To properly prepare for the test that includes this chapter you should study the material in the book and in lecture that would allow you to do the following:

1. Describe the criteria used to determine if someone is exhibiting abnormal behavior and/or in need of some kind of intervention.
2. Describe the common myths related to mental illness.
3. Describe the DSM and how it is used to diagnose mental disorders.
4. Describe the major types of anxiety disorders and their typical causes.
5. Describe the major types of mood disorders and their typical causes. Describe the differences between male and female rates of mood disorders, including possible reasons for the differences.
6. Describe the major types of dissociative disorders and their typical causes. Describe the controversy associated with dissociative identity disorder.
7. Describe schizophrenia (including the various types) and its typical causes. Describe what is meant by positive and negative symptoms.
8. Describe antisocial personality disorder and borderline personality disorder and their possible causes.