

Disruptive Disorders

DISRUPTIVE BEHAVIOUR AND DISSOCIAL DISORDERS

40 million people, including children and adolescents, were living with conduct-dissocial disorder in 2019.

This disorder, also known as conduct disorder, is one of two disruptive behaviour and dissocial disorders, the other is oppositional defiant disorder.

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Disruptive behaviour and dissocial disorders are characterised by persistent behaviour problems such as persistently defiant or disobedient to behaviours that persistently violate the basic rights of others or major age-appropriate societal norms, rules, or laws.

Onset of disruptive and dissocial disorders, is commonly, though not always, during childhood.

Effective psychological treatments exist, often involving parents, caregivers, and teachers, cognitive problem-solving or social skills training.

