

**S14 Table. Confirmatory factor analysis for respondents' concern pertaining to ecological impacts of pathogen transmission through the herpetological trade ('sensitivity to ecological risks').**

	Ecological impacts survey version		All impacts survey version	
	Coeff. <sup>†</sup>	Cronbach's alpha <sup>‡</sup>	Coeff.	Cronbach's alpha
<b>Loadings:</b>				
x1: Chytrid transmitted to other captive amphibians	0.87***	0.941	0.87***	0.947
x2: Chytrid transmitted to native amphibians	0.90***	0.941	0.89***	0.947
x3: Ranavirus transmitted to other captive amphibians and reptiles	0.87***	0.942	0.90***	0.947
x4: Ranavirus transmitted to native amphibians and reptiles	0.95***	0.939	0.96***	0.943
x5: Ranavirus transmitted to native fish	0.89***	0.946	0.91***	0.947
x6: Loss of biodiversity	0.79***	0.956	0.80***	0.958
<b>Variances:</b>				
error.x1	0.24		0.25	
error.x2	0.20		0.20	
error.x3	0.24		0.20	
error.x4	0.11		0.08	
error.x5	0.21		0.17	
error.x6	0.37		0.36	
Sensitivity to ecological risks	1.00		1.00	
<b>Covariance:</b>				
error.x1 with error.x2	0.41***		0.36***	
error.x1 with error.x3	0.40***		0.48***	
error.x3 with error.x4	0.42***			
error.x4 with error.x6	-0.25***			
N	507		488	
RMSEA	0.039		0.034	
CFI	0.988		0.985	
$\chi^2$	8.758		10.903	
Cronbach's alpha for scale		0.953		0.956

<sup>†</sup> Standardized values. \*\*\* denotes significance at p<0.01. \*\* denotes significance at p<0.05. \* denotes significance at p<0.1.

<sup>‡</sup> Cronbach's alpha if items are removed from the scale.