

Table 2 Pearson correlations for scores of decayed, missing and filled teeth (DMFT), Corah Dental Anxiety Scale (DAS) and the Turkish version of the Spielberger Trait Anxiety Inventory (STAI-T)

Variable	DMFT score	DAS score	STAI-T score
	<i>r</i>	<i>r</i>	<i>r</i>
<i>Age</i>			
Female	0.52**	0.15*	0.12*
Male	0.47**	-0.06	0.11
Total	0.49**	0.07	0.12*
<i>DMFT score</i>			
Female	-	0.11	0.09
Male	-	-0.10	0.04
Total	-	0.02	0.06
<i>DAS score</i>			
Female	-	-	0.34**
Male	-	-	0.30**
Total	-	-	0.33**

* $P < 0.05$; ** $P < 0.01$.