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**Psychological Disorders Final Project**

# PURPOSE

*To use your existing knowledge, as well as research new information pertaining to a psychological disorder in order to create a realistically useful informational Google Slides Presentation. The final product will offer significant information to your peers about the aspects of a specific illness.*  ***(205 points total)***

# DIRECTIONS

* Students will work individually.
* Students will choose a psychological disorder; this is the disorder that you will be researching for your final project. Some of the designated disorders are as follows:

*Addiction Depression Body Dysmorphic Disorder*

*ADHD / ADD Rumination Separation Anxiety Disorder*

*Tourette’s Antisocial Disorder Histrionic Disorder*

*O-C-D Dependent Disorder Dissociative Identity Disorder*

*Dysthymia Dementia Avoidant Disorder*

*Agoraphobia Bipolar Disorder Hoarding Disorder*

*Schizophrenia Narcissistic Disorder Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder*

*Panic Disorder Anorexia Somatic Symptoms Disorder*

*Hypochondria Insomnia Impulse Control Disorder*

*Amnesia Diogenes Syndrome Social Anxiety Disorder*

*Narcolepsy Pyromania Seasonal Affective Disorder*

*Alzheimer’s Acute Stress Disorder Gender Dysphoria*

*Kleptomania Parkinson’s Oppositional Defiant Disorder*

*Bulimia Todd’s Syndrome*

* Students will research the disorder and then answer the Psychological Disorder Research Questions that are attached to this paper.
* Students will then make a Google Slides Project about the disorder they researched.
* Students must submit the project to Google Classroom for a grade and will present their information to their peers lasting at least 4-6 minutes.

\*Note: As classmates are presenting their projects, their peers will be completing the “***Psychological Disorders Presentations Peer Notes***” handout for their participation points.

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## **Psychological Disorder Research Questions**

*-Directions: Use your notes, textbook, or online resources to answer the questions in complete sentences. Be sure to include the name of your source where you found that information for each question.* ***(5 pts each)***

1. What **psychological disorder** are you researching and what are you expecting to learn about it?

1. What is the **definition** of your disorder? What might be physical/noticeable characteristic of this disorder?

Source:

1. What are some potential **risk factors** that may lead to this disorder or what ‘causes’ the disorder? Are there certain types of people who can become prone to this illness and if so, why?

Source:

1. What are the common **warning signs or symptoms** that may lead you to believe someone may be suffering from this disorder?

Source:

1. What are **prevention** suggestions and strategies pertaining to this disorder? (*Hint*: Look at risk factors/causes, can you prevent the severity of the disorder, can you prolong the age of onset, etc.)

Source:

1. How is this disorder specifically **treated** (medications, therapy, etc.)? Is it curable? If so how?

Source:

1. What is the **science or the research** behind this disorder? (describe studies, testing, and more) What does the research say about the physiology or the psychology of this disorder – what’s going on inside and outside of the body to cause this disorder?

Source:

1. How can you **help someone** who may be suffering from this disorder? How would you **help yourself** if you were suffering from this disorder?

Source:

1. Describe at least **5** **statistics** pertaining to your disorder. (National, state, city, school, how many people this illness affects, teenage stats vs. adult stats, men vs. women, differences between races, etc.)

Source:

1. What are at least 3 common **myths** about your disorder and what is the respective **facts** pertaining to your disorder?

Source:

1. Describe at least 3 other **important or interesting facts** thatyou found in your research? Such as facts about the history of the illness, the origination of the medication that’s used to treat it, famous people who suffer from the illness, etc.

Source:

**Psychological Disorder Research Google Slides Outline & Rubric**

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| Slide 1: Intro  Name, Period, &  Name of Disorder  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 5 | Slide 2: Definition  Define & describe the disorder  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 | Slide 3: Statistics  Describe at least 5 statistics pertaining to your disorder  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 | Slide 4: Myths  Describe at least 3 myths associated with your disorder and provide the facts to set it right  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 |
| Slide 5: Causes  Describe the risk factors/ causes of the disorder  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 | Slide 6: Symptoms  Describe the warning signs or the symptoms of the disorder  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 | Slide 7: Prevention  Describe how to prevent / avoid this disorder  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 | Slide 8: Treatment  Describe how to treat the disorder  Can it be cured?    \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 |
| Slide 9: Research Proof  Describe the research / science that validates this disorder  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 | Slide 10: Help  Describe how to help someone & yourself if diagnosed with this disorder  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 | Slide 11: References  Site at least 5 references cited in MLA7 format  use:[www.noodletools.com](http://www.noodletools.com)  or [www.easybib.com](http://www.easybib.com)  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 5 | Overall Pictures in Slides  Must have at least 10 pictures throughout the project  1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10  \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 10 |

1. Research Questions
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2. Project
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3. Presentation
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   2. *Note:* *presentation must be at least 4 minutes long and no longer than 6 minutes.* \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
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**Psychological Disorders Presentations Peer Notes**

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