DSM-5

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Chapter 10: Substance Use Disorders

• Inclusion of Gambling Disorder
• Criteria updated for Substance-Related Disorders
• Medical Use of Marijuana information updated
Gambling Disorder

• Gambling Disorder included in the DSM-5 chapter on Substance Related and Addictive Disorders.

• This category was in the “Impulse Control Disorders Not Elsewhere Classified” section of DSM-IV-TR.
Substance-Related Disorders

• Number of symptoms required for designation “severe” increased from 4 in the DSM-IV-TR to 6 in the DSM-5
• Criterion that user persists despite knowing the use causes problems is removed
Marijuana

• Medical Use
  • Legal in 18 states and the District of Columbia
  • Pending legislation in 11 more states

• Recreational Use
  • Legal in Washington and Colorado