

Download Diseases And Disorders Anorexia And Bulimia

Psychological and Behavioral Signs of Anorexia & Bulimia. According to the American Psychiatric Association's DSM-V, anorexia nervosa and bulimia nervosa have psychological features, which vary from patient to patient. Just a year before the peak of my EDNOS (eating disorder not otherwise specified) behavior, a study found that clinicians were less likely to assign an eating disorder diagnosis to a fictional character based on her case history if her race was African-American rather than Caucasian or Hispanic. The study affirmed what many of us already knew ? that eating disorders are seen as something ...Causes. The exact cause of bulimia is unknown. Many factors could play a role in the development of eating disorders, including genetics, biology, emotional health, societal expectations and other issues. Overview. Anorexia (an-o-REK-see-uh) nervosa — often simply called anorexia — is an eating disorder characterized by an abnormally low body weight, an intense fear of gaining weight and a distorted perception of weight.