

Additional file 4. Results of a sensitivity analysis according to non-appointed, non-responding and responding caregivers (outpatients)

Table.

Outpatient psychiatric care: descriptive characteristics for 6229 patients^a according to caregiver participation

Patient characteristics n=6229 (100 %)	No invited caregivers n = 4018 (64.5 %)	Responding caregivers n = 945 (15.2 %)	Non-responding caregivers n = 1266 (20.3 %)
Age, m (sd)	40.3 (15.7)	38.9 (17.7)	37.7 (15.9)
Age missing, n (%)	160 (4)	13 (1)	28 (2)
Sex, n (%)			
Male	1422 (35)	335 (35)	407 (32)
Female	2455 (61)	596 (63)	838 (66)
Missing	141 (4)	14 (1)	21 (2)
Diagnosis, n (%)			
Schizophrenia and psychosis	1185 (29)	340 (36)	418 (33)
Affective disorder	866 (22)	247 (26)	334 (26)
Other diagnosis	1628 (41)	342 (36)	489 (39)
Missing	339 (8)	16 (2)	25 (2)
Relationship, n (%)			
Partner		342 (36)	518 (41)
Parent		429 (45)	461 (36)
Son/daughter		92 (10)	69 (5)
Sibling		32 (3)	50 (4)
Other relation		48 (5)	82 (6)
Missing		2 (0)	86 (7)
Patient-reported improvement, n (%)			
Low/none	1483 (37)	320 (34)	481 (38)
High	2132 (53)	564 (60)	679 (54)
Missing	403 (10)	61 (6)	106 (8)
Patient-reported satisfaction, n (%)			
Low/none	685 (17)	129 (14)	177 (14)
High	3152 (78)	789 (83)	1045 (83)
Missing	181 (5)	27 (3)	44 (3)

^a Patients are only included with one observation disregarding that the patients may have two caregivers responding to the caregiver-questionnaire.