

TIC VS STEREOTYPIC MOVEMENT DISORDERS

	TIC/MOVEMENT	SX DURATION	ONSET	OTHER
TIC DISORDERS	<p>"Sudden, rapid and recurrent non rhythmic motor movement or vocalisation.</p> <p>Generally involve the eyes, face, head or shoulders Evolve over time.</p>		Onset before age 18 (generally around 5-7)	<p>5 types:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • tourette's disorder • persistent motor or vocal tic disorder • provisional tic disorder • other specified tic disorder • unspecified tic disorder <p>Associated with premonitory urge.</p>
TOURETTE'S DISORDER	<p>Multiple motor AND one or more vocal tics present during the illness.</p> <p><i>Example of motor tic: tongue protrusion, sniffing, hopping, squatting, blinking.</i></p> <p><i>Example of vocal tic: barking nose, loud grunt, shouting words.</i></p>	Persistent for >1 year	Onset before age 18	Generally aware that the tic is socially awkward or inappropriate → person may experience embarrassment
PERSISTENT MOTOR OR VOCAL TIC DISORDER	<p>Single or multiple motor OR vocal tics Not both</p>	Persistent for >1 year	Onset before age 18	Generally the severity of sx is not as great as in Tourette's disorder
PROVISIONAL MOTOR OR VOCAL TIC DISORDER	Generally the severity of sx is not as great as in Tourette's disorder	Persistent for >1 year	Onset before age 18	
OTHER SPECIFIC TIC DISORDER	Sx are characteristic of a tic disorder that causes distress or impairment in day to day life, but does not meet full criteria for a tic disorder. Clinician specifies why the presentation does not fit the criteria for a tic disorder.			
UNSPECIFIED TIC DISORDER	Sx are characteristic of a tic disorder that causes distress or impairment in day to day life, but does not meet full criteria for a tic disorder. Clinician does not specify why the presentation does not fit the criteria for a tic disorder			
STEREOTYPIC MOVEMENT DISORDER	<p>Repetitive, seemingly driven and apparently purposeless movement. Generally involve the arms, hands or entire body.</p> <p><i>e.g. hand waving, rocking, playing with hands, fiddling with fingers, twirling objects, head banging, self-biting, hitting various parts of one's own body</i></p> <p>Consistent and fixed in their pattern. Longer duration than a tic.</p>	Variable	Onset in early developmental period (around 3 years old)	<p>Interferes with day to daylife, and can cause self-injury.</p> <p>Movements generally cease with distraction.</p>