICC, intraclass correlation coefficient; SD, standard deviation.

Table S2. Response distribution for each DASS item of the English version in our study

DASS item	Response category (%)						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1a	76.4	8.3	3.8	5.7	3.2	1.9	0.6
1b	74.5	15.3	3.2	3.2	1.9	0.6	1.3
1c	56.7	15.9	9.6	7.0	7.6	1.9	1.3
1d	78.3	12.7	1.3	3.8	0.6	2.6	0.6
1e	67.5	19.8	4.5	3.2	2.6	1.9	0.6
2a	42.7	33.1	7.0	10.2	3.8	2.6	0.6
2b	49.0	26.1	7.6	5.1	5.7	3.8	2.6
2c	38.2	24.2	8.9	4.5	12.7	3.8	7.6
2d	53.5	26.1	7.6	7.6	3.8	1.3	0.0
3a	54.1	29.3	7.0	4.5	3.2	1.3	0.6
3b	46.5	25.5	9.6	8.9	5.7	1.9	1.9
3c	65.0	20.4	5.7	3.2	5.1	0.0	0.6
3d	52.2	31.2	6.4	7.0	2.6	0.6	0.0
3e	58.0	23.6	5.1	6.4	2.6	4.5	0.0
3f	80.3	15.3	0.0	1.9	1.3	0.6	0.6
3g	46.5	31.2	10.8	6.4	3.2	1.9	0.0
3h	33.1	28.7	10.2	10.2	1.9	5.7	10.2
4a	29.3	28.7	19.1	12.7	4.5	3.2	2.6
4b	24.2	31.9	18.5	13.4	6.4	5.1	0.6
4d	27.4	29.3	6.4	15.9	12.1	4.5	4.5
4f	11.5	17.8	16.6	13.4	10.2	14.7	15.9
4g	41.4	28.0	9.6	13.4	3.8	1.3	2.6
4h	28.0	33.8	20.4	10.8	3.2	1.9	1.9
4i	65.0	21.0	2.6	6.4	3.8	0.0	1.3
4j	28.7	26.8	13.4	10.8	5.7	5.7	8.9

Note: Numbers in bold in the response category section indicate significant floor or ceiling effect.

Table S3. Correlation between the DASS total score and its subscales

	Limitations (9 items)	Hassles / burdens (8 items)	Psychological impact (8 items)	Positive psychological impact (5 items)	Negative psychological impact (3 items)
Maltese version					
Limitations	1.00				
Hassles/burdens	0.48*	1.00			
Psychological impact	0.24*	0.51*	1.00		
Positive psychological impact	-0.13	0.20 [#]	0.80*	1.00	
Negative psychological impact	0.57*	0.59*	0.63*	0.03	1.00
DASS total score	0.80*	0.85*	0.68*	0.29*	0.75*
English version					
Limitations	1.00				
Hassles/burdens	0.43*	1.00			
Psychological impact	0.22 [#]	0.50*	1.00		
Positive psychological impact	0.03	0.31*	0.90*	1.00	
Negative psychological impact	0.43*	0.53*	0.57*	0.14	1.00
DASS total score	0.74*	0.82*	0.74*	0.53*	0.66*

Note: * $p \leq 0.001$; [#] $p < 0.05$.