

MENTAL ILLNESS

PREVALENCE OF MENTAL ILLNESS



Affects 1 in 5 Australians every year

Prevalence decreases with age, highest for 18-24 years of age



EXPERIENCE OF DISORDERS OVER 12 MONTHS



IMPACT OF MENTAL ILLNESS

3rd leading cause of disability burden



65% of people with a mental illness do not access treatment

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