

Personality disorders distribution and some aetiological factors in a selected population

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This work aims at a critical review of the different systems of classifications of personality disorders and description of the major categories of this condition. A small practical part is included in which the research worker tries to find out the different types of presentation of personality disorders in psychiatric, medical and surgical outpatient. The most frequent P.D. in this research was obsessive compulsive P.D.(20 %), then histrionic (17.78%) In this research, a striking equal frequency of obsessive females as males.

Antisocial, narcissistic and passive aggressive were specifically more prevalent in males.