



Personality Disorders

Locating Information in Books

Use [ValCat](#), the online catalog to locate books found in the Delta College Library or area Public Libraries. Following are some books that can be very helpful.

- ***Adult Psychopathology Case Studies*** - REFERENCE RC 465 .A326 2004. This is a very good book for giving case studies for a variety of personality disorders. For many of the disorders, a treatment plan is included, also. This book covers: Dependent Personality Disorder, Borderline Personality Disorder, Antisocial Personal Disorder, Schizotypal Personality Disorder, Paranoid Personality Disorder, Panic Disorder with Agoraphobia, Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder, Posttraumatic Stress Disorder, Pain Disorder, Dissociative Identity Disorder, Gender Identity Disorder, Polysubstance Dependence, Bulimia Nervosa, Depressive Disorder, Bipolar Disorder, Schizophrenia.
- ***Abnormal Psychology Casebook: a new perspective*** - REFERENCE RC 454 .G45 2004 is another very good book for case studies.
- ***Gale Encyclopedia of Mental Disorders*** - REFERENCE RC 437 .G35. These two volumes will give some information on most personality disorders.
- ***Mental Health Disorders Sourcebook*** - RC 454.4 .M458 2005
- ***The Merck Manual of Diagnosis and Therapy*** - Reference RC 55 .M4 2006. Look on pages 1717 - 1731. Please look at the index in the back of the book to find the page numbers for a variety of disorders. An online version of *The Merck Manual* is available at: <http://www.merck.com/mrkshared/mmanual/home.jsp>
- ***Encyclopedia of Psychology*** - REFERENCE BF 31 .E52 can help with some of the more popular personality disorders.
- ***Borderline Personality Disorder Demystified*** - RC 569.5 .B67 F75 2004
- ***Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder: the facts*** - RC 533 .D4 2004
- ***Personality Disorders*** - REFERENCE RC 554 .E55 2007 covers Anxious/Inhibited Personality Disorders, Borderline Personality Personal Disorder, Narcissistic and Histrionic Personality Disorders, Antisocial Personality Disorder, and Schizotypal, Schizoid and Paranoid Personality Disorders.



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- ***Understanding and Treating Borderline Personality Disorder* - RC 569.5 .B67 U53 2005**
 - ***Understanding Personality Disorders: an introduction* - REFERENCE RC 554 .D63 2007 and another copy is in the circulating collection. This book includes information about Paranoid Personality Disorder, Schizoid Personality Disorder, Schizotypal Personality Disorder, Conduct Disorder, Antisocial Personality Disorder, Borderline Personality Disorder, Histrionic Personality Disorder, Narcissistic Personality Disorder, Avoidant Personality Disorder, Dependent Personality Disorder, and Obsessive-Compulsive Personality Disorder (OCPD).**

The following books are located at the Reserve Desk under Susan Harvey's name

- ***Case Studies in Abnormal Behavior***
- ***Case Studies in Abnormal Psychology***
- ***Casebook of Psychological Disorders***

Locating Information in Periodicals

[InfoTrac](#) is a database that contains the full-text from books, journals, and magazines. Use the Subject Search option in order to search for the following personality disorders. InfoTrac will access very helpful information from medical encyclopedias, as well as magazine and journal articles.

- antisocial personality disorder
- borderline personality disorder
- histrionic personality disorder
- dependent personality disorder
- narcissistic personality disorder
(InfoTrac wants you to use the term, narcissism)
- obsessive compulsive disorder
- schizotypal personality disorder
- paranoid personality disorder
- avoidant personality disorder
- schizoid personality disorder

"Personality Disorders" as a subject term will present a few encyclopedia-like articles from the online version of the "Gale Encyclopedia of Medicine" which is located in InfoTrac. A couple of entries titled "Personality Disorders" from the Encyclopedia will give some information about most of the disorders, listed above.

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[Social Sciences Full Text, within EBSCO](#), can lead you to articles about psychological disorders.

[Medline, within FirstSearch](#), is a medical database (index) that will lead you to scholarly articles about all kinds of disorders. You are able to click on the option for either "full-text" OR "subscriptions held by my library." Please do not click on both options at the same time.

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