

Best Conditions  
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Here's an interesting thought, it may even sound strange: What's the best mental illness/condition and why? Let's find out!

### Schizophrenia

Pros: I'm sure people suffering from schizophrenia will say there are no pros of it, but come on... there are pros to everything right? This will take a bit of effort and creativity, but I can do this. Ok, put it this way: Many people risk their lives and freedom trying out hallucinogens. Psychotic people don't have to. Sure hallucinations of the mentally ill are rarely if ever fun, but at least you don't have to be curious. Curiosity has gotten me in tons of trouble, ranging from small inconveniences (e.g. entering an attic and getting stung by bees) to ruined days (e.g. ordering a large pizza with honey on it. Maybe deep down, I had a desire to get some kind of revenge on the insects). On another note, it will sound arrogant, but what's so bad about delusions of grandeur, really? (Apart from when you get treated and find out you're not really Superman/Batman, etc. Bummer).

Cons: First up, hallucinations is a very obvious one, despite what I just said. But it doesn't end there. In fact, the whole list of cons would take up a few pages and it wouldn't be funny unless you're a particularly cruel person.

### Bipolar disorder:

Pros: The obvious one is a sense of euphoria. Sure you may do destructive things whilst manic such as gamble all your money away or even throw it all in a bin because you decide you don't need the stuff to be happy, but what if you're with a supportive friend who can keep you under control? You'll be safe and your chum will be around someone who is fun in the extreme. We all like to be around fun people, right? But that's just my opinion. Please note I never got the job working at the local mental institution and many will see why. True story.

Cons: Depression's a con, right? Right?

### Depression:

Pros: How about an extreme sense of relaxation? It's also culturally more acceptable than schizophrenia, which is unfair. Fortunately people like me are ending the stigma.

Cons: Unfortunately the sense of relaxation can go a bit too far and you may become obsessed with your bed and stay in it all day. Nice and comfy, but there is more to life than being comfy, right?

Anxiety:

Pros: Think of the extra energy you have. :O It's also pretty good if you're interested in losing weight. Personally, I prefer going to the gym, but not everyone has access to one.

Cons: I don't like this one as much as depression. It's also harder to sleep off. It's not as bad as schizophrenia, but again, I don't care for it. Note how I'm not writing so much here. That's because it's not my area of expertise. I'm more of an A level student here, as opposed to a master. Yep, that's how I view the situation. :D

Obsessive Compulsive Disorder

Pros: People with OCD are obviously far better at getting a thorough job done. They just can't seem to finish the thing.

Cons: Flippin' annoying. You will also look mad to people if you keep repeating the same actions over and over. Your 'just being thorough' defence may or may not work depending on your overall appearance, but in my case, it doesn't.

Attention Deficit Disorder

Pros: Errr... Oh look at that! That's interesting...

Cons: If you want to do well at school, this one is not so good. However, an argument could be made that boring train journeys can be more tolerable if you have the condition, because you're in your own world. Then again, most have access to the internet almost constantly to keep them entertained, so sadly people with ADD are a little screwed.

PTSD:

Pros: Saying there are pros to having PTSD would be sick.

Cons: All cons.

Ok, that's it from me. Hopefully I haven't been offensive, but please note I suffer from a wide range of conditions myself so that makes it all ok. That's how it works. Bye!