

Table 7. Weighted mean (SD) T-scores for the RAND-36 scales by educational level and occupational group.

	Physical functioning (PF)	Role functioning/ physical (RP)	Pain (P)	General health (GH)	Energy/fatigue (EF)	Social functioning (SF)	Role functioning/ emotional (RE)	Emotional well-being (EW)
<i>Education^a</i>								
Mandatory	43.7 (14.7)	45.7 (13.9)	46.7 (13.3)	46.0 (12.4)	49.6 (13.1)	48.2 (13.6)	48.4 (13.0)	49.9 (13.6)
High school	50.4 (9.2)	50.3 (9.3)	49.6 (9.6)	50.3 (9.4)	50.0 (9.6)	50.2 (9.5)	50.5 (9.3)	50.0 (9.6)
University	52.6 (7.3)	51.5 (8.6)	52.1 (8.4)	51.5 (9.1)	50.3 (9.1)	50.6 (9.0)	50.1 (9.5)	50.1 (8.8)
<i>Occupation^b</i>								
Employed	53.1 (6.7)	52.1 (8.3)	51.4 (8.9)	51.8 (9.0)	50.3 (9.3)	51.3 (8.7)	51.3 (9.0)	51.0 (8.8)
Unemployed	48.2 (11.1)	49.3 (9.6)	49.4 (10.9)	47.8 (9.3)	47.6 (10.6)	47.3 (11.2)	46.3 (11.2)	44.9 (10.9)
Sickness	38.6 (12.7)	36.4 (10.6)	37.3 (12.0)	36.1 (11.3)	37.9 (10.2)	35.5 (12.5)	39.1 (11.5)	36.6 (11.7)

^aLevel of education: Mandatory (9 years or less); High school (10-12 years); University (>12 years).

^bOccupation categories: Employees and self-employed; Unemployed (job seeker and participants in labor market programs); On sick leave (activity or sickness compensation, long term sickness).