

Schizophrenia

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Schizophrenia affects approximately 24 million people or 1 in 300 people worldwide.

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People with schizophrenia have a life expectancy 10-20 years below that of the general population.

Schizophrenia is characterised by significant impairments in perception and changes in behaviour.

Symptoms may include persistent delusions, hallucinations, disorganised thinking, highly disorganised behaviour, or extreme agitation.

People with schizophrenia may experience persistent difficulties with their cognitive functioning.

Yet, a range of effective treatment options exists, including medication, psychoeducation, family interventions, and psychosocial rehabilitation.

