

Supplemental Table S0. Example: Mixed-effects model predicting past-30-day alcohol use from “I’ve seen it mess up others” motivation (waves 3–5)

Fixed Effects	Estimate	SE	95% CI	t	p
Intercept	–9.84	2.18	–14.12, –5.56	–4.51	<.001
Mess up others	–0.38	1.13	–2.61, 1.84	–0.34	0.734
Wave (continuous)	–0.35	0.22	–0.78, 0.08	–1.59	0.113
Mess up others x wave	0.08	0.28	–0.47, 0.62	0.27	0.786
Covariates					
Age	0.60	0.14	0.33, 0.87	4.36	<.001
Gender (male)	0.52	0.30	–0.08, 1.12	1.72	0.087
Race: AI only	–0.17	0.37	–0.90, 0.57	–0.45	0.652
Race: AI and other	0.23	0.33	–0.43, 0.88	0.68	0.499
Race: Other	–0.07	0.60	–1.25, 1.11	–0.12	0.905
Free/reduced lunch	–0.32	0.30	–0.91, 0.27	–1.08	0.281
Baseline alcohol use	0.04	0.06	–0.07, 0.16	0.74	0.461
Positive people	–0.27	0.34	–0.93, 0.40	–0.79	0.430
Future focused	–0.01	0.32	–0.63, 0.61	–0.03	0.972
Healthy	0.67	0.31	0.06, 1.28	2.15	0.032
Trouble	0.30	0.31	–0.30, 0.90	0.97	0.334
Gets in the way	0.29	0.35	–0.39, 0.97	0.84	0.403
Feel bad	–0.18	0.46	–1.08, 0.73	–0.39	0.700
Random Effects/ Variance Components					
	Estimate	SE			
Student-level intercept variance	–	–			
School-level intercept variance (σ^2)	0.44	0.34			
Residual variance (CS structure)	1.19	0.35			
Overdispersion (quasi-Poisson ϕ)	8.74	0.46			

Note: Wave was coded 0, 1, and 2 corresponding to waves 3–5. A student-level random intercept was not included; within-student variability was modeled using a compound-symmetry residual structure. Fixed effects reflect pooled multiple-imputation estimates. Variance components (school-level intercept variance, residual variance, and overdispersion parameter) are drawn from one imputed dataset because SAS PROC MIANALYZE does not pool random-effects variances; these values were similar across imputations.