

Table 4. Descriptive statistics of stigma dimension score.

|                         | Mind Matters 2015 |      |             | Mind Matters 2023 |      |             | t-test | P value      |
|-------------------------|-------------------|------|-------------|-------------------|------|-------------|--------|--------------|
|                         | Mean              | SD   | CI          | Mean              | SD   | CI          |        |              |
| Weak-not-sick           | 10.14             | 2.09 | 9.94–10.35  | 9.25              | 2.20 | 9.02–9.49   | 5.24   | <b>0.001</b> |
| Dangerous-unpredictable | 12.69             | 2.47 | 12.44–12.93 | 12.18             | 2.33 | 11.91–12.45 | 2.71   | <b>0.007</b> |
| Social distance         | 13.24             | 3.26 | 12.86–13.59 | 13.07             | 2.86 | 12.75–13.39 | 0.70   | 0.481        |

CI: confidence interval; SD: standard deviation  
Values in bold represent statistically significant results ( $P<0.05$ )