## Anger Management Simplified: Trileptal and a Two-Minute Speech

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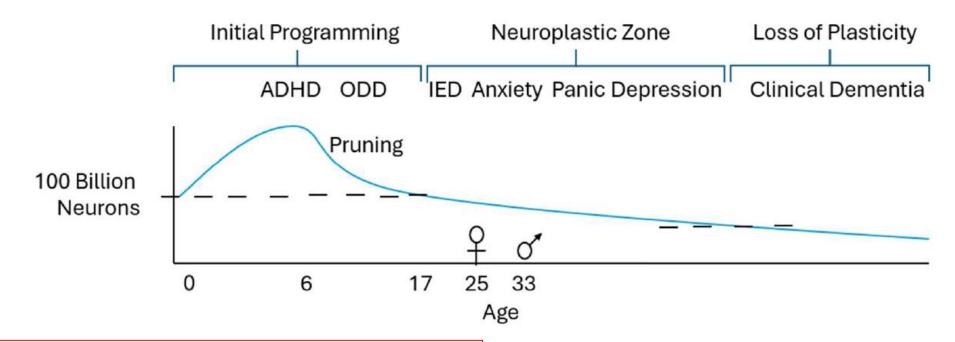


## Intermittent Explosive Disorder

- Intermittent Explosive Disorder (IED) is an official diagnosis for an anger control problem. It is characterized by impulsive, unexpected anger and aggression that is disproportionate to the situation. The diagnosis code is F63.81 in the *International Classification of Diseases*, Tenth Revision.
- From the outside, the world sees an angry person, but they are often riddled with guilt about their behavior.
- If unable to modify the personality and self-care to accommodate for IED, these people burn all their bridges and wind up totally alone.
- They need to Mindshift.



## Psychotherapy Mirrors Neurodevelopment



<u>Digital Dementia</u>, by Manfred Spitzer

(in 30+ languages except English)

https://www.goodreads.com/book/show/17820247-demencia-digital



## Trileptal (oxcarbazepine)

- Most places I've worked require generic medications, so I rarely wrote brand-name Trileptal prescriptions.
- Tegretol (carbamazepine)
- Lamictal (lamotrigine)
- Lithium
- Depakote (has a chance of making it worse).
- · Keppra (levetiracetam) is often used for seizures but can worsen anger.

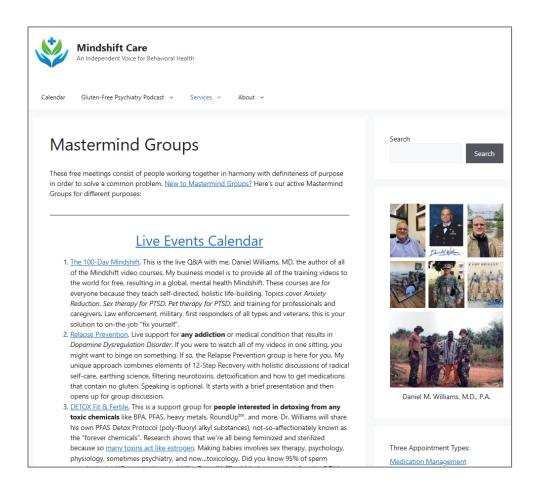


## The Two-Minute Speech

- "When a threat is perceived, adrenaline triggers an uncontrollable reaction.
- Intermittent explosive disorder is a hard-wired anger reaction, almost always originating from PTSD. This is why traditional cognitive approaches to anger management are often inadequate.
- It is exactly the opposite of a trained operator or martial artist. However, if the brain is exposed to <u>enough toxicity</u>, a veteran will slowly lose their brain's ability to inhibit.
- A mood-stabilizer is a "10 second fuse". It will let you notice the feeling without impulsively acting on it.
- Walk away from the anger-provoking situation the first 5 times you get mad, so you can learn how the medication will help you go calm yourself down. Then, practice talking through your problems knowing you can now walk away if you need to, so eventually you won't have to feel like a doormat."



## Multiple ways to connect:





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- Relapse Prevention
- Anxiety Reduction
- Pet Therapy for PTSD
- Sex Therapy for PTSD
- Psychotherapy for PTSD

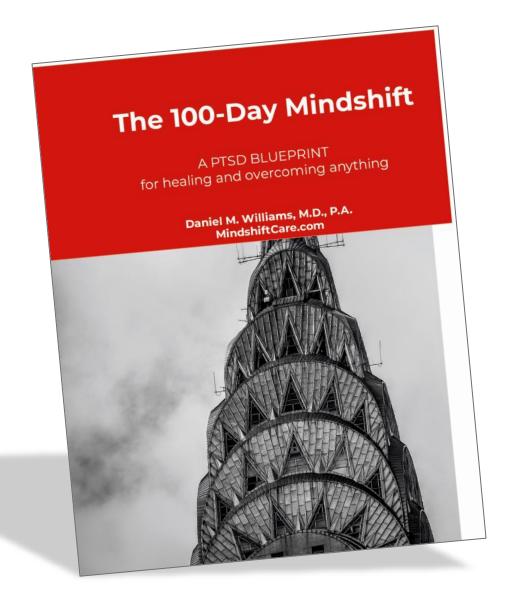
## Core Curriculum: How to Mindshift

Mindshifting is the simultaneous changing of neural networks and harmonic emotional frequencies at will. This course intuitively guides you to forcefully recreate physical, mental, spiritual, and emotional balance. Benefits include improved mental perseverance, problem-solving skills, and

## Mindshift; noun, verb. Definition:

- 1) To therapeutically change the active firing of neural networks, mental intention, and harmonic frequencies simultaneously.
- 2) To upgrade knowledge rapidly. For example, scheduling a date night to watch ground-breaking mental health documentaries so your family can grow together. (If your significant other won't cooperate, see if they're interested in Pet Therapy or <u>Sex Therapy</u> videos. You're welcome.)
- 3) Advanced problem solving.
- 4) Urban Dictionary 11/4/2011 "A shift in your mindset caused by creating something out of a fine balance between insights and innovation, leading to a MindShift. A MindShifter is one who professes such change." (I guess I'm a Mindshifter, then. Are you? Do you want to become a Mindshifter with me?)





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