

# Learning About Disabilities

## Psychological/Psychiatric Disorders

Individuals with psychological or psychiatric disorders are not generally identifiable by appearance or noticeably disabled. Yet, these individuals may need accommodations in order to fully participate in a post-secondary program. According to the National Alliance on Mental Illness, one in seventeen (about 13.6 million) people live with a serious mental illness.

### COMMON MENTAL HEALTH DISORDERS

- Bi-Polar Disorder
- Clinical Depression
- Schizophrenia
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