

Schizophrenia Homework

Read pgs. 652 (bottom) to 659 (you can skip yellow box on pg. 655) and complete the following:

1. There are 5 possible symptoms of schizophrenia. List and define each in a sentence.
2. After reading the story of the woman with schizophrenia on pgs. 655-656, identify the two types of *delusions* she suffered from and explain how she is demonstrating these. In addition, are there any other symptoms of schizophrenia that she suffers from? How so?
3. List positive symptoms of schizophrenia and negative symptoms of schizophrenia. Also, explain what seem to be the physical cause of positive symptoms and the physical cause of negative symptoms.
4. What is the diathesis-stress model of schizophrenia? What are a few examples of stressors that might contribute to the onset of the disorder?