# Supplementary Table 1. Six-year course of total disability in participants with chronic depressive disorder, recurrent depressive disorder, remitting depressive disorder and healthy controls

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| **Total disability** | **T0** |  | **T1** |  | **T2** |  | **T3** |  | **Group \* time (T0T3)** |
|  | **β** | **SE** | **p** |  | **β** | **SE** | **p** |  | **β** | **SE** | **p** |  | **β** | **SE** | **p** |  | **β** | **SE** | **p** |
| Across diagnostic groups |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  Chronic MDD | 39.0 | 1.8 | ≤0.001 |  | 37.4 | 1.8 | ≤0.001 |  | 37.3 | 1.8 | ≤0.001 |  | 36.5 | 1.9 | ≤0.001 |  | -2.5 | 1.8 | 0.150 |
|  Recurrent MDD | 31.5 | 1.1 | ≤0.001 |  | 21.5 | 1.1 | ≤0.001 |  | 22.9 | 1.1 | ≤0.001 |  | 23.9 | 1.1 | ≤0.001 |  | -7.5 | 1.1 | ≤0.001 |
|  Remitting MDD | 27.2 | 1.1 | ≤0.001 |  | 16.0 | 1.1 | ≤0.001 |  | 14.5 | 1.1 | ≤0.001 |  | 12.7 | 1.1 | ≤0.001 |  | -14.5 | 1.0 | ≤0.001 |
|  Healthy controls | ref. |  |  |  | ref. |  |  |  | ref. |  |  |  | ref. |  |  |  | ref. |  |  |
| Chronic vs. Recurrent MDD |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  Chronic MDD | 6.0 | 2.5 | 0.018 |  | 14.3 | 2.5 | 0.002 |  | 12.8 | 2.5 | ≤0.001 |  | 11.1 | 2.6 | ≤0.001 |  | 5.1 | 2.4 | 0.032 |
|  Recurrent MDD | ref. |  |  |  | ref. |  |  |  | ref. |  |  |  | ref. |  |  |  | ref. |  |  |
| Recurrent vs Remitting MDD |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  Recurrent MDD | 3.8 | 1.6 | 0.021 |  | 5.1 | 1.7 | 0.002 |  | 8.0 | 1.7 | ≤0.001 |  | 10.7 | 1.7 | ≤0.001 |  | 6.9 | 1.6 | ≤0.001 |
|  Remitting MDD | ref. |  |  |  | ref. |  |  |  | ref. |  |  |  | ref. |  |  |  | ref. |  |  |

Analyses are adjusted for age, gender, education and partner status at baseline.