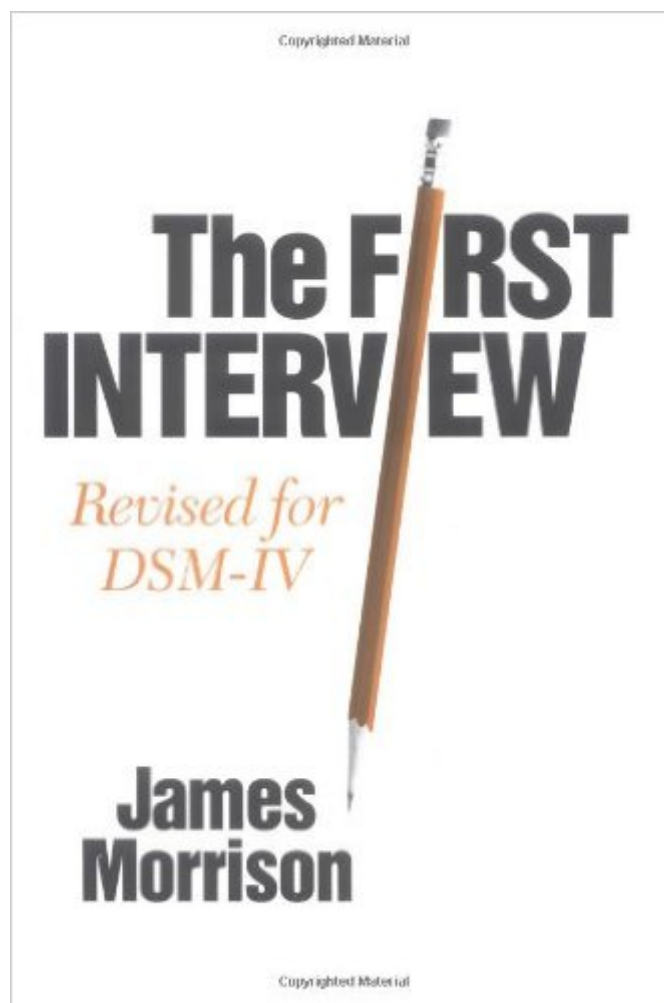


The book was found

The First Interview: Revised For DSM-IV



Synopsis

Designed for students in all mental health disciplines and for professionals who wish to hone their skills, this user-friendly, jargon-free text clearly shows how to conduct a successful diagnostic interview. The book covers a broad range of personalities and problems, offering fresh insight on how to elicit key information from even the most challenging patient. Focusing on both content and process, it details what should be asked and describes the best methods for posing clinical questions. Many illustrative clinical vignettes enliven the presentation throughout. Appendixes feature a sample interview and written report, abbreviated DSM-IV diagnoses for easy reference, and more.

Book Information

Hardcover: 317 pages

Publisher: The Guilford Press; Revised edition (November 18, 1994)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0898625696

ISBN-13: 978-0898625691

Product Dimensions: 9.3 x 6.2 x 1.2 inches

Shipping Weight: 1.4 pounds

Average Customer Review: 4.4 out of 5 stars [See all reviews](#) (35 customer reviews)

Best Sellers Rank: #587,585 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #300 in [Books > Health, Fitness & Dieting > Psychology & Counseling > Reference](#) #306 in [Books > Medical Books > Psychology > Reference](#) #941 in [Books > Medical Books > Psychology > Mental Illness](#)

Customer Reviews

A wonderful book! I have an MA in Psychology (and a PhD in an unrelated field) and have been working in emergency psychiatric evaluations for two years now. This is the one most helpful book that I have found on the question: How do I talk to a person for one hour and know what's going on with them psychiatrically? What I like about it: a) It guides you through the phases of an interview: opening; developing rapport; finding out the client's/patient's chief concern; enquiring about necessary background information, such as psychiatric, social, medical history; current mental status; closure. In what order to cover these topics, which questions to ask, how to ask them, how to pace the interview. b) It fills you in on the main diagnostic signs and symptoms of the major psychiatric disorders. (If you know them already, it is a great refresher.) c) There is a chapter about how to write the diagnosis, such as "diagnostic hierarchies" in case of more than one applicable

diagnosis or when there is a number of possible diagnoses you are not sure about. [This will also help you read other people's diagnosis better.] Then a chapter about recommendations and prognoses.d) Two chapters are about dealing with resistance and in other ways difficult clients.e) It is written for a student who learns to do psychiatric interviewing. [The title, "The first interview" is indeed a double entendre, referring to the first interview of a patient/client *and* to your, the reader's, first interview(s).] Thus, it talks about the interviewer's problem with himself/herself, one's own insecurities, feelings, shame, and the techniques available to manage the interviewing relationship itself (such as, e.g., keeping boundaries without appearing callous).

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Conducting the Programmer Job Interview: The IT Manager Guide with Java, J2EE, C, C++, UNIX, PHP and Oracle interview questions! (IT Job Interview series) The First Interview: Revised for DSM-IV DSM-5 Insanely Simplified: Unlocking the Spectrums within DSM-5 and ICD-10 De los Trastornos Generalizados del Desarrollo al Trastorno del Espectro Autista: Los cambios del DSM-IV al DSM-V (Spanish Edition) Fundamentals (Clinical Interview Using Dsm-IV) Cracking Coding Interview like a Pro: A 10-Day Interview Course JavaScript OO Interview Questions: JavaScript OO Interview Questions Adobe ColdFusion Interview Questions You'll Most Likely Be Asked (Job Interview Questions Series Book 1) Cracking Digital VLSI Verification Interview: Interview Success Jorge Luis Borges: The Last Interview: and Other Conversations (The Last Interview Series) The Medical Interview: Mastering Skills for Clinical Practice (Medical Interview) Essential Skills in Family Therapy: From the First Interview to Termination, 2nd Edition The First Interview, Fourth Edition What Your First Grader Needs to Know (Revised and Updated): Fundamentals of a Good First-Grade Education (Core Knowledge Series) Disruptive Mood Dysregulation Disorder (DMDD), ADHD and the Bipolar Child Under DSM-5: A Concise Guide for Parents and Professionals Principles of Trauma Therapy: A Guide to Symptoms, Evaluation, and Treatment (DSM-5 Update) Developing Person Through Childhood & Adolescence with Updates on DSM-5 DSM-5® Made Easy: The Clinician's Guide to Diagnosis The Addiction Treatment Planner: Includes DSM-5 Updates DSM-5 Clinical Cases

[Dmca](#)