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In the original publication [1], the wording of the provisional English translation of questionnaire items 5, 7, and 11 in Table 3 contained some linguistic inaccuracies; the wording of these three items has now been corrected. The corrected Table 3 appears below. The authors state that the scientific conclusions are unaffected.



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Table 3. Item descriptives in the total sample ($N = 1168$).

	Item ¹	Factor Loading Factor 1	Factor Loading Factor 2	Mean (SD) ²	Missing Values n (%) ³
1	I know how I can promote my health.	0.70	0.16	4.12 (0.86)	51 (4.5)
2	It is easy for me to practice health-promoting behavior in everyday life (e.g., nutrition, exercise).	0.71	0.01	3.72 (0.94)	49 (4.2)
3	I am well informed regarding my health condition.	0.59	0.36	4.20 (0.87)	73 (6.3)
4	I am able to cope with my health problems.	0.74	0.30	4.01 (0.88)	58 (5.0)
5	I know various treatment possibilities for my diseases.	0.66	0.24	3.71 (1.0)	113 (9.7)
6	I am able to prevent a deterioration of my health condition as much as this is possible.	0.75	0.22	3.83 (0.94)	79 (6.8)
7	I know when to seek medical or therapeutic help, or when I can deal with my complaints on my own.	0.63	0.45	3.99 (0.91)	56 (4.8)
8	I am able to get medical or therapeutic help when I need it.	0.50	0.63	4.26 (0.88)	50 (4.3)
9	I have no difficulty in telling my doctor about my concerns and fears, even if he or she does not address them directly.	0.18	0.90	4.12 (0.98)	37 (3.2)
10	It is easy for me to ask my questions or express my wishes during a medical consultation.	0.19	0.87	4.19 (0.95)	35 (3.0)
11	I am convinced that I can practice a healthy lifestyle even in strenuous times.	0.64	0.32	3.63 (0.96)	39 (3.3)
12	In general, I am coping well with life.	0.63	0.37	4.19 (0.86)	26 (2.2)
13	On the whole, I am able to look after myself.	0.65	0.34	4.04 (0.94)	30 (2.6)

¹ The items presented here reflect a culturally adapted provisional English version of the German PEN-13 version. The initial question to the items was “To what extent do you agree with the following statements for you as a patient?”, and the items were as follows: ² SD—standard deviation; scale 1–5: 1—strongly disagree; 2—disagree; 3—neither/nor; 4—agree; and 5—strongly agree. ³ For each study participant with one to three missing items, these were substituted by the mean of the respondent’s valid items. The bold marking shows the assignment to the factor.

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