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Updated information about seminars, workshops, and lectures that Dr. Stephen W. Porges, Ph.D, will be conducting worldwide Benzodiazepine withdrawal syndrome—often abbreviated to benzo withdrawal—is the cluster of symptoms that emerge when a person who has been taking benzodiazepines, either medically or recreationally, and has developed a physical dependence, undergoes dosage reduction or discontinuation. Development of physical dependence and the resulting withdrawal symptoms, some of which may last for years ... Buspirone, sold under the brand name Buspar among others, is a medication primarily used to treat anxiety disorders particularly general anxiety disorder. Benefits support its short term use. It is not useful for psychosis. It is taken by mouth, and it may take up to four weeks for an effect. Common side effects include nausea, headaches, dizziness, and trouble concentrating. Stress is classically defined as a condition that seriously perturbs the physiological and psychological balance of an individual (Tables 1 and 2). Stress-related psychopathologies such as major depressive disorder (MDD), anxiety, conduct disorders, and posttraumatic stress disorder (PTSD) perturb behavioral, cognitive, and social domains and exacerbate one's reactivity to stressful events.