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### Program Description

In this case-based CME activity, an expert on the diagnosis and management of bipolar disorder, schizophrenia, and schizoaffective disorder reviews the application of evidence-based best practices to real-world examples of these disorders.

### Educational Objectives

**Upon completion of this activity, participants should be better able to:**

- Properly identify typical symptoms accompanying bipolar disorder (BPD), schizophrenia, and schizoaffective disorder
- Distinguish between signs and symptoms of BPD, schizophrenia, and schizoaffective disorder
- Know the role of psychoeducational approaches in increasing insight and improving adherence in patients with BPD, schizophrenia, or schizoaffective disorder

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