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1. Enter search keywords

Keyword

And Keyword

And Keyword

Tips!

- Use "and" to narrow your search.
- Use "or" to broaden your search.
- Use "not" to eliminate a word.

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40 [Psychology & Behavioral Sciences Collection](#)

229 [Research Library](#)

You searched: Keyword = "bipolar disorder" AND Keyword = "adolescents"

Keyword

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Mota-Castio, Manuel | *Neuropsychiatry Reviews* | 2007-12 | 8:12 | 7(0) | ISSN: 15347141 | LETTERS to the editor; MANIC-depressive illness

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2. **Bipolar Disorder Diagnosis In creases in Children and**

Adolescents

ESSAYS

The Mistreatment of Mood Disorders in Youth

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Allendale Association

Lake Villa, IL

Mood disorders in youth, specifically depression and bipolar disorder, have been increasingly prevalent. Treatment standards for youth essentially reflect those intervention strategies used with adults; however, there are serious concerns as to the effectiveness and safety of these interventions. Moreover, with growing pressures to use "evidence-based" treatments, clinicians are compelled to critically examine the literature to determine the most effective treatment course. This article examines current treatment approaches for mood disorders in youth and scrutinizes the justification for using psychotropic medications as a "front-line" intervention.

Keywords: adolescent; depression; bipolar disorder; psychopharmacology

Mood disorders in youth, including depressive disorders and bipolar disorders, have received considerable attention in recent years. There has been a dramatic increase in the frequency of a bipolar disorder diagnosis, and the use of psychotropic medications has skyrocketed. Many sources in the literature would suggest these increases are the result of refined diagnostic abilities, greater understanding of the psychology of youth, and an improved understanding on what the most effective treatments are. These assumptions, however, are questionable and warrant further scrutiny.

The prevailing theory of mood disturbance in youth is simply extrapolated from our assumptions about mood disorders in adults. It is assumed that mood disruptions are the result of chemical imbalances in the brain. The imbalanced chemical is identified in a somewhat haphazard way. If one feels better on Paxil, then the aberrant neurotransmitter was likely serotonin. If one responds more favorably to Wellbutrin, the culprit was likely norepinephrine or dopamine. Moreover, once this imbalance has been deduced, it is also assumed that the medications are likely required for the remainder of one's life. Despite these conclusions, a chemical imbalance in depression has yet to be proven (Lacasse & Leo, 2005).

There is also a widespread view that genetics plays a determining role in mood disorders. There are many studies that find familial patterns of disordered mood, although the responsible gene, or combination of genes, has not been identified. Indeed, a familial pattern is insufficient to conclude a genetic influence. Familial patterns are also testaments to the influence of experience on our psychological health. Moreover, we are learning more about

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- Does the article have a list of references at the end?

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- Newspapers
- Statistics
- & More

Databases A-Z & Journals A-Z



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