

PSYCHOSIS SCREEN (PS)

<p>*PS1. The next questions are about unusual things, like seeing visions or hearing voices. We believe that these things may be quite common, but we don't know for sure because previous research has not done a good job asking about them. So please take your time and think carefully before answering.</p>	<p>YES (1)</p>	<p>NO (5)</p>	<p>DK (8)</p>	<p>RF (9)</p>
<p>*PS1a. The first thing is seeing a vision -- that is, seeing something that other people who were there could not see. Did you ever see a vision that other people could not see? (KEY PHRASE: saw a vision)</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>5 GO TO *PS1b</p>	<p>8 GO TO *PS1b</p>	<p>9 GO TO *PS1b</p>
<p>*PS1a.1. Did this every happen when you were <u>not</u> dreaming, not half-asleep, and not under the influence of alcohol or drugs?</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>5 GO TO *PS1b</p>	<p>8 GO TO *PS1b</p>	<p>9 GO TO *PS1b</p>
<p>*PS1a.2. About how many times in your life did this ever happen (when you saw a vision when you were not dreaming, not half-asleep, and not under the influence of alcohol or drugs)? _____ TIMES DON'T KNOW..... 998 REFUSED..... 999</p>				
<p>*PS1a.3. Could you give me a brief example of a time when this happened? _____ _____ _____ _____</p>				
<p>*PS1a.4. What do you think caused this to happen? _____ _____ _____ _____</p>				
<p>*PS1b. The second thing is hearing voices that other people could not hear. I don't mean having good hearing, but rather hearing things that other people said did not exist, like strange voices coming from inside your head talking to you or about you, or voices coming out of the air when there was no one around. Did you ever hear voices in this way? (KEY PHRASE: heard voices)</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>5 GO TO *PS1c</p>	<p>8 GO TO *PS1c</p>	<p>9 GO TO *PS1c</p>
<p>*PS1b.1. Did this every happen when you were <u>not</u> dreaming, not half-asleep, and not under the influence of alcohol or drugs?</p>	<p>1</p>	<p>5 GO TO *PS1c</p>	<p>8 GO TO *PS1c</p>	<p>9 GO TO *PS1c</p>

	YES (1)	NO (5)	DK (8)	RF (9)
<p>*PS1b.2. About how many times in your life did this ever happen (when you heard voices when you were not dreaming, not half-asleep, and not under the influence of alcohol or drugs)?</p> <p>_____ TIMES</p> <p>DON'T KNOW..... 998</p> <p>REFUSED..... 999</p>				
<p>*PS1b.3. Could you give me a brief example of a time when this happened?</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>				
<p>*PS1b.4. What do you think caused this to happen?</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p> <p>_____</p>				
<p>*PS1c. The third thing is really two. One is believing that some mysterious force was inserting many different strange thoughts -- that were definitely not your own thoughts – directly into your head by means of x-rays or laser beams or other methods. The other is believing that your own thoughts were being stolen out of your mind by some strange force. Did you ever have either of these mind control experiences?</p> <p>(KEY PHRASE: experienced mind control)</p>	1	5 GO TO *PS1d	8 GO TO *PS1d	9 GO TO *PS1d
<p>*PS1c.1. Did this every happen when you were <u>not</u> dreaming, not half-asleep, and not under the influence of alcohol or drugs?</p>	1	5 GO TO *PS1d	8 GO TO *PS1d	9 GO TO *PS1d
<p>*PS1c.2. About how many times in your life did this ever happen (when you experienced mind control when you were not dreaming, not half-asleep, and not under the influence of alcohol or drugs)?</p> <p>_____ TIMES</p> <p>DON'T KNOW..... 998</p> <p>REFUSED..... 999</p>				

	YES (1)	NO (5)	DK (8)	RF (9)
<p>*PS1c.3. Could you give me a brief example of a time when this happened?</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>				
<p>*PS1c.4. What do you think caused this to happen?</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>				
<p>*PS1d. The fourth unusual thing is feeling that your mind was being taken over by strange forces with laser beams or other methods that were making you do things you did not choose to do. Did you ever have a time when you felt that your mind was being taken over by strange forces?</p> <p>(KEY PHRASE: felt that your mind was being taken over by strange forces)</p>	1	5 GO TO *PS1e	8 GO TO *PS1e	9 GO TO *PS1e
<p>*PS1d.1. Did this ever happen when you were <u>not</u> dreaming, not half-asleep, and not under the influence of alcohol or drugs?</p>	1	5 GO TO *PS1e	8 GO TO *PS1e	9 GO TO *PS1e
<p>*PS1d.2. About how many times in your life did this ever happen (when you felt that your mind was being taken over by strange forces when you were not dreaming, not half-asleep, and not under the influence of alcohol or drugs)?</p> <p>_____ TIMES</p> <p>DON'T KNOW..... 998</p> <p>REFUSED..... 999</p>				
<p>*PS1d.3. Could you give me a brief example of a time when this happened?</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>				

	YES (1)	NO (5)	DK (8)	RF (9)
<p>*PS1d.4. What do you think caused this to happen?</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>				
<p>*PS1e. The fifth thing is believing that some strange force was trying to communicate directly with you by sending special signs or signals that you could understand but that no one else could understand. Sometimes this happens by special signs coming through the radio or television. Did you ever experience these kinds of attempts at communication from strange forces?</p> <p>(KEY PHRASE: experienced attempts at communication from strange forces)</p>	1	5 GO TO *PS1f	8 GO TO *PS1f	9 GO TO *PS1f
<p>*PS1e.1. Did this every happen when you were <u>not</u> dreaming, not half-asleep, and not under the influence of alcohol or drugs?</p>	1	5 GO TO *PS1f	8 GO TO *PS1f	9 GO TO *PS1f
<p>*PS1e.2. About how many times in your life did this ever happen (when you experienced attempts at communication from strange forces when you were not dreaming, not half-asleep, and not under the influence of alcohol or drugs)?</p> <p>_____ TIMES</p> <p>DON'T KNOW..... 998</p> <p>REFUSED..... 999</p>				
<p>*PS1e.3. Could you give me a brief example of a time when this happened?</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>				
<p>*PS1e.4. What do you think caused this to happen?</p> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/> <hr/>				

	YES (1)	NO (5)	DK (8)	RF (9)
*PS1f. Sixth, did you ever believe that there was an unjust plot going on to harm you or to have people follow you that your family and friends did not believe was true? (KEY PHRASE: believed there was a plot to harm you)	1	5 GO TO *PS2	8 GO TO *PS2	9 GO TO *PS2
*PS1f.1. Did this every happen when you were <u>not</u> dreaming, not half-asleep, and not under the influence of alcohol or drugs?	1	5 GO TO *PS2	8 GO TO *PS2	9 GO TO *PS2
*PS1f.2. About how many times in your life did this ever happen (when you believed there was a plot to harm you when you were not dreaming, not half-asleep, and not under the influence of alcohol or drugs)? _____ TIMES DON'T KNOW.....998 REFUSED.....999				
*PS1f.3. Could you give me a brief example of a time when this happened? _____ _____ _____				
*PS1f.4. What do you think caused this to happen? _____ _____ _____				

*PS2. INTERVIEWER CHECKPOINT: (SEE *PS1a.1, *PS1b.1, *PS1c.1, *PS1d.1, *PS1e.1, *PS1f.1)

ONE OR MORE RESPONSES CODED '1' IN *PS1a.1, *PS1b.1, *PS1c.1,
*PS1d.1, *PS1e.1, *PS1f.1..... 1
ALL OTHERS..... 2 **GO TO NEXT SECTION**

*PS3. Let me review. You (KEY PHRASE FOR ALL YES MENTIONS IN *PS1a - *PS1f). How old were you the very first time (this/either of these things/any of these things) happened to you?

_____ YEARS OLD

DON'T KNOW998
REFUSED999

*PS4. (Has/Have) (this/either of these things/any of these things) happened to you at any time in the past 12 months?

- YES.....1
 - NO.....5 **GO TO *PS6**
 - DON'T KNOW.....8 **GO TO *PS6**
 - REFUSED9 **GO TO *PS6**
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*PS5. About how many different days did (this/either of these things/any of these things) happen to you in the past 12 months?

_____ NUMBER OF TIMES

- DON'T KNOW998
 - REFUSED999
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*PS6. About how many different times have you had (this/either of these things/any of these things) happen to you in your entire life?

_____ NUMBER OF TIMES

- DON'T KNOW998
 - REFUSED999
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*PS7. Did you ever talk to a doctor or mental health professional for help in dealing with (this/these) experience(s)?

- YES.....1
 - NO.....5 **GO TO *GM1, NEXT SECTION**
 - DON'T KNOW.....8 **GO TO *GM1, NEXT SECTION**
 - REFUSED9 **GO TO *GM1, NEXT SECTION**
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*PS8. What did the doctor say was causing (this/these) experience(s)?

INTERVIEWER: CIRCLE ALL MENTIONS

- SCHIZOPHRENIA/PSYCHOSIS.....1
- MANIC-DEPRESSION/MANIA.....2
- EMOTIONS/NERVES/MENTAL HEALTH3
- PHYSICAL ILLNESS/ INJURY4
- MEDICATION/DRUGS/ALCOHOL5
- OTHER (SPECIFY)6

- DON'T KNOW8
- REFUSED9

*PS9. Were you ever hospitalized because of (this/these) experience(s)?

YES.....1
NO.....5
DON'T KNOW.....8
REFUSED9

*PS10. (RB, PG 52) This is a list of medications commonly taken by people who have experiences like the (one/ones) you had. Did you ever take any of these medications?

YES.....1
NO.....5 **GO TO *GM1, NEXT SECTION**
DON'T KNOW.....8 **GO TO *GM1, NEXT SECTION**
REFUSED9 **GO TO *GM1, NEXT SECTION**

*PS10a. Did you take any of these medications in the past 12 months?

YES.....1
NO.....5
DON'T KNOW.....8
REFUSED9