

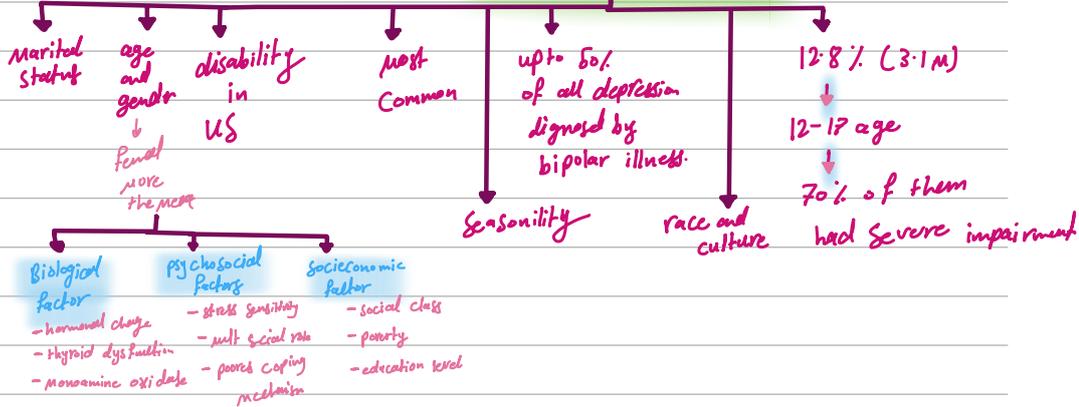
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Depressive Disorders

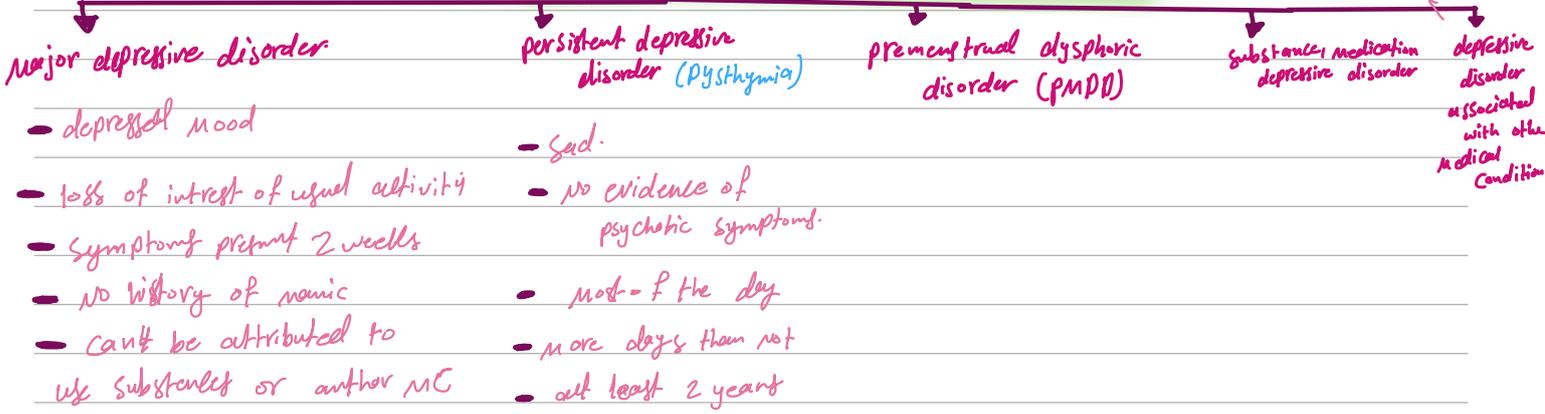
pathological depression

- adaptation is ineffective.
- symptoms impair functioning.

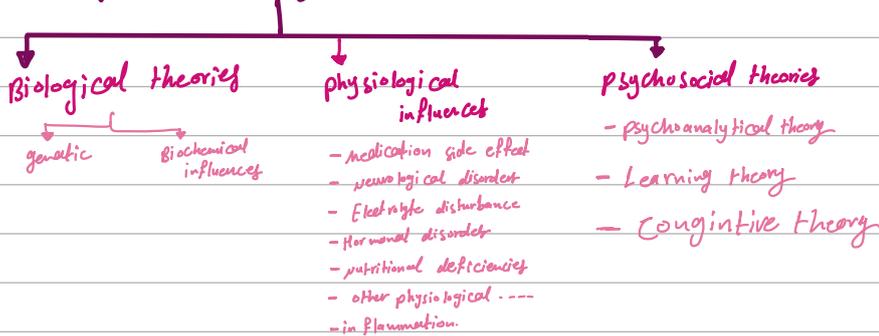
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Types of depressive disorders



predisposing factors to depression.



	Transient depression	Mild depression	Moderate depression	Severe depression
Affective	The blues	anger, anxiety	Helpless, powerless	total despair worthlessness flat affect
Behavioral	Some crying	Fearful, regression	- slow / slumped / limited verbalization	psychomotor retardation curled-up position absent of communication
Cognitive	focusing in one's disappointment	preoccupied with loss	retarded, difficulty with concentration	delusional thinking, confusion suicidal thoughts
Physiological	Feeling tired and listless	anorexia, insomnia	Anorexia, or overeating sleep disturbance, headache	slow - down of the entire body