

APPENDIX D

Results of a Principal Axis Factor Analysis with a Promax Rotation for the Coping Items for In-Person Bullying Experiences

Item #	Item Description	Factor 1 (Social Support-Family/Adult)	Factor 2 (Distancing)	Factor 3 (Retaliation)	Factor 4 (Problem Solving)	Factor 5 (Distraction)	Factor 6 (Social Support-Friend)
14	Ask a family member for advice	.78*	-.07	-.07	.15	-.14	.82
27	Get help from a family member	.78*	-.04	-.14	.11	-.12	.09
28	Talk to the teacher, counselor, or another adult at school	.75*	-.06	.02	-.02	.07	-.04
5 ^a	Talk to somebody about how it made me feel	.60*	.10	.03	.09	-.13	.35
1	Tell a friend of family member what happened	.59*	-.07	-.05	-.11	-.04	.36
23	Try to understand why it happened to me	.33*	.17	.22	.21	-.04	.31
24	Say I don't care	-.16	.71*	.04	.09	-.20	.22
10	Forget the whole thing	.01	.67*	-.05	-.15	.16	-.16
13	Tell myself it doesn't matter	-.24	.64*	-.09	.08	.11	-.03
25	Ignore it when other people say something about it	-.02	.63*	-.04	.04	-.05	.05
16	Refuse to think about it	.33	.59*	.13	-.12	.16	-.25
3	Make believe nothing happened	-.05	.59*	-.002	-.14	.21	-.12
22	Curse at that person	.17	-.11	.79*	.09	.11	.06
4	Do to that person what he/she did to you because I felt sad or angry	-.04	.003	.76*	-.05	-.08	.10
17	Yell at that person to let off steam	.03	.19	.73*	-.01	-.17	.06
26	Get mad at the person and throw something at him/her or hit him/her	.01	-.18	.78*	-.04	.12	-.27
2	Try to think of different ways to solve it	-.07	-.12	-.07	.76*	.22	-.20
15	Know there were things I could do to make it better	.23	.11	-.02	.68*	-.07	-.11
9	Decide on one way to deal with the problem and do it	.08	-.19	.10	.63*	.16	-.05
6	Change something so things would work out	.07	.05	-.06	.62*	.19	-.13

19	Go over in my mind what to do or say	-.14	.03	.08	.58*	-.09	.29
11	Keep my mind off the problem by: Exercise, video games, see friends, do a hobby, and/or watch TV	-.15	-.05	-.01	-.03	.73*	.36
20	Do something else to take my mind off it	-.10	.13	-.09	.21	.63*	.14
7	Think about happy things to take my mind off the problem or how I was feeling	-.05	.10	.05	.15	.62*	.23
21	Imagine something really fun or exciting happening in my life	.19	.16	.01	.13	.56*	.06
12	Ask a friend for advice	.06	-.07	-.10	-.13	.32	.84*
8	Get help from a friend	.11	-.07	.02	-.15	.24	.80*
18	Ask another kid who had this problem what he or she did	.28	-.01	.12	-.06	.22	.47*
Eigenvalue		5.14	3.14	2.59	1.40	1.40	1.20
% variance account for by factor		19.02%	12.63%	9.60%	5.20%	5.15%	4.45%

Note. Principal axis factor analysis was used with a promax rotation, and results are reported as standardized regression coefficients.

^a Item was dropped from subsequent analyses.

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