Online supplemental file for

Tracing Tomorrow: Young people's preferences and values related to use of personal sensing to predict mental health, using a digital game methodology

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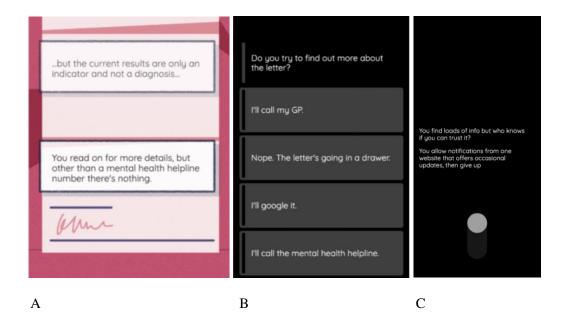


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Table S1. Information about mental health and digital phenotyping Tracing Tomorrow users can unlock via clickable "fact" icons

| Fact 0 | Tap on INFO ICONS to gather more information throughout the game. Tap |
|--------|---|
| | again to close. |
| Fact 1 | Internet and mobile phone tech can be used to collect or monitor signs of mental |
| | wellbeing in someone. |
| Fact 2 | Depression can happen when anxiety about school or exams becomes common |
| | and too hard to cope with. Professional support could help. |
| Fact 3 | Googling, posting on social media, texting, and messaging, are useful to services |
| | that monitor mental health risk. But allowing access to this data increases other |
| | risks, such as your privacy. |
| Fact 4 | Risk predictions are just probabilities: having a high risk doesn't mean you'll |
| | definitely have mental health issues, and a low risk doesn't mean you definitely |
| | won't. |
| Fact 5 | Schools could collect student data to help improve mental health risk profiles, |
| | but this could have other consequences. Students could experience stigma |
| | around their mental health. |
| Fact 6 | Enough sleep, eating healthily and exercising can all help your mental health and |
| | wellbeing. |

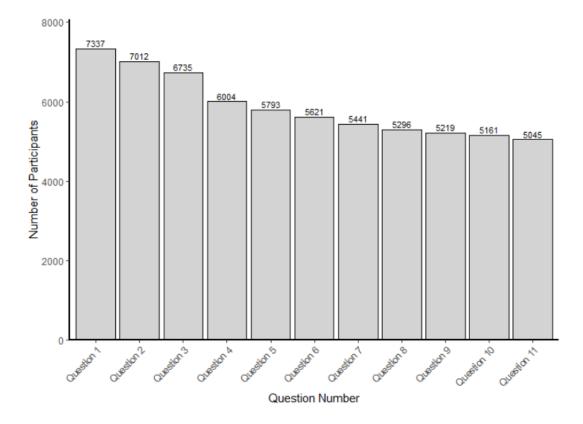


Figure S2. Plot showing the overall dropout rate for 16–18-year-olds from questions 1-11

Table S2. The dropout rate from questions 1-11 stratified by either gender, age or nation of origin

| Group | Sub group | Dropout rate (%) | | |
|--------|------------------|------------------|--|--|
| Gender | Did not say | 36.99 | | |
| | Female | 29.09 | | |
| | Male | 37.19 | | |
| | Other | 23.3 | | |
| Age | 16 | 32.94 | | |
| | 17 | 31.15 | | |
| | 18 | 28.18 | | |
| Nation | England | 31-29 | | |
| | Northern Ireland | 31.24 | | |
| | Scotland | 29.88 | | |
| | Wales | 30.91 | | |

Gender differences

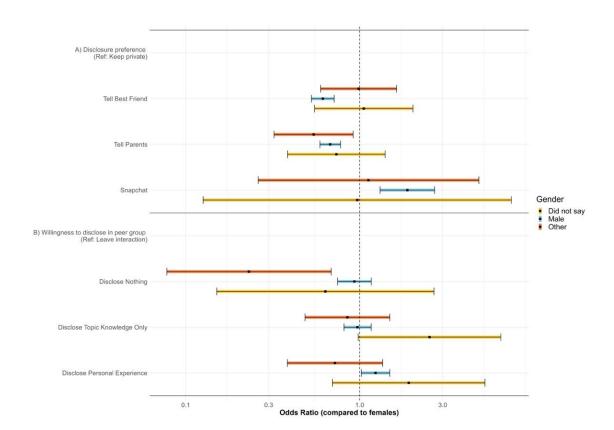


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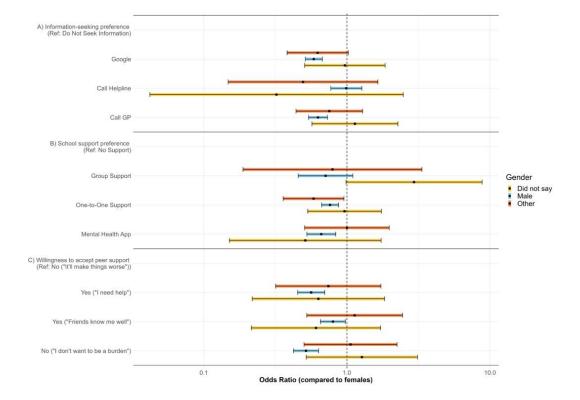


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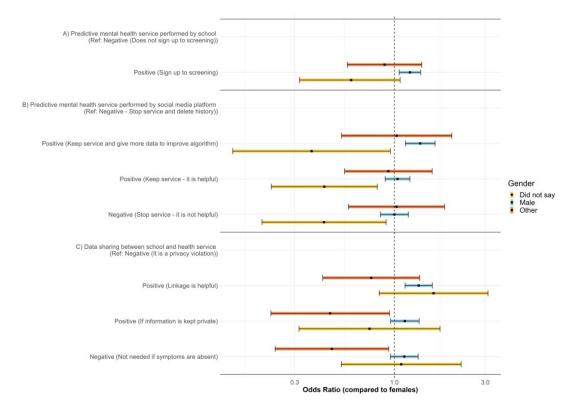


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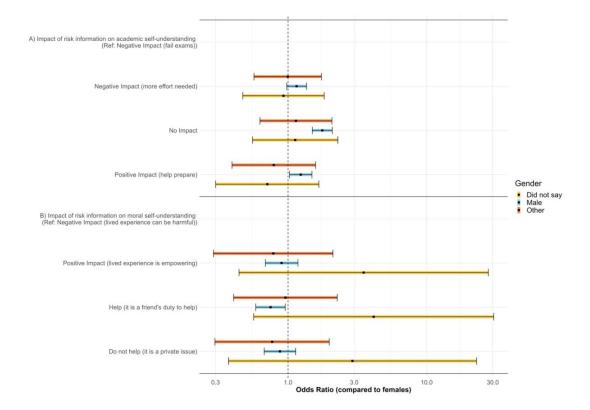


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Table S3. Summary of question answers grouped by question theme and stratified by gender - Q2,9,10 (Information and support), Q3,5 (Trust to Disclose), Q4,6,11 (Normative disposition), Q7,8 (Self-understanding)

| Question reference | Female | Male | Other | Did Not Say | All | р | |
|--|--------------|-------------|------------|-------------|--------------|--------|------|
| category | (n = 4984) | (n = 1858) | (n = 101) | (n = 69) | 7 111 | value | N |
| Information and Support | | | | | | | |
| Information-seeking preference (Q2) | | | | | | | |
| Google | 2466 (49.5%) | 773 (41.6%) | 43 (42.6%) | 33 (47.8%) | 3315 (47.3%) | <0.001 | 7012 |
| Call Helpline | 218 (4.37%) | 118 (6.35%) | 3 (2.97%) | 1 (1.45%) | 340 (4.85%) | | |
| Call GP | 1372 (27.5%) | 467 (25.1%) | 29 (28.7%) | 22 (31.9%) | 1890 (27.0%) | | |
| Do Not Seek Information | 928 (18-6%) | 500 (26.9%) | 26 (25.7%) | 13 (18.8%) | 1467 (20.9%) | | |
| School support preference (Q9) | | | | | | | |
| Group support | 94 (2.46%) | 27 (2.13%) | 2 (2.50%) | 4 (7.69%) | 127 (2.43%) | <0.001 | 5219 |
| One-to-One Support | 1873 (49.0%) | 561 (44.2%) | 29 (36·2%) | 25 (48·1%) | 2488 (47.7%) | | |
| Mental Health App | 411 (10.8%) | 109 (8.60%) | 11 (13.8%) | 3 (5.77%) | 534 (10·2%) | | |
| No Support | 1441 (37.7%) | 571 (45.0%) | 38 (47.5%) | 20 (38.5%) | 2070 (39.7%) | | |
| Willingness to accept peer support (Q10) | | | | | | | |
| Yes ("I need help") Yes ("Friends know me | 891 (23.6%) | 251 (20.0%) | 14 (17.5%) | 8 (16.3%) | 1164 (22.6%) | <0.001 | 5161 |
| well") No ("I don't want to be a | 1046 (27.7%) | 418 (33.4%) | 25 (31·2%) | 9 (18-4%) | 1498 (29.0%) | | |
| burden") No ("It will make things | 1421 (37-6%) | 372 (29.7%) | 32 (40.0%) | 26 (53·1%) | 1851 (35.9%) | | |
| worse") | 421 (11.1%) | 212 (16.9%) | 9 (11-2%) | 6 (12·2%) | 648 (12.6%) | | |
| Trust to disclose | | | | | | | |
| Disclosure preference (Q3) | | | | | | | |
| Tell Best Friend | 1518 (31.6%) | 460 (26.1%) | 39 (39.4%) | 24 (36.9%) | 2041 (30.3%) | <0.001 | 6735 |
| Tell Parents | 2234 (46.5%) | 750 (42.6%) | 32 (32·3%) | 25 (38.5%) | 3041 (45·2%) | | |
| Snapchat | 68 (1.41%) | 63 (3.58%) | 2 (2.02%) | 1 (1.54%) | 134 (1.99%) | | |
| Keep private | 989 (20.6%) | 489 (27.8%) | 26 (26.3%) | 15 (23.1%) | 1519 (22.6%) | | |
| Willingness to disclose in peer group (Q5) | | | | | | | |
| Disclose Nothing Disclose Topic | 637 (15·2%) | 195 (13.5%) | 4 (4.65%) | 3 (5·17%) | 839 (14.5%) | <0.001 | 5793 |
| Knowledge Only Disclose Personal | 1793 (42.7%) | 575 (39.8%) | 42 (48.8%) | 34 (58·6%) | 2444 (42·2%) | | |
| Experience | 1118 (26-6%) | 456 (31.5%) | 22 (25.6%) | 16 (27.6%) | 1612 (27.8%) | | |
| Leave Interaction | 655 (15.6%) | 220 (15·2%) | 18 (20.9%) | 5 (8.62%) | 898 (15.5%) | | |

| Normative disposition | | | | | | | |
|---|--------------|-------------|------------|------------|--------------|--------|------|
| Predictive mental health service performed by social media platform (Q4) Positive (Keep service | | | | | | | |
| and give more data to improve algorithm) Positive (Keep service – | 608 (14.0%) | 269 (17.9%) | 13 (14-6%) | 5 (8.62%) | 895 (14.9%) | 0.002 | 6004 |
| it is helpful) Negative (Stop service – | 1448 (33-2%) | 488 (32.6%) | 28 (31·5%) | 14 (24·1%) | 1978 (32.9%) | | |
| it is not helpful) Negative (Stop service | 932 (21·4%) | 303 (20·2%) | 20 (22.5%) | 9 (15.5%) | 1264 (21·1%) | | |
| and delete history) | 1370 (31.4%) | 439 (29.3%) | 28 (31.5%) | 30 (51.7%) | 1867 (31·1%) | | |
| Data sharing between school and health service (Q6) Positive (Linkage is | | | | | | | |
| helpful) Positive (if information | 739 (18·1%) | 302 (21.7%) | 15 (18·1%) | 15 (26.8%) | 1071 (19-1%) | 0.003 | 5621 |
| is kept private) Negative (Not needed if | 728 (17.8%) | 256 (18·4%) | 9 (10.8%) | 7 (12.5%) | 1000 (17.8%) | | |
| symptoms are absent) Negative (It is a privacy | 798 (19.5%) | 277 (19.9%) | 10 (12.0%) | 11 (19.6%) | 1096 (19.5%) | | |
| violation) | 1828 (44.7%) | 554 (39.9%) | 49 (59.0%) | 23 (41·1%) | 2454 (43.7%) | | |
| Predictive mental health service performed by school (Q11) Positive (Sign up to | | | | | | | |
| screening) Negative (Does not sign | 1842 (49.8%) | 666 (54.5%) | 37 (46.8%) | 17 (37.0%) | 2562 (50.8%) | 0.007 | 5045 |
| up to screening) | 1855 (50-2%) | 557 (45.5%) | 42 (53·2%) | 29 (63.0%) | 2483 (49·2%) | | |
| Impact of risk information on self- understanding | | | | | | | |
| Academic (Q7) Negative impact (fail exams) | 1527 (38·4%) | 419 (31.4%) | 31 (38·8%) | 22 (40.0%) | 1999 (36.7%) | <0.001 | 5441 |
| Negative Impact (more effort needed) | 1034 (26.0%) | 329 (24.7%) | 21 (26·2%) | 14 (25.5%) | 1398 (25.7%) | | |
| No Impact | 732 (18·4%) | 356 (26.7%) | 17 (21·2%) | 12 (21.8%) | 1117 (20.5%) | | |
| Positive Impact (help prepare) | 680 (17·1%) | 229 (17·2%) | 11 (13·8%) | 7 (12·7%) | 927 (17.0%) | | |
| Moral (Q8) Positive Impact (lived experience is empowering) | 660 (17.0%) | 242 (18·8%) | 12 (15.0%) | 9 (17·0%) | 923 (17·4%) | 0.106 | 5296 |
| Help (it is a friend's duty | | | | | | 0 100 | 3270 |
| to help) Negative Impact (lived experience can be | 2065 (53·3%) | 627 (48.6%) | 46 (57.5%) | 33 (62·3%) | 2771 (52·3%) | | |
| harmful) | 256 (6.61%) | 105 (8·14%) | 6 (7.50%) | 1 (1.89%) | 368 (6.95%) | | |
| Do not help (privacy) | 892 (23.0%) | 316 (24.5%) | 16 (20.0%) | 10 (18.9%) | 1234 (23.3%) | | |

Supplemental material

Table S4. Multinomial regression of gender effects to the questions from the Tracing Tomorrow game in adolescents aged 16-18, with the reference group as female – Q3,5 (Trust to disclose), Q7,8 (Self-understanding), Q2,9,10 (Information and Support), Q4,6,11 (Normative disposition)

| Question reference | Catagory | Male | | Other | | | Did Not Say | | | |
|---|--|-------|-------------|---------|-------|-------------|-------------|-------|--------------|---------|
| category | Category | OR | 95%CI | p-value | OR | 95%CI | p-value | OR | 95%CI | p-value |
| Trust to disclose | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Best Friend | 0.614 | 0.528-0.714 | < 0.001 | 0.986 | 0.596-1.631 | 0.957 | 1.056 | 0.551-2.024 | 0.869 |
| Disclosure preference (Q3) | Parents | 0.677 | 0.591-0.776 | < 0.001 | 0.544 | 0.322-0.917 | 0.022 | 0.735 | 0.385-1.4 | 0.349 |
| (Ref: Keep private) | Snapchat | 1.879 | 1.309-2.695 | 0.001 | 1.123 | 0.261-4.838 | 0.876 | 0.969 | 0.126-7.454 | 0.976 |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Willingness to disclose in peer | Disclose Nothing | 0.933 | 0.747-1.165 | 0.539 | 0.231 | 0.078-0.686 | 0.008 | 0.635 | 0.151-2.672 | 0.536 |
| group (Q5) | Disclose Topic Knowledge Only | 0.971 | 0.812-1.163 | 0.752 | 0.85 | 0.485-1.489 | 0.571 | 2.519 | 0.98-6.475 | 0.055 |
| (Ref: Leave interaction) | Full Disclosure | 1.233 | 1.022-1.489 | 0.029 | 0.721 | 0.384-1.355 | 0.309 | 1.914 | 0.697-5.251 | 0.208 |
| Impact of risk information on self-understanding | | | | | | | | | | |
| Academic (Q7) | Negative Impact (more effort needed) | 1.154 | 0.979-1.361 | 0.088 | 0.995 | 0.568-1.741 | 0.985 | 0.927 | 0.472-1.822 | 0.827 |
| (Ref: Negative impact (fail exams)) | No Impact | 1.767 | 1.496-2.088 | < 0.001 | 1.14 | 0.627-2.075 | 0.667 | 1.126 | 0.554-2.288 | 0.743 |
| Channey) | Positive Impact (help prepare) | 1.235 | 1.026-1.487 | 0.025 | 0.789 | 0.394-1.58 | 0.504 | 0.709 | 0.301-1.669 | 0.431 |
| Moral (Q8) | Positive Impact (lived experience is empowering) | 0.899 | 0.686-1.18 | 0.443 | 0.783 | 0.29-2.108 | 0.628 | 3.512 | 0.443-27.858 | 0.235 |
| (Ref: Do not help (Negative experience can be harmful)) | Help (it is a friend's duty to help) | 0.748 | 0.585-0.955 | 0.02 | 0.958 | 0.405-2.265 | 0.921 | 4.149 | 0.565-30.467 | 0.162 |
| emperionee can be marinary) | Do not help (privacy) | 0.874 | 0.673-1.135 | 0.312 | 0.768 | 0.297-1.983 | 0.585 | 2.916 | 0.372-22.888 | 0.309 |

| Information and support | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|---|-------|-------------|---------|-------|-------------|-------|-------|---------------|-------|
| Information-seeking | Google | 0.587 | 0.513-0.673 | < 0.001 | 0.625 | 0.382-1.024 | 0.062 | 0.969 | 0.507-1.85 | 0.923 |
| preference (Q2) (Ref: Do Not Seek | Call Helpline | 0.991 | 0.772-1.273 | 0.945 | 0.494 | 0.148-1.648 | 0.251 | 0.322 | 0.042 - 2.476 | 0.276 |
| Information) | Call GP | 0.628 | 0.54-0.731 | < 0.001 | 0.753 | 0.441-1.287 | 0.3 | 1.138 | 0.57 - 2.272 | 0.713 |
| , | | | | | | | | | | |
| School support preference | Group Support | 0.71 | 0.457-1.101 | 0.126 | 0.794 | 0.188-3.345 | 0.753 | 2.947 | 0.986-8.813 | 0.053 |
| (Q9) | One-to-one Support | 0.763 | 0.666-0.874 | < 0.001 | 0.585 | 0.359-0.953 | 0.031 | 0.963 | 0.533-1.742 | 0.902 |
| (Ref: No support) | Mental Health App | 0.662 | 0.525-0.836 | 0.001 | 1.001 | 0.507-1.976 | 0.998 | 0.512 | 0.151-1.734 | 0.282 |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| Willingness to accept peer | Yes ("I need help") | 0.563 | 0.453-0.7 | < 0.001 | 0.742 | 0.318-1.729 | 0.489 | 0.632 | 0.218-1.836 | 0.399 |
| support (Q10) (Ref: No ("It will make things | Yes ("Friends know me well") | 0.799 | 0.654-0.977 | 0.029 | 1.133 | 0.524-2.45 | 0.751 | 0.608 | 0.215-1.721 | 0.349 |
| worse")) | No ("I don't want to be a burden") | 0.518 | 0.424-0.634 | < 0.001 | 1.061 | 0.502-2.242 | 0.877 | 1.274 | 0.52-3.119 | 0.596 |
| Normative disposition | | | | | | | | | | |
| Predictive service by social | Positive (Keep service and give more data to improve algorithm) | 1.367 | 1.142-1.636 | 0.001 | 1.029 | 0.529-2.001 | 0.933 | 0.368 | 0.142-0.953 | 0.04 |
| media platform (Q4) (Ref: Negative (Stop service and delete history)) | Positive (Keep service – it is helpful) | 1.039 | 0-895-1-206 | 0.617 | 0.93 | 0.548-1.579 | 0.788 | 0.429 | 0.226-0.814 | 0.01 |
| and delete instory)) | Negative (Stop service – it is not helpful) | 1 | 0.845-1.184 | 1 | 1.026 | 0.574-1.834 | 0.93 | 0.427 | 0.202-0.905 | 0.026 |
| Data sharing between school | Positive (Linkage is helpful) | 1.342 | 1.138-1.582 | < 0.001 | 0.756 | 0.421-1.357 | 0.349 | 1.606 | 0.833-3.098 | 0.157 |
| and health service (Q6) (Ref: Negative (It is a privacy | Positive (if information is kept private) | 1.135 | 0.956-1.348 | 0.148 | 0.46 | 0.225-0.943 | 0.034 | 0.741 | 0.316-1.736 | 0.49 |
| violation)) | Negative (Not needed if symptoms are absent) | 1.128 | 0.955-1.333 | 0.157 | 0.47 | 0.237-0.934 | 0.031 | 1.086 | 0.527-2.241 | 0.823 |
| Predictive mental health service performed by school (Q11) (Ref: Negative (Does not sign up to screening)) | Positive (Sign up to screening) | 1.207 | 1.06-1.375 | 0.004 | 0.889 | 0.567-1.39 | 0.607 | 0.593 | 0.318-1.072 | 0.089 |

p values < 0.05 are in bold