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Thank you for the answers to my previous comments. I am still confused about the diagnostic categories used in the analyses. The authors answered to my previous question that in the regression model in table 2 the estimates for personality disorder (axis II) are relative to all other diagnosis (axis I, reference group). How were the patients put into the different categories? If the patient would have had a diagnosis of psychotic depression and a personality disorder, in which diagnostic category he/she was put, depressive disorder or personality disorder? Usually every patient, who has axis II diagnosis has also axis I diagnosis too.

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