Record Nr. UNINA9910337521503321 Critical Psychiatry: Controversies and Clinical Implications / / edited by **Titolo** Sandra Steingard Pubbl/distr/stampa Cham:,: Springer International Publishing:,: Imprint: Springer,, 2019 **ISBN** 3-030-02732-5 Edizione [1st ed. 2019.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (230 pages) Disciplina 616.89001 Soggetti **Psychiatry** General practice (Medicine) **Pediatrics** Geriatrics Medical jurisprudence General Practice / Family Medicine Geriatrics/Gerontology Forensic Medicine Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Review of Critical Psychiatry -- Critical Review of the DSM -- The Nota di contenuto Influence of Pharmaceutical Companies and Navigating Conflicts of Interests -- Drug Action: A Critical Perspective -- Guidelines to Careful Prescribing: A Proposal for Selective Use -- De-prescribing: Principles and Practice -- Critical Review of Coercion -- Recovery Oriented Psychiatry -- Listening to Those with Lived Experience -- Collaborating with Peers. This book is a guide for psychiatrists struggling to incorporate Sommario/riassunto transformational strategies into their clinical work. The book begins with an overview of the concept of critical psychiatry before focusing its analytic lens on the DSM diagnostic system, the influence of the pharmaceutical industry, the crucial distinction between drug-centered and disease-centered approaches to pharmacotherapy, the concept of "de-prescribing," coercion in psychiatric practice, and a range of other

issues that constitute the targets of contemporary critiques of

psychiatric theory and practice. Written by experts in each topic, this is the first book to explicate what has come to be called critical psychiatry from an unbiased and clinically relevant perspective. Critical Psychiatry is an excellent, practical resource for clinicians seeking a solid foundation in the contemporary controversies within the field. General and forensic psychiatrists; family physicians, internists, and pediatricians who treat psychiatric patients; and mental health clinicians outside of medicine will all benefit from its conceptual insights and concrete advice.