

READING THE SECTION

DIRECTIONS Read each sentence and fill in the blank with the correct word or phrase.

1. The condition called _____ refers to feelings of detachment from one's mental processes or body. (**depersonalization disorder/somatic symptom disorder**)
2. The word _____ refers to the expression of psychological distress through physical symptoms. (**dissociation/somatization**)
3. The term _____ refers to the separation of certain personality components or mental processes from conscious thought. (**depersonalization/dissociation**)
4. _____ refers to a person's unrealistic preoccupation with thoughts of serious disease. (**Conversion disorder/Hypochondriasis**)
5. _____ refers to the experience of a change or loss of physical functioning in a major part of the body for which there is no medical explanation. (**Conversion disorder/Hypochondriasis**)

DIRECTIONS Read each of the following descriptions, and write who or what is "speaking" in the space provided.

- _____ 6. "I am the condition in which people have psychological problems but experience inexplicable physical symptoms."
- _____ 7. "I am the condition in which people feel outside their bodies, observing themselves at a distance."
- _____ 8. "I am the condition of which the most common form is daydreaming."
- _____ 9. "I am the condition in which people are sometimes unable to move their legs even though there is no medical explanation for the disability."
- _____ 10. "I am the condition in which people become absorbed by minor physical symptoms."

POST-READING QUICK CHECK

DIRECTIONS Look at each set of four terms. On the line provided, write the letter of the term that does not relate to the others.

- _____ 11. a. dissociation
b. hypochondriasis
c. amnesia
d. fugue

- _____ 12. a. somatic symptom disorder
b. conversion disorder
c. amnesia
d. hypochondriasis

DIRECTIONS Use vocabulary terms to write a summary of what you learned in the section.
