Record Nr. UNINA9910877171303321 Families and mental disorders : from burden to empowerment / / **Titolo** edited by Norman Sartorius ... [et al.] Pubbl/distr/stampa New Jersey, : Wiley, c2005 **ISBN** 1-280-27567-7 9786610275670 0-470-02471-2 0-470-02383-X Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (311 p.) Collana World Psychiatric Association;; v.5 Altri autori (Persone) SartoriusN Disciplina 362.2/042 Soggetti Mentally ill - Family relationships Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese Formato Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto Families and Mental Disorders; Contents; List of Contributors; Preface; Chapter 1 Families of People with Schizophrenia: Chapter 2 Families of People with Dementia; Chapter 3 Families of People with Major Depression; Chapter 4 Families of People with Bipolar Disorder; Chapter 5 Families of People with a Severe Anxiety Disorder; Chapter 6 Families of People with an Eating Disorder; Chapter 7 Families of Children with a Mental Disorder; Chapter 8 Families of People with Drug Abuse; Chapter 9 The Role of Family Organizations in Mental Health Care Chapter 10 Research on Burden and Coping Strategies in Families of People with Mental Disorders: Problems and PerspectivesChapter 11 Research on Family Interventions for Mental Disorders: Problems and Perspectives; Chapter 12 From Burden to Empowerment: The Journey of Family Caregivers in India; Index According to the World Health Organization's World Health Report Sommario/riassunto 2001, one family in four worldwide has at least one member currently suffering from a mental disorder. This disorder often remains undiagnosed and untreated, but the behaviour of the ill person usually has a significant impact on the quality of life of the family and on the mental health of the other members of the family, and generates

feelings of shame, guilt, helplessness and despair. This book provides

a comprehensive picture of currently available evidence about the specific characteristics of the burden on the families of