

Unit 6 Lesson 2

Specialized Medical Conditions

Vocabulary

Definition

1. AD Alzheimer's Disease	disease of the brain that destroys brain cells that control intellectual and social function
2. anxious	worried about something
3. antidepressants	medication used to treat depression
4. apathy	the feeling of not being interested in something
5. clumsy	moving in an awkward way and making things fall over
6. conflicts	a situation in which different people want different things
7. depression	mental health problem that cause a feeling of sadness and prevents you from living a normal life
8. delusion	a false belief
9. disability	a physical or mental condition that makes it difficult for someone to use a part of their body properly, or to learn normally
10. disruptive	causing problems and preventing something from continuing in its usual way
11. Down's syndrome	a condition that someone is born with, that stops them from developing in a normal way, both mentally and physically
12. hallucination	seeing, hearing, feeling something that is not real
13. non-communicative	not able to talk easily to other people
14. paranoid	suffering from a mental illness that makes you believe that other people are trying to harm you
15. stimulation	something that encourages or helps an activity to develop or begin
16. suspicious	feeling that you do not trust someone or something

17. special needs	needs that someone has because they have mental or physical problems:
18. stages	one of the parts that something like a process is divided into