

# Substance/Medication -**Induced Psychosis**

Delusions and/or Hallucinations which...

- 1. Developed during or soon after substance intoxication, withdrawal, or exposure to a medication
- 2. Can be explained by the pharmacology of the implicated substance/medication

#### **Consider independent psychotic** disorder if...

- 1. Symptoms preceded the onset of substance/medication use
- 2. Symptoms persist for a substantial period of time (eg. 1 month) after the cessation or acute withdrawal or severe intoxication
- 3. History of recurrent, nonsubstance/medication-related episodes



#### Delusional Disorder

1+ delusions for at least 1 month with NO PROMINENT HALLUCINATIONS

- · Has never met criteria for schizophrenia
- Hallucinations (if present) are not prominent and are related to delusional theme (ex. sensation of being infested by bugs associated with delusions of infestation)
- Apart from impact of delusion(s) and its ramifications, functioning not markedly impaired and behaviour not obviously bizarre or odd

# **Psychosis**

- 1) Known substance use?
- 2) Significant mood component?3) Limited to delusions?
- 4) Duration of symptoms and level of impairment?

prominence of

psychotic versus

mood symptoms

### Schizophrenia

- 1.Delusions
- 2. Hallucinations
- 3. Disorganized Thoughts
- 4. Disorganized Behaviours

5. Negative Symptoms (5 As

2+ symptoms (at least 1 of 1, 2, or 3) illness > 6 months with SIGNIFICANT **DECLINE IN LEVEL OF FUNCTIONING** 

### Schizophreniform Disorder

- 1.Delusions
- 2. Hallucinations
- 3.Disorganized Thoughts
- 4. Disorganized Behaviours
- 5. Negative Symptoms (5 As)

2+ symptoms (at least 1 of 1, 2, or 3) 1 month < illness < 6 months with or without decline in functioning

## Schizoaffective Disorder

Concurrent Schizophrenia + Major Mood Episode (Depressive or Bipolar). Psychosis can also occur outside of major mood syndrome.

- 1.Delusions
- 2. Hallucinations
- 3. Disorganized Thoughts
- 4. Disorganized Behaviours
- 5. Negative Symptoms (5 As)

**CONSTANT** psychosis with **INTERMITTENT mood episodes** 

Schizophreniform Disorder **UPGRADED** to Schizophrenia if symptoms persist >6 months

#### **Brief Psychotic Disoder**

- 1.Delusions
- 2. Hallucinations
- 3.Disorganized Thoughts
- 4. Disorganized Behaviours

SUDDEN ONSET <2 weeks, no prodrome 1+ symptoms (at least 1 of 1, 2, or 3) 1 day < illness < 1 month

**Full return to premorbid function** 



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**Duration of Symptoms** 

# **Psychotic Features**

Mood Disorder with

Delusions and/or hallucinations occur almost exclusively DURING MAJOR MOOD SYNDROME:

#### **MAJOR DEPRESSIVE DISORDER**

5+ symptoms for 2+ weeks (at least 1 of depressed mood or anhedonia)

- S sleep disturbance
- I interest loss (anhedonia)
- G quilt/worthlessness
- E energy lack
- C cognitive/concentration reduction
- A appetite changes
- P psychomotor changes
- S suicidal ideation

#### **BIPOLAR I DISORDER**

Elevated, expansive, or irritable mood and increased goal-directed activity or energy, lasting at least 1 week (or any duration if psychotic symptoms or requires hospitalization) with 3 (or more) of the following symptoms (4 if the mood is only irritable):

- D distractibility
- I indiscretion
- G grandiosity
- F flight of ideas
- A activity increase
- S sleep deficit
- T talkative

**CONSTANT** mood disorder with **INTERMITTENT** psychosis



Involvement of Mood