

## Supplementary Materials

**Table S1.** The distribution of responses to items asking about conspiracy beliefs related to COVID-19.

Items related to conspiracy beliefs	I decidedly do not agree % (n)	I do not agree % (n)	difficult to say % (n)	I agree % (n)	I decidedly agree % (n)
Coronavirus responsible for the COVID-19 pandemic is a result of genetic manipulations carried out by man.	8.48 (85)	9.68 (97)	36.03 (361)	27.15 (272)	18.66 (187)
The coronavirus news is made up to spread panic and to achieve a political aim.	10.18 (102)	15.47 (155)	32.63 (327)	23.05 (231)	18.66 (187)
Governments treat a COVID-19 pandemic as a pretext for the introduction of total surveillance of the population.	5.19 (52)	8.58 (86)	30.14 (302)	32.73 (328)	23.35 (234)

**Table S2.** Spearman correlations for independent variables used in regression models.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1. Health literacy	1							
2. eHealth literacy	0.403**	1						
3. Age	0.169**	0.086**	1					
4. Gender	-0.01	-0.006	0.011	1				
5. Place of residence	-0.017	-0.004	0.051	-0.025	1			
6. Education level	-0.047	0.023	0.126**	-0.039	0.011	1		
7. Marital status	0.079*	0.049	0.592**	-0.124**	-0.01	0.081**	1	
8. Vocational status	-0.004	-0.064*	-0.083**	-0.076*	-0.073*	-0.173**	-0.114**	1
9. Net income	-0.045	-0.023	-0.028	0.090**	0.101**	0.113**	-0.036	-0.067*

\*  $p < 0.05$ , \*\*  $p < 0.01$ .