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Supplemental Table 1. Literature consulted for the development of the three self-care scales and the self-care self-efficacy scale

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Supplemental Figure 1. Graphical representation of the confirmatory factor analysis for the three self-care scales and the self-care self-efficacy scale in the full sample.

