

Supplemental Table SM4. The coverage of the elements in the covariance matrix in the LGC model and follow-up assessments (% of the total sample of 427).

Age (mo.)	Early communication	Age in months					Age (years; months)				
		6	9	12	15	18	2	3	4;7	5;3	7;9
6	ITC	53.6									
9	ITC	47.3	47.5								
12	ITC	33.3	31.6	75.4							
15	ITC	35.4	33.3	64.9	71.4						
18	ITC	34.9	32.8	54.8	57.6	65.3					
(yr.;mo.)	Follow-up measures										
2	MBCDI Vocabulary	8.7	8.2	23.2	23.7	23.0	24.4				
2	Inflections	8.4	8.2	23.0	23.4	22.7	24.1				
2	MSL	8.2	8.0	22.2	22.7	22.0	23.4				
3	Boston Naming	10.8	10.8	25.5	25.3	24.6		26.2			
3	PPVT-R	10.5	10.5	25.3	25.1	24.4		26.0			
4;7	FTF	27.7	25.3	43.8	44.3	40.6			63.0		
5;3	SI	11.0	10.8	20.8	21.8	19.7				23.0	
5;3	PPVT-R	11.0	10.8	21.3	22.2	20.1				23.4	
5;3	SC	11.5	11.2	21.8	22.7	20.6				23.9	
5;3	VF	11.0	10.8	20.6	21.5	19.4				22.7	
5;3	DSf	11.5	11.2	21.5	22.5	20.4				23.7	
	DSb	11.0	10.8	20.8	21.8	19.7				23.2	
5;3	NWR	11.0	10.8	20.8	21.8	19.7				23.0	
5;3	SR	11.2	11.0	21.3	22.2	20.1				23.4	
7;9	CCC-II	27.8	25.6	40.9	41.6	36.9					58.8

Note. ITC = Infant-Toddler Checklist (part of the Communication and Symbolic Behavior Scales–Developmental Profile, Wetherby & Prizant, 2002); MBCDI = MacArthur–Bates Communicative Development Inventories (Fenson et al., 1994; Lyytinen, 1999); MSL = Maximum Sentence Length; PPVT-R = Peabody Picture Vocabulary Test–Revised (Dunn & Dunn, 1981); FTF = Five to Fifteen questionnaire (Kadesjö et al., 2004); SI = Similarities; SC = Sentence Comprehension; VF = Verbal Fluency; DSf = Digit Span Forward; DSb = Digit Span Backward; NWR = Nonword Repetition; SR = Sentence Repetition; CCC-II = Children’s Communication Checklist–Second Edition (Bishop, 2003; Norbury, Nash, Baird, & Bishop, 2004).

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