



Correction to: Increases in External Sensory Observing Cross-Sectionally Mediate the Repair of Positive Affect Following Mindfulness-Based Cognitive Therapy in Individuals with Residual Depression Symptoms

Barnaby D. Dunn¹ · Hanna Wiedemann² · Merle Kock³ · Frenk Peeters^{4,5} · Marieke Wichers⁶ · Rachel Hayes⁷ · Willem Kuyken⁸ · Nicole Geschwind⁹

Published online: 19 October 2023
© Springer Science+Business Media, LLC, part of Springer Nature 2023

Correction to: Mindfulness

<https://doi.org/10.1007/s12671-022-02032-0>

In the published article, the author wishes to correct the scoring scale for DPES (rating items on 1 to 5 not the standard 1 to 7 scale). In the Measure section, the below should be updated:

Current version

The measure of PA was a composite of subscales from the Dispositional Positive Emotions Scale (DPES; Shiota et al., 2006), which ask participants to rate to what extent they agree with a variety of statements on a scale from 1 (*strongly disagree*) to 7 (*strongly agree*). We chose to focus on the joy subscale (six items; e.g. “On a typical day, many events make me happy”) and the contentment subscale (five

items; e.g. “I am generally a contented person”), as these correspond to high and low arousal PA respectively. The 11 items were added together to form a single DPES PA scale, ranging from 11 to 77.

Proposed revisions

The measure of PA was a composite of subscales from the Dispositional Positive Emotions Scale (DPES; Shiota et al., 2006), which ask participants to rate to what extent they agree with a variety of statements about experience of positive emotions. We chose to focus on the joy subscale (six items; e.g. “On a typical day, many events make me happy”) and the contentment subscale (five items; e.g. “I am generally a contented

The original article can be found online at <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12671-022-02032-0>.

✉ Barnaby D. Dunn
b.d.dunn@exeter.ac.uk

¹ Mood Disorders Centre, University of Exeter, Exeter, UK

² Faculty of Psychology and Neuroscience, Maastricht University, Maastricht, Netherlands

³ Centre for the Psychology of Learning and Experimental Psychopathology, KU Leuven, Louvain, Belgium

⁴ Department of Psychiatry and Psychology, University Hospital Maastricht, Maastricht, Netherlands

⁵ School for Mental Health and Neuroscience, Faculty of Health, Medicine and Life Sciences, Maastricht University, Maastricht, Netherlands

⁶ Medical Center Groningen (UMCG), University of Groningen, Groningen, Netherlands

⁷ Medical School, University of Exeter, Exeter University, Exeter, UK

⁸ Department of Psychiatry, University of Oxford, Oxford, UK

⁹ Department of Clinical Psychological Science, Maastricht University, Maastricht, Netherlands

person”), as these correspond to high and low arousal PA respectively. Each item was rated on a scale from 1 (*strongly disagree*) to 5 (*strongly agree*). This a minor modification to the original DPES validation papers (Shiota et al., 2006), where each item was rated on a scale from 1 (*strongly disagree*) to 7 (*strongly agree*), meaning the current data cannot be directly benchmarked against existing normative data on the DPES.

Thus, this erratum is presented to fix the error.

The original article has been corrected.

Open Access This article is licensed under a Creative Commons Attribution 4.0 International License, which permits use, sharing, adaptation, distribution and reproduction in any medium or format, as long as you give appropriate credit to the original author(s) and the source, provide a link to the Creative Commons licence, and indicate if changes were made. The images or other third party material in this article are included in the article’s Creative Commons licence, unless indicated otherwise in a credit line to the material. If material is not included in the article’s Creative Commons licence and your intended use is not permitted by statutory regulation or exceeds the permitted use, you will need to obtain permission directly from the copyright holder. To view a copy of this licence, visit <http://creativecommons.org/licenses/by/4.0/>.

Publisher’s Note Springer Nature remains neutral with regard to jurisdictional claims in published maps and institutional affiliations.