

## Not all disorders are covered

Here is a list from the California Department of Mental Health that shows which disorders are covered and not <sup>1</sup>

### Covered:

- Pervasive developmental disorders, except autistic disorders
- Disruptive behavior and attention deficit disorders
- Infant and early childhood feeding and eating disorders
- Eating disorders
- Elimination disorders
- Other infant, child, or teen disorders
- Schizophrenia and other psychotic disorders
- Mood disorders
- Anxiety disorders
- Somatoform disorders
- Factitious disorders
- Dissociative disorders
- Paraphilias
- Gender identity disorder
- Impulse control disorders not classified elsewhere
- Adjustment disorders
- Personality disorders, except antisocial personality disorder
- Movement disorders caused by medication and related to other covered diagnoses

### Not covered: \*

- Mental retardation
- Learning disorders
- Motor skills disorders
- Communication disorders
- Autistic disorders
- Tic disorders
- Delirium, dementia, amnesia and other cognitive disorders
- Mental disorders due to a general medical condition
- Substance related disorders
- Sexual dysfunctions
- Sleep disorders
- Antisocial personality disorder
- Other conditions that may be a focus of clinical attention, except movement disorders caused by medication

*\*You may receive services for a covered disorder even if you also have another disorder that is not covered.*

<sup>1</sup> This information was adapted from the State Department of Mental Health, Specialty Mental Health Consolidation Part II. It also appears in Disability Rights California's publication: *Guide to Children's Mental Health Services Under Medi-Cal*, Appendix 2.

You can find the original chart at: [www.disabilityrightsca.org/Pubs/518801.pdf](http://www.disabilityrightsca.org/Pubs/518801.pdf) or [www.dmh.cahwnet.gov/DMHDocs/docs/letters01/01-01\\_enclosure1.pdf](http://www.dmh.cahwnet.gov/DMHDocs/docs/letters01/01-01_enclosure1.pdf)

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