

## **Supporting Patients with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (I/DD) & Sensory Needs**

### *Case Review Resources & Tools*

#### **Organizations:**

- Autism Society- <http://www.autism-society.org/>
- Canada's Mental Health and Addiction (CAMH) Network: Health Care Access Research and Developmental Disabilities: <https://www.porticonetwork.ca/web/hcardd>
  - The HCARDD website offers toolkits, a health passport, videos, visual aids, clinical tips, and discharge planning tools
- National Association for Dual Diagnosis (NADD)- [www.theNADD.org](http://www.theNADD.org)

#### **Resources:**

- Canada's Mental Health & Addiction (CAMH) Network- Health Care Access Research and Developmental Disabilities Video Resources:  
<https://www.porticonetwork.ca/web/hcardd/resources/videos>
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<https://thenadd.org/products/dm-id-2-is-now-available/>
  - *The Diagnostic Manual-Intellectual Disability, DM-ID-2*, provides guidance for assessing and diagnosing specific disorders in individuals with IDD by providing information to help recognize signs and symptoms of mental illness. It lists behavior changes that may indicate certain mental health problems that are noticeable.
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- Lunsy, Y., Balogh, R., Khodaverdian, A., Elliott, D., Jaskulski, C., & Morris, S. (2012). A Comparison of Medical and Psychobehavioral Emergency Department Visits Made by Adults with Intellectual Disabilities. *Emergency Medicine International*, 2012, 1–6. doi: 10.1155/2012/427407
- McGilvery, S. & Sweetland, D. (2011). *Intellectual disability and mental health: a training manual in dual diagnosis*. Kingston, NY: NADD Press.
- National Alliance of Mental Illness (NAMI)
  - *Medication Frequently Asked Questions*: <https://www.nami.org/FAQ/Mental-Health-Medication-FAQ>
  - *Mental Health Facts in America (2019)*:  
<https://nami.org/nami/media/nami-media/infographics/generealmhfacts.pdf>
- National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH) Information Resource Center-  
<https://www.nimh.nih.gov/index.shtml>

- Mental Health Medications- Understanding Your Medications:  
<https://nimh.nih.gov/health/topics/mental-health-medications/index.shtml>
- Paclawskyj, T. & Yoo, J. H. (2004) *Mood, anxiety, and psychotic disorders in persons with developmental disabilities: Approaches to behavioral treatment*. Kingston, NY: NADD Press.

**Tools:**

- Autism Services, Education, Research, and Training (ASERT) Collaborative- *Tools to Support Emergency Room Personnel: Treating Individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorder*  
<https://paautism.org/resource/emergency-room-tools/>
- Autism Speaks- *ATN/AIR-P Visual Supports and Autism Toolkit*:  
<https://www.autismspeaks.org/tool-kit/atnair-p-visual-supports-and-autism>
- Vanderbilt Kennedy Center for Research on Human Development- *Health Care for Adults with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities: Toolkit for Primary Care Providers*:  
<https://iddtoolkit.vkcsites.org>
  - *Psychiatric Symptoms and Behavior Checklist*: <https://iddtoolkit.vkcsites.org/wp-content/uploads/PsychSymptomsBehChecklist.pdf>
- NADD- *Materials for Positive Identity Development*: <https://thenadd.org/materials-for-positive-identity-development/>
- *The Incredible 5-Point Scale*: <https://www.5pointscale.com/> (provides ideas, examples, templates, and resources to support use of 5-point scale and anxiety curve)
- Boston Medical Center – *Sensory Toolbox and Autism Checklist*:  
<https://www.bmc.org/visiting-us/autism-friendly-initiative>
- Greenhouse Publications – *Health Care Communication Board*:  
<http://www.greenhousepub.com/hecacobo1tao.html> (need to purchase)

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