

# Guided Reading Activity

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## Psychological Disorders

### Lesson 3 *Somatoform and Dissociative Disorders*

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#### Review Questions: Identifying Supporting Details

**Directions:** Read each main idea. Use your textbook to supply the details that support or explain each main idea.

**Main Idea A:** With some types of disorders people suffer from imaginary physical ailments.

- Detail:** \_\_\_\_\_ is when a person has physical symptoms for which there is no physical cause.
- Detail:** During Sigmund Freud's time this condition was called \_\_\_\_\_.
- Detail:** A person with a conversion disorder converts a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ problem into a physiological problem, such as deafness or paralysis.
- Detail:** A sign that a person has a psychological rather a physiological condition is when he or she has a(n) \_\_\_\_\_ reaction to the loss of function.
- Detail:** A(n) \_\_\_\_\_ is someone who is in good health but is preoccupied with the idea that he or she has a serious medical problem.

**Main Idea B:** People with dissociative disorders suffer from a breakdown of their conscious awareness.

- Detail:** A person with dissociative amnesia suffers from \_\_\_\_\_ that has no biological explanation.
- Detail:** Dissociative amnesia is usually the result of a(n) \_\_\_\_\_, such as witnessing a terrible accident.
- Detail:** \_\_\_\_\_ is amnesia combined with flight to a different environment and possibly the establishment of a new identity.
- Detail:** Dissociative identity disorder used to be better known as \_\_\_\_\_.
- Detail:** People diagnosed with dissociative identity disorder usually experienced \_\_\_\_\_ as child.

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#### Summary and Reflection

**Directions:** Summarize the main ideas of this lesson by answering the question below.

How do somatoform and dissociative disorders involve some type of escape?

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