Personality and Impulse Control Disorders

Mind Map of Essential Knowledge (Vocabulary and Concepts):

Personality Disorders

- **Types**
  - Marked by odd or eccentric traits
  - Marked by dramatic, emotional, or erratic traits
  - Marked by anxious or fearful traits

- **Paranoid**
- **Schizoid**
- **Schizotypal**
  - **Antisocial**
  - **Borderline**
  - **Histrionic**
  - **Narcissistic**

- **Problems with Classification**
  - Undetermined Reliability and Validity
  - Problems Distinguishing Axis I from Axis II Disorders
  - Overlap Among Disorders
  - Difficulty in Distinguishing Between Variations in Normal Behavior and Abnormal Behavior
  - Sexist Biases
  - Confusing Labels with Explanations

- **Perspectives/ Treatments**
  - **Perspectives**
    - Psychodynamic: early parent relationships, self-psychology, identity development, separation-individuation
    - Learning: deficits in learning, poor modeling
    - Family Perspectives: disturbances in relationships
    - Biological: Genetic factors, emotional unresponsiveness, craving for stimulation, brain abnormalities
    - Sociocultural
  - **Treatments:**
    - Psychodynamic
    - Behavioral
    - Biological

Impulse Control Disorders

- **Kleptomania**
- **Intermittent Explosive Disorder**
- **Pyromania**