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Description:

Deviant Behavior challenges students' own biases and preconceptions.

This best-selling text offers comprehensive coverage of all aspects of deviance and is noted for its blend of style and substance. *Deviant Behavior* covers a wide spectrum of theories of deviance, and analyzes numerous specific deviant behaviors. The author uses an abundance of research data, including many that debunk our common assumptions about deviant behavior. Students are exposed to the full range of theories and data about deviance, and are challenged to think about and evaluate their own biases and preconceptions.

Learning Goals

Upon completing this book, readers will be able to:

- Analyze numerous types of deviant behavior.
- Challenge their own biases and preconceptions on deviant behavior.
- Make connections between behavioral theories and concrete deviances.
- Develop new ways of seeing and understanding chapter material through critical thinking questions.

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Deviant behavior is any behavior that is contrary to the dominant norms of society . There are many different theories on what causes a person to perform deviant behavior, including biological explanations, sociological explanations , as well as psychological explanations. Psychological approaches to deviance all have some key things in common. First, the individual is the primary unit of analysis . Deviant Behavior. Social disorganization. BIBLIOGRAPHY. Both "deviant behavior" and "social disorganization" have been variously defined, but there have been few efforts to distinguish between the two concepts. In fact, it has been suggested that they are not different, that along with "social problems" and the somewhat outmoded "social pathology," they signify only a potpourri of Deviant behavior may refer to. Deviance (sociology), actions or behaviors that violate social norms. Deviant Behavior (journal), an interdisciplinary journal which focuses on social deviance. Deviant Behavior (book), a textbook by American sociologist Erich Goode. Deviant behavior is behavior that deviates from the most common, generally accepted, as well as established norms and standards. Deviant, negative behavior is eliminated by applying certain formal as well as informal sanctions (treatment, isolation, correction, punishment of the offender). The problem of deviant behavior has been a central problem of riveted attention since the advent of sociology. Sociology is not evaluative in judgments about deviation. Deviant behavior is conduct that deviates from the societal norm. By this definition alone, deviance is neither good nor bad, but must be evaluated on a case-by-case basis. Such behavior may be described as "different," or "unexpected," and may elicit positive or negative responses from other people. Deviant behavior that becomes popularized, or seen as normal, is how societies change or revolutionize over time.