
Table 2 Psychiatric symptoms measured by SCL-90-R inventory in participants suffering MI versus without MI

Symptom	MI cases (<i>n</i> = 51)	Non MI cases (<i>n</i> = 2107)	<i>P</i> -level
	Mean (SD)	Mean (SD)	
Somatization	14.92 (10.08)	9.52 (8.36)	0.01
Obsessive compulsive	9.76 (7.62)	7.99 (6.79)	0.06
Interpersonal sensitivity	7.21 (6.39)	6.76 (6.11)	0.60
Depression	13.78 (10.76)	10.79 (9.80)	0.03
Anxiety	9.50 (8.59)	7.07 (6.76)	0.013
Hostility	4.52 (4.17)	4.21 (4.16)	0.59
Phobic anxiety	4.68 (4.3)	2.74 (1.36)	0.01
Paranoid ideation	7.25 (5.03)	6.39 (5.07)	0.23
Psychoticism	6.66 (6.11)	4.96 (3.57)	0.03
Other ^a	6.88 (5.21)	6.09 (5.02)	0.22

^aOther includes disturbance in appetite and sleep patterns.

MI = myocardial infarction; SD = standard deviation.