Supplemental Table ST1. List of tested *FKBP5* SNPs, their positions on human chromosome 6 (6p21.3-21.2), Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium test p-value, minor allele frequency and call rate (N=884). The Hardy-Weinberg equilibrium tests for the SNPs of EDSP respondents without a major depressive episode revealed a nominal deviation, which did not withstand Bonferroni correction for multiple testing (5 SNPs x 2 populations). Although call rates were close to 100%, to exclude genotyping errors we compared the genotypes of rs1360780 and rs9470080 with results of high-throughput genotyping (Illumina 550k Bead Chip, Illumina Inc., San Diego, CA, USA), which is available for these SNPs in a subsample of 169 respondents. 100% concordance in genotyping was observed.

			Majo	r Depressive Epis	ode	No Major Depressive Episode			
SNP	Position ^a	Function	Hardy-Weinberg- Equilibrium test p-value	Minor Allele Frequency	Call Rate	Hardy-Weinberg- Equilibrium test p-value	Minor Allele Frequency	Call Rate	
rs3800373	35650454	3' UTR	0.185	0.27	99.37	0.024*	0.25	99.72	
rs9296158	35675060	Intron	0.247	0.29	100.00	0.007*	0.28	100.00	
rs1360780	35715549	Intron	0.163	0.28	100.00	0.013*	0.29	100.00	
rs9470080	35754413	Intron	0.570	0.30	100.00	0.045*	0.32	100.00	
rs4713916	35777961-8002	5' flanking (range inserting)	0.800	0.27	100.00	0.031*	0.30	99.86	

a Chromosomal positions are given according to the March 2006 (hg18) human reference sequence database (NCBI Build 36.1) of the International Human Genome Sequencing Consortium;

^{*} p < 0.05; for all SNPs: no significant deviation from Hardy-Weinberg-Equilibrium after Bonferroni-correction for multiple testing (5 SNPs* 2 populations).

Supplemental Table ST2. Associations between baseline adverse events and SNPs of the *FKBP5* gene. Presence of potential gene-environment correlations were tested by evaluating the association between *FKBP5* polymorphisms and the exposure to adverse events. Associations at the nominal level of significance were almost exclusively found for rs4713916 with carriers of the major allele (AG/GG) being less frequently exposed to adverse events compared to non-carriers (AA). No effect withstood correction for multiple testing.

Proportion of Respondents with Respective Adverse Event c among ...

	Subjects Homozygous for the Minor Allele		Heterozygous Subjects		Subjects Homozygous for the Major Allele		- Heterozygous Versus Homozygous for Minor Allele		Homozygous for Major Allele Versus Homozygous for Minor Allele		Heterozygous Versus Homozygous for Major Allele	
Lifetime Adverse Event until Baseline	n ^a	% ^a	n ^a	% ^a	n ^a	% ^a	Odds Ratio a	95%CI ^a	Odds Ratio ^a	95%CI ^a	Odds Ratio a	95%CI ^a
rs3800373 (CC/AC/AA) ^b												
Any Adverse Event	29	40.3	102	33.4	166	32.9	8.0	0.46-1.36	8.0	0.45-1.28	1.0	0.76-1.41
Any Separation Event	19	26.4	73	23.9	130	25.8	0.9	0.51-1.68	1.0	0.57-1.78	0.9	0.65-1.29
Any Trauma	14	19.4	43	14.1	61	12.1	0.7	0.37-1.46	0.6	0.31-1.17	1.2	0.79-1.87
Any Severe Trauma	11	15.3	32	10.5	47	9.3	0.7	0.33-1.49	0.6	0.29-1.23	1.2	0.72-1.90
rs9296158 (AA/AG/GG) ^b												
Any Adverse Event	38	42.7	102	31.5	158	33.6	0.7	0.40-1.07	0.7	0.44-1.13	0.9	0.68-1.26
Any Separation Event	26	29.2	74	22.8	123	26.1	8.0	0.44-1.29	0.9	0.53-1.47	0.9	0.61-1.20
Any Trauma	18	20.2	41	12.7	59	12.5	0.6	0.33-1.16	0.6	0.33-1.09	1.0	0.67-1.60
Any Severe Trauma	15	16.9	29	9.0	46	9.8	0.5	0.26-1.04	0.6	0.29-1.07	0.9	0.57-1.53
<u>rs1360780</u> (<i>TT/CT/CC</i>) ^b												
Any Adverse Event	39	43.3	105	32.1	154	33.0	0.7	0.40-1.06	0.7	0.41-1.07	1.0	0.72-1.33
Any Separation Event	27	30.0	75	22.9	121	25.9	0.7	0.43-1.24	0.8	0.51-1.39	0.9	0.62-1.22
Any Trauma	18	20.0	43	13.2	57	12.2	0.7	0.35-1.22	0.6	0.32-1.06	1.1	0.72-1.72
Any Severe Trauma	15	16.7	30	9.2	45	9.6	0.5	0.27-1.07	0.6	0.29-1.06	1.0	0.59-1.60
<u>rs9470080</u> (<i>TT/CT/CC</i>) ^b												
Any Adverse Event	41	39.8	112	31.4	145	34.2	0.7	0.45-1.14	0.8	0.51-1.27	0.9	0.65-1.21
Any Separation Event	29	28.2	81	22.7	113	26.7	0.8	0.47-1.28	0.9	0.58-1.54	8.0	0.58-1.14
Any Trauma	20	19.4	45	12.6	53	12.5	0.6	0.35-1.14	0.6	0.34-1.10	1.0	0.66-1.58
Any Severe Trauma	17	16.5	32	9.0	41	9.7	0.5 *	0.27-0.99	0.6	0.30-1.04	0.9	0.57-1.53
<u>rs4713916</u> (AA/AG/GG) ^b												
Any Adverse Event	39	44.8	109	31.9	150	33.0	0.6 *	0.36-0.96	0.6 *	0.38-0.99	1.0	0.70-1.29
Any Separation Event	29	33.3	79	23.1	115	25.3	0.6 *	0.36-1.02	0.7	0.41-1.13	0.9	0.64-1.24
Any Trauma	19	21.8	43	12.6	56	12.3	0.5 *	0.28-0.97	0.5 *	0.28-0.93	1.0	0.67-1.58
Any Severe Trauma	16	18.4	31	9.1	43	9.5	0.5 *	0.23-0.88	0.5 *	0.24-0.89	1.0	0.59-1.57

a "n" and "%" = number and percentage of respondents; "Odds Ratio" = odds ratio of a multiple logistic regression; "CI" = confidence interval;

b Minor alleles: rs3800373: C; rs9296158: A; rs1360780: T; rs9470080: T; rs4713916: A;

c Reference group: without the respective adverse event until baseline;

p < 0.05 for an odds ratio controlled for age and gender; no effect withstood correction for multiple testing.