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understanding and treating borderline personality disorder a guide for professionals and families offers both a valuable update for mental health professionals and much needed information and encouragement for bpd patients and their families and friends the editors of this eminently practical and accessible text have brought together the wide ranging and updated perspectives of 15 recognized experts who discuss topics such as a new understanding of bpd suggesting that individuals may be genetically prone to developing bpd and that certain stressful events may trigger its onset new evidence for the success of various forms of psychotherapy including dialectical behavior therapy dbt in reducing self injury drug dependence and days in the hospital for some groups of people with bpd pharmacology research showing that the use of specific medications can relieve the cognitive affective and impulsive symptoms experienced by individuals with bpd as part of a comprehensive psychosocial treatment plan new resources for families to help them deal with the dysregulated emotions of their loved ones with bpd and to build effective support systems for themselves yet much remains to be done research on bpd is 20 to 30 years behind that on other major psychiatric disorders such as schizophrenia and bipolar disorder despite evidence to the contrary much of the professional literature on bpd continues to focus on childhood trauma abuse and neglect as triggers for bpd to the detriment of both patient and family families of people with bpd must deal with an array of burdens in coping with the illness often without basic information the chapters on families and bpd give voice to the experience of bpd from the perspective of individuals and family members and offer the hope that family involvement in treatment will be beneficial to everyone above all this book is about the partnership between mental health professionals and families affected by bpd and about how such a partnership can advance our understanding and treatment of this disorder and provide hope for the future

a superb up to date feminist analysis of the borderline condition characterized by stereotypically feminine qualities such as poor interpersonal boundaries and an unstable sense of self borderline diagnosis has been questioned by many as a veiled replacement of the hysteria diagnosis wirth cauchon includes narratives from women exhibiting the theoretical underpinnings of the borderline diagnosis the author is rigorous in her analysis and mainstream academics and diagnosticians should take note lest they create yet another label that disregards the contradictory and conflicting expectations experienced by so many women includes an excellent bibliography and a wealth of good reference highly recommended choice this book contributes to a rich feminist interdisciplinary theoretical understanding of women s psychological distress and represents an excellent companion volume to dana becker s book titled through the looking glass psychology of women quarterly wonderfully written the argument proceeds with an impeccable and transparent logic the writing is sophisticated evocative even inspired this work should have enormous appeal kenneth gergen author of realities and relationships impressive in its synthesis of

many different ideas both clinicians and people diagnosed with bpd may find much of value in wirth cauchon's thoughtful and provoking analysis metapsychology at the beginning of the twentieth century hysteria as a medical or psychiatric diagnosis was primarily applied to women in fact the term itself comes from the greek meaning wandering womb we have since learned that this diagnosis had evolved from certain assumptions about women s social roles and mental characteristics and is no longer in use the modern equivalent of hysteria however may be borderline personality disorder defined as a pervasive pattern of instability of self image interpersonal relationships and mood beginning in early adulthood and present in a variety of contexts this diagnosis is applied to women so much more often than to men that feminists have begun to raise important questions about the social cultural and even the medical assumptions underlying this illness women are said to be unstable when they may be trying to reconcile often contradictory and conflicting social expectations in women and borderline personality disorder janet wirth cauchon presents a feminist cultural analysis of the notions of unstable selfhood found in case narratives of women diagnosed with borderline personality disorder this exploration of contemporary post freudian psychoanalytic notions of the self as they apply to women s identity conflicts is an important contribution to the literature on social constructions of mental illness in women and feminist critiques of psychiatry in general janet wirth cauchon is an associate professor of sociology at drake university

borderline personality disorder is a severe and complex psychiatric condition that until recently many considered nearly untreatable but this optimistic guide to bpd provides information that will bring newfound hope to those who have this painful disorder and to their family and friends people with borderline personality disorder have problems coping with almost everything and therefore anything can provoke them to impulsive actions angry outbursts and self destructive behaviors their personal relationships are simultaneously overly dependent and strained if not openly hostile and frequently explosive incorporating the latest research and thinking on the disorder johns hopkins psychiatrists francis mark mondimore and patrick kelly conceptualize it in an original way they explain that symptoms are the result of biological and behavioral problems extremes of temperament and impaired psychological coping all of which may have a relationship with traumatic life events the authors advocate a therapeutic approach incorporating compassion and optimism in the face of what is often a tumultuous disease with proper treatment people with borderline personality disorder can enjoy long remissions and improved quality of life

this book offers a complete overview of borderline personality disorder bpd its symptoms and treatment and ways bpd sufferers can navigate their lives with this complicated condition people with borderline personality disorder bpd often feel like they are in emotional overdrive and may struggle just to get through the day in soothe the suffering two renowned bpd experts offer simple easy to use skills drawn from dialectical behavior therapy dbt for addressing the most common issues that people with bpd face every day such as intense feelings of anger depression and anxiety

over the past decade there has been a burgeoning of interest in understanding and treating borderline personality disorder a disorder characterized by extreme emotional reactivity impulsivity and serious interpersonal difficulties resulting in frequent loss of relationships individuals with borderline personality disorder comprise a substantial proportion of the psychiatric outpatient population are often seen in emergency rooms and have major functional impairment e g unemployment suicide occurs in 3 9 of the population furthermore non suicidal self injury e g cutting without the intent to die eating disorders and substance abuse are frequently seen in the context of borderline personality disorder not only do the individuals with the disorder suffer their family members also experience distress and can feel burdened and overwhelmed once thought to be nonexistent or a grab bag diagnosis borderline personality disorder is now understood as a significant emotional disorder with its own neurobiological and psychosocial correlates at the same time the disorder is still poorly understood and stigmatized with limited resources available to the novice clinician and mental health professional trainees e g psychiatry residents psychology doctoral students social work students the aim of this primer on borderline personality disorder is to fill this void and provide an accessible easy to use clinically oriented evidenced based guide for early stage clinicians we present the most up to data about borderline personality disorder by leading experts in the field in a format accessible to trainees and professionals working with individuals with borderline personality disorder and their family members the volume is comprehensive and covers the etiology of bpd its clinical presentation and co morbid disorders genetics and neurobiology of bpd effective treatment of bpd the role of advocacy and special subpopulations e g forensic in the clinical management of bpd

this is a 2 book combo which has the following titles book 1 when it comes to borderline personality disorder many people are left in the dark they still have questions about what it is what makes it so attractive to start a relationship with a borderliner or how it differs in men and women this guide will not leave you in the dark however it will talk about these topics and so much more such as society s changing view of the disorder the ages of a borderliner how they change identities and how medical diagnoses can vary and the disorder across different races and the two genders let s learn more about borderline personality disorder and become aware of which elements in such a person s life play a role in their behavior their emotions and their identity book 2 in this guide the first thing we ll

point out is how difficult it is to go through life with a mother or father who has borderline personality disorder we II do this by giving multiple examples and discussing them second we II touch on anticipatory anxiety and social problems that people with the disorder may have and the question of whether to openly talk about the disorder with the patients third the matter of attachment will be discussed elaborately mostly because this is exactly the entire problem that those with traumas and disorders are often being confronted with we all develop healthy or unhealthy attachments in our youth and form bonds with our family friends things locations cultural habits etc when something goes wrong with the attachment it messes people up and it can have dire effects learn more about these things now get the book

get to know the ins and outs of bpd and make the choice to change borderline personality disorder bpd is an extremely serious and often seriously neglected condition despite around 4 million diagnoses in the usa bpd has attracted lower funding and levels of clinical concern than more popular conditions such as bipolar disorder but there s no need to lose hope borderline personality disorder for dummies 2nd edition was written to bridge this gap and help sufferers learn how to break the cycle to lead a full and happy life bpd impacts the way you think and feel about yourself and others and can cause long term patterns of disruptive relationships and difficulties with self control it often results from childhood abuse or neglect as well as from genetic or brain abnormalities particularly in areas of the brain that regulate emotion impulsivity and aggression knowing how it works means we know how to manage it and borderline personality disorder for dummies written in a friendly easy to follow style by two leading clinical psychologists is packed with useful techniques to do just that from identifying triggers to finding the right care provider get a compassionate actionable understanding of the symptoms and history of bpd acquire techniques to identify and halt damaging behaviors evaluate providers and the latest therapies and treatments set goals and habits to overcome problems step by step bpd should never be allowed to dictate anyone s existence this reference gives you the tools to take your life back and is a must have for sufferers and their loved ones alike

this book offers a comprehensive exploration of the relationship between gender the experience of psychological distress that we currently call borderline personality disorder and the borderline diagnosis as a classification of psychiatric disorder it offers a new emphasis on elements of female socialization as critical to the understanding of

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diagnosing borderline personality disorder bpd in young people has long been a tough call for clinicians either for fear of stigmatizing the child or confusing the normal mood shifts of adolescence with pathology now a recent upsurge in relevant research into early onset bpd is inspiring the field to move beyond this hesitance toward a developmentally nuanced understanding of the disorder the handbook of borderline personality disorder in children and adolescents reflects the broad scope and empirical strengths of current research as well as promising advances in treatment this comprehensive resource is authored by veteran and emerging names across disciplines including developmental psychopathology clinical psychology child psychiatry genetics and neuroscience in order to organize the field for an integrative future leading edge topics range from the role of parenting in the development of bpd to trait based versus symptom based assessment approaches from the life course trajectory of bpd to the impact of the dsm 5 on diagnosis and of particular interest are the data on youth modifications of widely used adult interventions with session excerpts key areas featured in the handbook the history of research on bpd in childhood and adolescence conceptualization and assessment issues etiology and core components of bpd developmental course and psychosocial correlates empirically supported treatment methods implications for future research assessment and intervention the handbook of borderline personality disorder in children and adolescents is a breakthrough reference for researchers and clinicians in a wide range of disciplines including child and school psychology and psychiatry social work psychotherapy and counseling nursing management and research and personality and social psychology

two experts on borderline personality disorder bpd present the fifth book in the new harbinger guides for the newly diagnosed series this easy to read book offers an introduction to bpd for those who have recently been diagnosed outlines the most common complications of the illness and the most effective treatments available and provides readers with practical strategies for staying on the path to recovery

borderline personality disorder is a mental health disorder that impacts the way you think

and feel about yourself and others causing problems functioning in everyday life it includes self image issues difficulty managing emotions and behavior and a pattern of unstable relationships with borderline personality disorder you have an intense fear of abandonment or instability and you may have difficulty tolerating being alone yet inappropriate anger impulsiveness and frequent mood swings may push others away even though you want to have loving and lasting relationships borderline personality disorder usually begins by early adulthood the condition seems to be worse in young adulthood and may gradually get better with age if you have borderline personality disorder don t get discouraged many people with this disorder get better over time with treatment and can learn to live satisfying lives symptoms borderline personality disorder affects how you feel about yourself how you relate to others and how you behave

in borderline personality and mood disorders comorbidity and controversy a panel of distinguished experts reviews the last two decades of progress in scientific inquiry about the relationship between mood and personality disorders and the influence of this empirical data on our ways of conceptualizing and treating them this comprehensive title opens with an introduction defining general trends both influencing the expansion of the mood disorder spectrum and undermining clinical recognition and focus on personality disorders the overlaps and differences between mdd and bpd in phenomenology and biological markers are then reviewed followed by a review of the overlaps and distinctions between more atypical mood disorder variants further chapters review the current state of thinking on the distinctions between bipolar disorder and bpd with attention to problems of misdiagnosis and use of clinical vignettes to illustrate important distinguishing features two models explaining the relationship between mood temperament and personality are offered followed by a review of the literature on risk factors and early signs of bpd and mood disorders in childhood through young adulthood as well as a review of the longitudinal studies on bpd and mood disorders the last segment of the book includes three chapters on treatment the book closes with a conclusion with a synthesis of the current status of thinking on the relationship between mood and borderline personality disorder an invaluable contribution to the literature borderline personality and mood disorders comorbidity and controversy insightfully addresses the mood and personality disorders realms of psychiatry and outlines that it has moved away from contentious debate and toward the possibility of synthesis providing increasing clarity on the relationship between mood and personality to inform improvements in clinical management of the convergence of these psychiatric domains in common practice

this guide distills the latest scientific research on borderline personality disorder bpd into a useful guide for any generalist practitioner who wants a basic skill set to effectively manage patients with bpd this book serves as a practical road map for clinicians from all corners of

the clinical universe the primary care provider the emergency room doctor the social worker the psychopharmacologist the psychotherapy supervisor the dialectical behavior therapy specialist and the generalist in an outpatient clinic as well as other practitioners emphasizing gpm s efficacy and arguing for its relevance and utility across diverse patient populations clinical settings and practitioner roles this volume provides helpful how to advice and wisdom for managing patient care the book is not about lengthy intensive interventions it is about management strategies i e calming encouraging advising to enable patients with bpd to pursue productive lives

explore and understand new approaches in borderline therapy borderline personality disorder bpd lags far behind other disorders such as schizophrenia in terms of research and treatment interventions debates about diagnosis etiology neurobiology genetics medication and treatment still persist borderline personality disorder brings together over two dozen of the field s leading experts in one enlightening text the book also offers mental health providers a view of bpd from the perspectives of sufferers as well as family members to foster an understanding of the experiences of relatives who are often devastated by their loved ones struggles with this common disorder although there has been an increasing interest in bpd in terms of research funding treatment advancement and acknowledgment of family perspective over the last decade the fact remains that the disorder is still highly stigmatized borderline personality disorder provides social workers and other mental health clinicians with practical access to the knowledge necessary for effective treatment in a single volume of the most current research information and management considerations this important collection explores the latest methods and approaches to treating bpd patients and supporting their families this useful text also features handy worksheets and numerous tables that present pertinent information clearly chapters in borderline personality disorder include an overview of borderline personality disorder confronting myths and stereotypes about bpd biological underpinnings of bpd bpd and the need for community a social worker s perspective on an evidence based approach to managing suicidal behavior in bpd patients dialectical behavior therapy supportive psychotherapy for borderline patients systems training for emotional predictability and problem solving stepps mentalization based treatment fostering validating responses in families family connections an education and skills training program for family member wellbeing and much more full of practical useable ideas for the betterment of those affected by bpd borderline personality disorder is a valuable resource for social workers psychologists psychiatrists and counselors as well as students researchers and academics in the mental health field family members loved ones and anyone directly affected by bpd

the etiology of borderline personality disorder is essentially unknown although many well known theoretical formulations remain the best possible hypotheses much of what has been suggested thus far for the management of bpd has proved impractical in a majority of cases written by an expert in the field of bpd borderline personality disorder presents a practical approach to the management of patients with this disorder designed for readers who are skeptical of facile explanations this book provides a broader view of the etiology of bpd than has been presented in previous studies readers will not only appreciate the review of the current research but also its theoretical integration into practice borderline personality disorderhas two goals to build a comprehensive theory of etiology which takes into account biological psychological and social factors to suggest treatment guidelines which are consistent with this theory and which are based on the findings of clinical trials based on the most up to date clinical research available borderline personality disorder shows how these complex disorders are shaped by biological vulnerability brought on by psychological experiences and influenced by social conditions

borderline personality disorder bpd has been widely viewed as a chronic disorder which has led many clinicians to avoid treating patients with this diagnosis bpd is also one of the most stigmatized of psychiatric disorders due to the awkward manner in which these individuals attempt to get their needs met as such those with bpd are increasingly marginalized by society and prevented from accessing quality care in the fullness of time debunks the common myth that bpd is incurable drawing on the findings of the nimh funded study the mclean study of adult development which has found that bpd has the best symptomatic outcome of all major psychiatric illnesses citing and analyzing the results of this landmark decades long study mary zanarini explains why there is reason for optimism when it comes to bpd remissions lasting two to eight years are common and stable furthermore remission of all 24 symptoms of the disorder are also guite typical equally promisingly the acute and most life threatening symptoms of bpd such as self harm and suicide attempts remit rapidly and recur less frequently than do temperamental symptoms zanarini also reports on more sobering findings concerning high levels of poor outcomes relating to vocational impairment and physical health reported by the 40 of patients who have not recovered which have significant impact on wellbeing and use of medical and other services considered together the findings generated by this important research provide much needed hope for those diagnosed with bpd particularly in guiding future research on and treatment for borderline personality disorder

acclaimed for its wisdom and no nonsense style this authoritative guide has now been revised and expanded with 50 new content reflecting a decade of advances in the field distinguished psychiatrist joel paris distills current knowledge about borderline personality disorder bpd and reviews what works in diagnosis and treatment rather than advocating a particular therapy paris guides therapists to flexibly interweave a range of evidence based strategies within a stepped care framework the book presents dos and don ts for engaging

patients with bpd building emotion regulation and impulse control skills working with family members and managing suicidality and other crises it is illustrated throughout with rich clinical vignettes new to this edition up to date findings on treatment effectiveness and outcomes chapter on dimensional models of bpd plus detailed discussion of dsm 5 diagnosis chapter on stepped care including new findings on the benefits of brief treatment chapter on family psychoeducation and other ways to combat stigma new and expanded discussions of cutting edge topics bpd in adolescents childhood risk factors and neurobiology

patients with borderline personality disorder bpd are among the most challenging patients for clinicians to treat their behaviors and emotions can shift abruptly as a result these patients can seem like therapeutic moving targets and improvement can be vexingly slow a developmental model of borderline personality disorder is a landmark work on this difficult condition the book emphasizes a developmental approach to bpd based on an in depth study of inpatients at chestnut lodge in rockville maryland during the years 1950 through 1975 and the authors thirty years of clinical and supervisory experience using information gleaned from the original clinical notes and follow up studies the authors present four intriguing case studies to chart the etiology long term course and clinical manifestations of bpd with three main parts that cover theory case examples and practical strategies for treatment a developmental model of borderline personality disorder introduces the reader to a multidimensional and integrated etiologic model of bpd to inform treatment helps clinicians develop the understanding and empathy needed to deal with difficult patient behaviors gives strategies for designing psychotherapy in tandem with psychosocial services to help patients with bpd improve or sustain functioning in the community a developmental model of borderline personality disorder combines rich clinical case descriptions with an integrated theoretical model that captures the complexities of bpd the first resource to chart bpd over the long term in such depth this book is a first rate clinical resource that reads like a novel illuminating the disorder to help interpret its causes and course it will inspire and encourage clinicians along with patients and their family members to strive for success in treating this difficult disease

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