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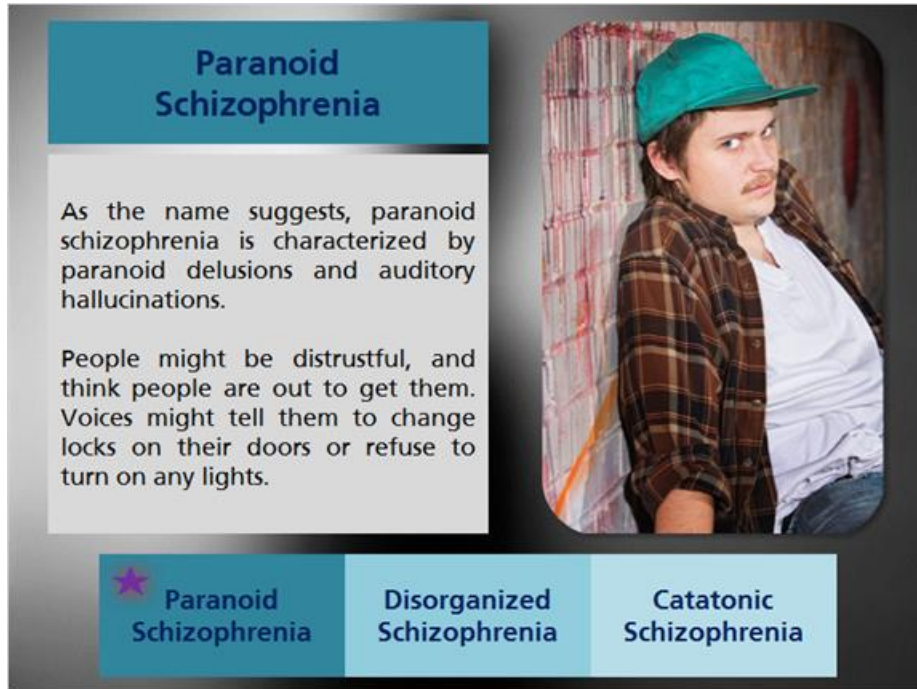


Click each category to discover the various types of schizophrenia.

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Paranoid Schizophrenia



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Paranoid Schizophrenia

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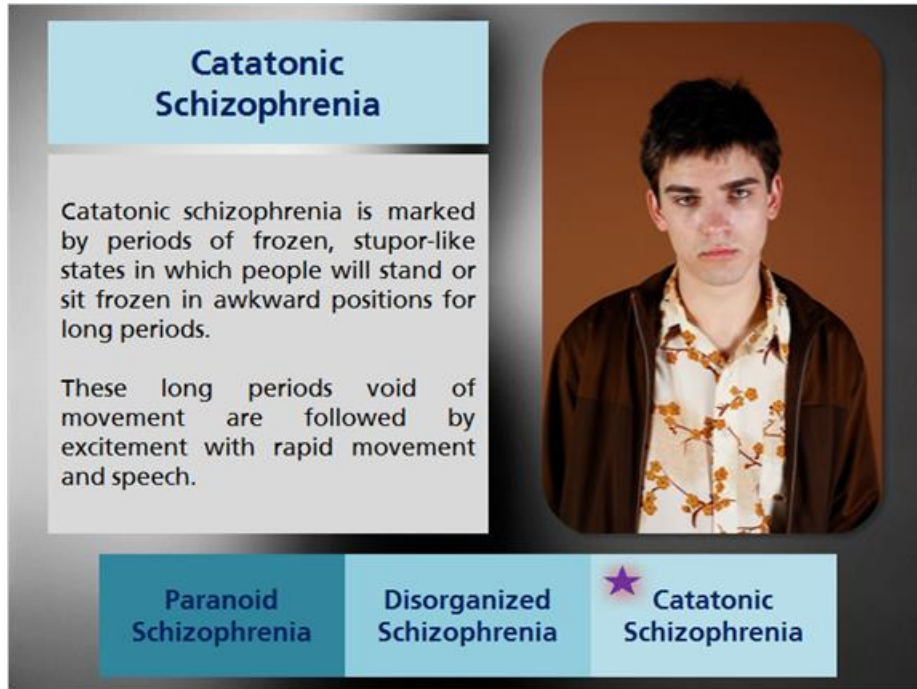
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Catatonic Schizophrenia



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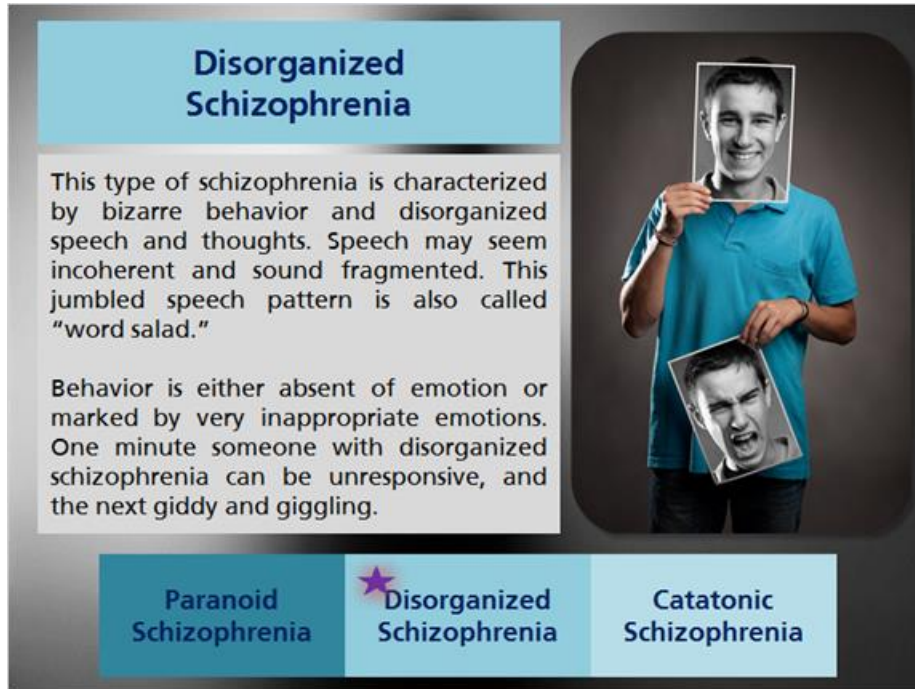
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Disorganized Schizophrenia



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Disorganized Schizophrenia

This type of schizophrenia is characterized by bizarre behavior and disorganized speech and thoughts. Speech may seem incoherent and sound fragmented. This jumbled speech pattern is also called "word salad."

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