## **Supplementary material**

for the paper

High Perceived Stress and Low Self-Efficacy Are Associated With Functional Somatic Disorders:

The DanFunD Study

TABLE A1: Association between questionnaire-defined functional somatic disorders and functional somatic syndromes, perceived stress and self-efficacy

	Self-perceived stress		Self-efficacy	
	Model 3	Model 4a	Model 3	Model 4 <sub>b</sub>
	PR (95% CI)	PR (95% CI)	PR (95% CI)	PR (95% CI)
FSD overall $(n = 1219)$	1.06 (1.05-1.07)	1.06 (1.05-1.07)	1.01 (1.00-1.02)	1.01 (1.00-1.02)
Single-organ FSD ( $n = 1117$ )	1.06 (1.05-1.07)	1.06 (1.05-1.07)	1.01 (0.99-1.02)	1.01 (1.00-1.03)
Cardiopulmonary subtype ( $n = 69$ )	-	-	-	-
Gastrointestinal subtype ( $n = 271$ )	1.07 (1.04-1.10)	1.07 (1.04-1.10)	1.02 (1.00-1.05)	1.02 (1.00-1.05)
Musculoskeletal subtype ( $n = 716$ )	1.06 (1.05-1.08)	1.06 (1.05-1.08)	1.00 (0.99-1.02)	1.00 (0.99-1.02)
General symptoms subtype ( $n = 261$ )	1.14 (1.12-1.17)	1.14 (1.11-1.17)	1.00 (0.98-1.03)	1.01 (0.99-1.03)
Multi-organ FSD $(n = 76)$	-	-	-	-
Irritable bowel ( $n = 256$ )	1.07 (1.04-1.10)	1.07 (1.04-1.10)	1.01 (0.99-1.04)	1.01 (0.99-1.04)
Chronic widespread pain $(n = 325)$	1.08 (1.06-1.11)	1.09 (1.06-1.11)	1.01 (0.99-1.04)	1.02 (1.00-1.04)
Chronic fatigue ( $n = 658$ )	1.09 (1.08-1.11)	1.10 (1.08-1.11)	1.00 (0.99-1.02)	1.01 (0.99-1.02)

Model 3: Adjusted for sex, age, social status, neuroticism, and adverse life events.

Abbreviations: PR = prevalence ratio; CI = confidence interval; FSD = functional somatic disorders.

Model 4<sub>a</sub>: Adjusted for sex, age, social status, neuroticism, adverse life events, and self-efficacy.

Model 4<sub>b</sub>: Adjusted for sex, age, social status, neuroticism, adverse life events, and perceived stress.

<sup>&</sup>quot; – ": Could not be estimated because of low number of cases.

TABLE A2: Association between clinical interview-established functional somatic disorders, self-perceived stress, and self-efficacy

	Self-perceived stress		Self-efficacy	
	Model 3	Model 4a	Model 3	Model 4 <sub>b</sub>
	PR (95% CI)	PR (95% CI)	PR (95% CI)	PR (95% CI)
Overall FSD $(n = 392)$	1.04 (1.03-1.06)	1.03 (1.02-1.05)	1.01 (0.99-1.02)	1.01 (1.00-1.03)
Single-organ FSD $(n = 303)$	1.04 (1.02-1.06)	1.04 (1.02-1.06)	1.01 (0.99-1.03)	1.01 (0.99-1.03)
Cardiopulmonary subtype $(n = 47)$	-	-	-	-
Gastrointestinal subtype (n = 157)	1.03 (1.00-1.06)	1.03 (1.00-1.06)	1.03 (1.00-1.06)	1.03 (1.00-1.06)
Musculoskeletal subtype (n = 104)	1.07 (1.03-1.11)	-	-	-
General symptoms subtype (n = 106)	-	-	-	-
Multi-organ FSD ( $n = 82$ )	1.07 (1.02-1.11)	-	1.01 (0.97-1.05)	-

Model 4<sub>a</sub>: Adjusted for sex, age, social status, neuroticism, adverse life events, and self-efficacy.

Model 4<sub>b</sub>: Adjusted for sex, age, social status, neuroticism, adverse life events, and perceived stress.

Abbreviations: PR = prevalence ratio; CI = confidence interval; FSD = functional somatic disorders.

<sup>&</sup>quot; – ": Could not be estimated because of low number of cases.

TABLE A3: Association between self-perceived stress and pure types of irritable bowel, chronic widespread pain, and chronic fatigue

	Model 1	Model 2	Model 3	Model 4	
	PR (95% CI)	PR (95% CI)	PR (95% CI)	PR (95% CI)	
Irritable bowel, pure type ( $n = 143$ )	1.07 (1.05-1.10)	1.04 (1.00-1.07)	1.04 (1.00-1.08)	1.04 (1.00-1.08)	
Chronic widespread pain, pure type $(n = 176)$	1.06 (1.04-1.09)	1.06 (1.03-1.09)	1.06 (1.03-1.10)	1.06 (1.03-1.10)	
Chronic fatigue, pure type ( $n = 464$ )	1.11 (1.10-1.12)	1.10 (1.08-1.12)	1.10 (1.08-1.12)	1.10 (1.08-1.12)	

Model 1: Adjusted for sex, age, and social status.

Model 4: Adjusted for sex, age, social status, neuroticism, adverse life events, and self-efficacy.

Abbreviations: PR = prevalence ratio; CI = confidence interval.

Model 2: Adjusted for sex, age, social status, and neuroticism.

Model 3: Adjusted for sex, age, social status, neuroticism, and adverse life events.

TABLE A4: Association between self-efficacy and pure types of irritable bowel, chronic widespread pain, and chronic fatigue Model 1 Model 2 Model 3 Model 4 PR (95% CI) PR (95% CI) PR (95% CI) PR (95% CI) Irritable bowel, pure type (n = 143) 0.96 (0.93-0.98) 1.00 (0.97-1.03) 0.99 (0.96-1.03) 0.99 (0.96-1.03) Chronic widespread pain, pure type (n = 176)0.99 (0.97-1.01) 1.01 (0.99-1.04) 1.02 (0.99-1.05) 1.02 (0.99-1.05) Chronic fatigue, pure type (n = 464) 1.00 (0.99-1.01) 1.00 (0.99-1.02) 0.95 (0.93-0.96) 1.01 (0.99-1.02)

Model 4: Adjusted for sex, age, social status, neuroticism, adverse life events, and perceived stress.

Abbreviations: PR = prevalence ratio; CI = confidence interval.

Model 1: Adjusted for sex, age, and social status.

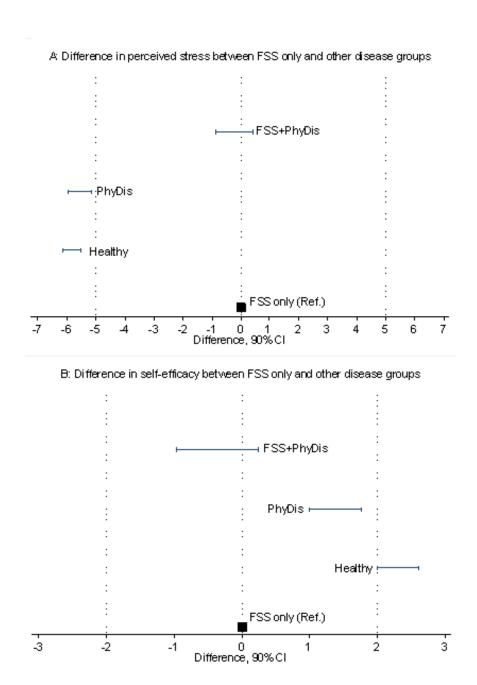
Model 2: Adjusted for sex, age, social status, and neuroticism.

Model 3: Adjusted for sex, age, social status, neuroticism, and adverse life events.

TABLE A5: Perceived stress and self-efficacy in individuals with FSD only and differences to other disease groups

	Questionnaire-based		Interview-based		
	Perceived stress	Self-efficacy	Perceived stress	Self-efficacy	
FSD only; mean, 90% CI	Ref.	Ref.	Ref.	Ref.	
(Qn = 1155, In = 319)	14.37 (14.08; 14.65)	19.75 (19.49; 20.02)	16.52 (15.90; 17.14)	19.50 (18.96; 20.04)	
Healthy; diff. (90% CI)	-4.60 (-4.90; -4.29)	1.75 (1.46; 2.04)	-5.33 (-6.05; -4.61)	1.93 (1.30; 2.55)	
(Qn = 6779, In = 907)	-4.00 (-4.50, -4.25)	1.73 (1.40, 2.04)	-3.33 (-0.03, -4.01)		
PhyDis; diff. (90% CI)	-4.59 (-5.00; -4.19)	1.08 (0.70; 1.46)	-4.35 (-5.29; -3.40)	10) 0.88 (0.06; 1.70)	
(Qn = 1145, In = 239)	-4.39 (-3.00, -4.19)	1.00 (0.70, 1.40)	-4.33 (-3.29, -3.40)	0.88 (0.00, 1.70)	
FSD+PhyDis; diff. (90% CI)	0.40 (-0.19; 0.99)	-1.04 (-1.59; -0.49)	-0.53 (-1.89; 0.83)	-0.94 (-2.12; 0.25)	
(Qn = 354, In = 83)	0.70 ( 0.17, 0.77)				

Abbreviations: Diff. = difference; CI = confidence interval; Qn = number of questionnaire-based cases; In = number of interview-based cases; FSD = functional somatic disorder, operationalised as Bodily Distress Syndrome; PhyDis = physical disease only; FSD+PhyDis = functional somatic disorder and physical disease; Ref. = reference.



**Figure A1:** FSS = functional somatic syndrome (irritable bowel, chronic widespread pain, chronic fatigue); PhyDis = physical disease only; FSD+PhyDis = functional somatic syndrome and physical disease; Ref. = reference. All cases are questionnaire-defined.

TABLE A6: Perceived stress and self-efficacy in individuals with FSS only and differences to other disease groups

	Questionnaire-based		
	Perceived stress	Self-efficacy	
FSS only; mean, 90% CI	Ref.	Ref.	
(n = 999)	15.49 (15.19; 15.79)	19.24 (18.96; 19.52)	
Healthy; diff. (90% CI) ( <i>n</i> = 6780)	-5.83 (-6.15; -5.51)	2.31 (2.00; 2.61)	
PhyDis; diff. (90% CI) ( <i>n</i> = 1198)	-5.55 (-5.95; -5.14)	1.38 (1.00; 1.77)	
FSS+PhyDis; diff. (90% CI) ( <i>n</i> = 277)	-0.23 (-0.88; 0.41)	-0.36 (-0.96; 0.25)	

Abbreviations: Diff. = difference; CI = confidence interval; FSS = functional somatic syndrome (irritable bowel, chronic widespread pain, chronic fatigue); PhyDis = physical disease only; FSS+PhyDis = functional somatic syndrome and physical disease; Rf. = reference.