What is weird????? Who and what Defines What is ABNORMAL??

Use your own brilliant mind in conjunction with the Kognity text and other resources you have available to answer the following questions designed to help frame your understanding of NORMAL vs. ABNORMAL.

1. How would **you** define a psychological disorder?
2. How does the text define **psychological disorders**?
3. What is the difference between **deviant** and **dysfunctional?**
4. List some *deviant* behaviors or personality traits that are NOT dysfunctional.
5. What role do you think culture plays in the definition of deviant or even dysfunctional behavior? List 2 behaviors that are considered “**normal”** in one culture but **“abnormal”** or deviant in another.
6. Remind yourselves again what the BIOPSYCHOSOCIAL approach to psychological phenomenon is, then **do your best** to apply it to the psychological disorder of **depression or ADHD.**
7. Why do psychologists desire to **classify** psychological disorders? What purpose does it serve?
8. What is the official “manual” for classifying psychological disorders?
9. What are the dangers of classification?