Supplemental Appendix A. Coding System

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Variable	C	oding De	escription			
Sample characteristics						
Gender distribution in	1	Male				
sample	2	Female				
	3	Mixed				
Continent		Australia	Including New Zealand			
	2	North America	Including USA and Canada			
	3	Europe				
	4	Africa				
	5	South America				
	6	Asia				
Country's level of	1	Low-resource	According to the World Economic Outlook			
economic development	2	High-resource	Database [37]			
Ethnicity	1	African-American	Predominance in sample, based on reports in			
•	2	Caucasian	the			
			study			
	3	Asian				
	4	Hispanic				
SES	1	Low	Predominance in sample, based on reports in			
	2	Moderate	the			
			study			
	3	High				
Respondent	1	Child				
_	2	Adult				
Procedural moderators						
Evidence maltreatment	1	Informant				
	2	Self-report				
Witnessing domestic	1	Several indicators	Coded for emotional neglect			
violence	2	Witnessing domestic	5			
		violence only				
Type of instrument	1	Interview				
-	2	Questionnaire				
Instrument validated	1	No				
	2	Yes				
Number of questions			Continuous; if a range was provided, the			
regarding neglect			minimum number was coded			
Sampling procedure	1	Randomized				
2 01	2	Convenience				
Response rate	1	Low to moderate	< 80%			
~	2	High	$\geq 80\%$			
Sample size	1	Small to moderate	< 1,000			
-	2	Large	≥ 1,000			

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Supplemental Appendix C. Studies in which the prevalence of physical or emotional neglect was self-reported

Study	Gender	N	Prevalence	Continent	Economic	Ethnicity <sup>2, 3</sup>	SES <sup>3</sup>	Responden
			(%)		Development <sup>1</sup>	(predominant)		
Physical neglect								
Finkelhor et al. (2005)	Female	1,015	1.4	North America	High	Caucasian	High	Child
Finkelhor et al. (2005)	Male	1,015	1.5	North America	High	Caucasian	High	Child
Hussey et al. (2006)	Mixed	10,828	11.7	North America	High			Adult
May-Chahal et al. (2005)	Female	1,635	7.0	Europe	High			Adult
May-Chahal et al. (2005)	Male	1,234	6.0	Europe	High			Adult
Meston et al. (1999; Asian)	Female	278	46.0	North America	High	Asian	Moderate	Adult
Meston et al. (1999; non-Asian)	Female	391	32.0	North America	High	Caucasian	Moderate	Adult
Meston et al. (1999; Asian)	Male	192	64.0	North America	High	Asian	Moderate	Adult
Meston et al. (1999; non-Asian)	Male	191	46.0	North America	High	Caucasian	Moderate	Adult
Scher et al. (2004)	Female	618	14.2	North America	High	Caucasian	Moderate	Adult
Scher et al. (2004)	Male	349	22.1	North America	High	Caucasian	Moderate	Adult
Thompson et al. (2000)	Female	178	30.0	North America	High	African American	Low	Adult
Young et al. (2006)	Male	41,482	16.9	North America	High	Caucasian	Moderate	Adult
Emotional neglect								
Ansara et al. (2005)	Female	200	3.5	North America	High		Moderate	Adult
Bensley et al. (2003)	Female	3,527	14.4	North America	High	Caucasian	High	Adult
Chapman et al. (2004)	Female	5,108	13.2	North America	High	Caucasian	Moderate	Adult
Chapman et al. (2004)	Male	4,352	11.0	North America	High	Caucasian	Moderate	Adult
Clemmons et al. (2003)	Female	112	33.9	North America	High	Hispanic American	Moderate	Child
Elliott (1997)	Mixed	505	25.0	North America	High	Caucasian	Moderate	Adult
Fergusson & Horwood (1998)	Female	515	40.0	Australia	High			Adult
Fergusson & Horwood (1998)	Male	504	40.0	Australia	High			Adult
Gagné et al. (2005)	Female	622	23.6	North America	High		Low	Child
Jirapramukpitak et al. (2005)	Female	199	8.0	Asia	Low			Adult
Jirapramukpitak et al. (2005)	Male	144	9.7	Asia	Low			Adult
Scher et al. (2004)	Female	618	5.3	North America	High	Caucasian	Moderate	Adult
Scher et al. (2004)	Male	349	4.9	North America	High	Caucasian	Moderate	Adult
Stephenson et al. (2006)	Mixed	1240	80.1	Asia	Low		Low	Child
Thompson et al. (2000)	Female	178	33.0	North America	High	African American	Low	Adult
Young et al. (2006)	Male	41,482	15.4	North America	High	Caucasian	Moderate	Adult

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>high means high-resource, low means low-resource; <sup>2</sup>for the subset of studies originating from North America; <sup>3</sup> -- means 'not reported'