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**Supplementary eTable 1: Psychiatric medication classification<sup>a</sup>**

<b>Typical Antipsychotics<sup>b</sup></b>	<b>Atypical Antipsychotics</b>
CHLORPROMAZINE	ARIPIPRAZOLE
CHLORPROTHIXENE	CLOZAPINE
FLUPHENAZINE	LURASIDONE
HALOPERIDOL	OLANZAPINE
LOXAPINE	PALIPERIDONE
MESORIDAZINE BESYLATE	QUETIAPINE
MOLINDONE	RISPERIDONE
PERPHENAZINE	ZIPRASIDONE
PIMOZIDE	
THIORIDAZINE	
THIOTHIXENE	
TRIFLUOPERAZINE	
<b>Other Psychiatric Medications</b>	
ALPRAZOLAM	ISOCARBOXAZID
AMITRIPTYLINE	LAMOTRIGINE
AMOXAPINE	LITHIUM
BUPROPION	LORAZEPAM
CARBAMAZEPINE	MAPROTILINE
CHLORAL HYDRATE	MEPROBAMATE
CHLORDIAZEPOXIDE	MIRTAZAPINE
CITALOPRAM	NEFAZODONE
CLOMIPRAMINE	NORTRIPTYLINE
CLONAZEPAM	OXAZEPAM
CLORAZEPATE	PAROXETINE
DESIPRAMINE	PHENELZINE SULFATE
DESVENLAFAXINE	PRAZOSIN
DIAZEPAM	PROTRIPTYLINE
DIVALPROEX	SELEGILINE
DOXEPIN	SERTRALINE
DULOXETINE	TEMAZEPAM
ESCITALOPRAM	TRANLYCYPROMINE
ESTAZOLAM	TRAZODONE
ESZOPICLONE	TRIAZOLAM
FLUOXETINE	VALPROATE SODIUM
FLURAZEPAM	VENLAFAXINE
FLUVOXAMINE	ZALEPLON
IMIPRAMINE	ZOLPIDEM

<sup>a</sup> Medications were restricted to those available for prescription through the Veterans Administration

<sup>b</sup> The typical antipsychotics prochlorperazine and promethazine were excluded because they are commonly prescribed for non-psychiatric indications, such as nausea and emesis.

**Supplementary eTable 2. Adjusted Relative Risk of Antipsychotic Medication Prescription by Sociodemographic and Military Service Characteristics Among 168,829 Iraq and Afghanistan Veterans With a Diagnosis of Posttraumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD)**

Characteristics	Veterans Prescribed Antipsychotic Medication Versus Those Prescribed Nonantipsychotic Psychiatric Medications	
	Adjusted RR (95% CI) <sup>a</sup>	p-value
<b>Age increase by 10-year intervals</b>	0.93 (0.91, 0.95)	< .0001
<b>Gender</b>		
Female	1 (Reference)	
Male	1.50 (1.42, 1.59)	< .0001
<b>Race</b>		
White	1 (Reference)	
Black	0.94 (0.90, 0.99)	0.01
Hispanic	0.96 (0.92, 1.01)	0.14
Other	0.95 (0.91, 0.98)	0.003
<b>Marital status</b>		
Never Married	1 (Reference)	
Married	1.07 (1.03, 1.10)	0.0002
Divorced/ Widowed/Other	1.12 (1.05, 1.20)	0.0015
<b>Component</b>		
National Guard/Reserve	1 (Reference)	
Active Duty	1.23 (1.19, 1.27)	< .0001
<b>Rank</b>		
Officer	1 (Reference)	
Enlisted	1.52 (1.38, 1.68)	< .0001
<b>Branch</b>		
Army	1 (Reference)	
Marines	0.86 (0.83, 0.90)	< .0001
Navy	0.90 (0.84, 0.97)	0.0032
Air Force	0.83 (0.77, 0.90)	< .0001
<b>Multiple deployment(s)</b>		
No	1 (Reference)	
Yes	0.93 (0.90, 0.96)	< .0001
<b>Geographical Location</b>		
Urban	1 (Reference)	
Rural	1.05 (1.02, 1.08)	0.0011
<b>Number of follow-up months in 6-month intervals since initial PTSD diagnosis date</b>	1.16 (1.16, 1.17)	< .0001

<sup>a</sup> Each variable is adjusted for all other variables.

**Supplementary eTable 3. Prevalence of comorbid diagnoses and adjusted relative risk of antipsychotic prescription among Iraq and Afghanistan veterans with a diagnosis of PTSD**

	Total (N=168,829)	Veterans receiving antipsychotics w/ and w/o other psychiatric medications n (%)	Veterans receiving antipsychotic medication prescriptions vs. other psychiatric medications	
			Adjusted RR (95% CI) <sup>a</sup>	p-value
<b>Psychiatric Diagnoses</b>				
PTSD only	40,425	2,918 (7.2)	1.00 (Ref.)	
Comorbid Depression	87,574	10,515 (12.0)	1.46 (1.41, 1.52)	< .0001
Comorbid Anxiety Disorder	47,461	5,974 (12.6)	1.64 (1.57, 1.71)	< .0001
Comorbid Panic Disorder	6,784	1,281 (18.9)	2.13 (2.01, 2.27)	< .0001
Comorbid Adjustment Reaction/Disorder	40,060	4,266 (10.7)	1.44 (1.38, 1.51)	< .0001
Comorbid ADHD	5,198	664 (12.8)	1.73 (1.59, 1.88)	< .0001
Comorbid AUD	35,123	5,588 (15.9)	1.97 (1.88, 2.05)	< .0001
Comorbid DUD	13,998	3,182 (22.7)	2.65 (2.52, 2.78)	< .0001
Comorbid Personality Disorder	3,060	880 (28.8)	3.25 (3.05, 3.47)	< .0001
<b>Number of Psychiatric Diagnoses</b>	<b>n (%)</b>	<b>n (%)</b>		
1	40,425	2,918 (7.2)	1.00 (Ref.)	
2	57,968	5,161 (8.9)	1.12 (1.07, 1.17)	< .0001
≥ 3	70,436	9,573 (13.6)	1.72 (1.65, 1.79)	< .0001
<b>Other Diagnoses<sup>b</sup></b>				
Comorbid Suicidal ideation	3,823	1,122 (29.4)	3.47 (3.26, 3.68)	< .0001
Comorbid Sleep disorder	16,539	2,111 (12.8)	1.69 (1.60, 1.79)	< .0001
Comorbid Pain	132,263	14,558 (11.0)	1.68 (1.56, 1.82)	< .0001

<sup>a</sup> Adjusted for sociodemographic, military service characteristics, and number of follow-up months since initial PTSD diagnosis date.

<sup>b</sup> Reference group for adjusted relative risk is also PTSD only.

### Supplementary eFigure 1. Flow diagram of cohort derivation

