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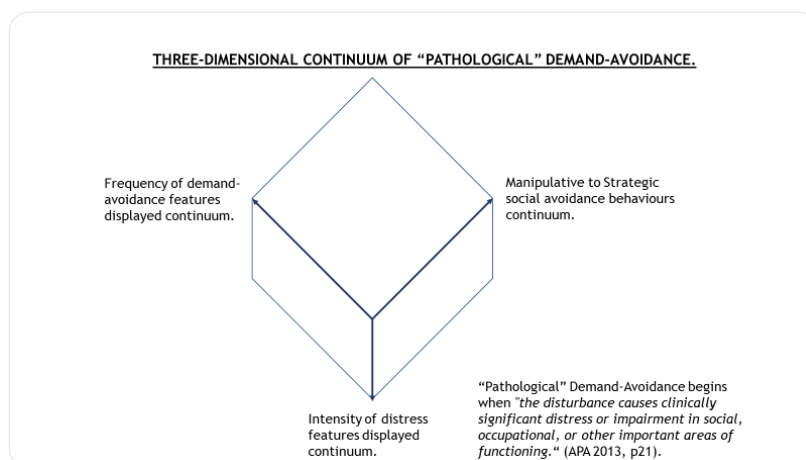
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[@milton_damian](#) A comments I made to [@Palaceedd](#). Even "strategic" avoidance behaviours imply behaviour is done with intent. As a strategy is something done on a big - large scale as part of a plan, i.e., done knowingly by choice. So "strategic" is equivalent to "manipulative"!

Sigh, perhaps there is something about "PDA Profile of ASD" narrative which is not complete & utter nonsense!

I am taking issue with narrative around "PDA Profile of ASD". Not the distress & difficulties people are reporting around PDA, that I am 100% sympathetic towards.

Some of you might be aware of this diagram of mine showing a 3D model of PDA entirely of its demand-avoidance features.

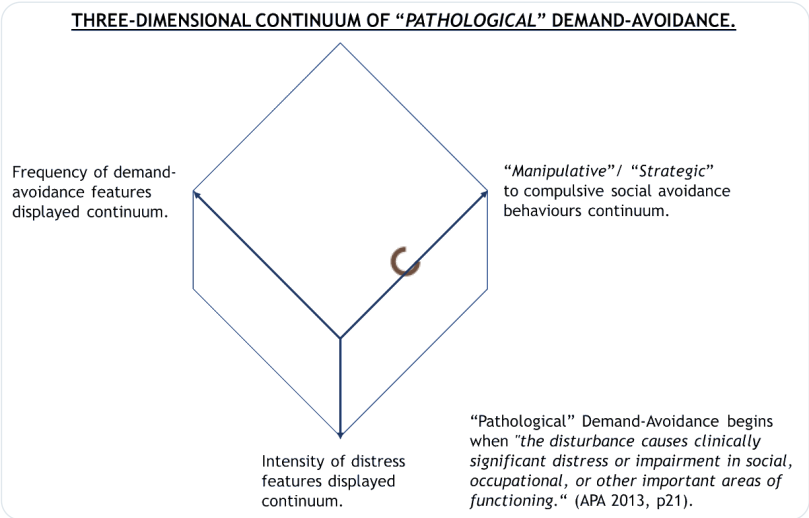


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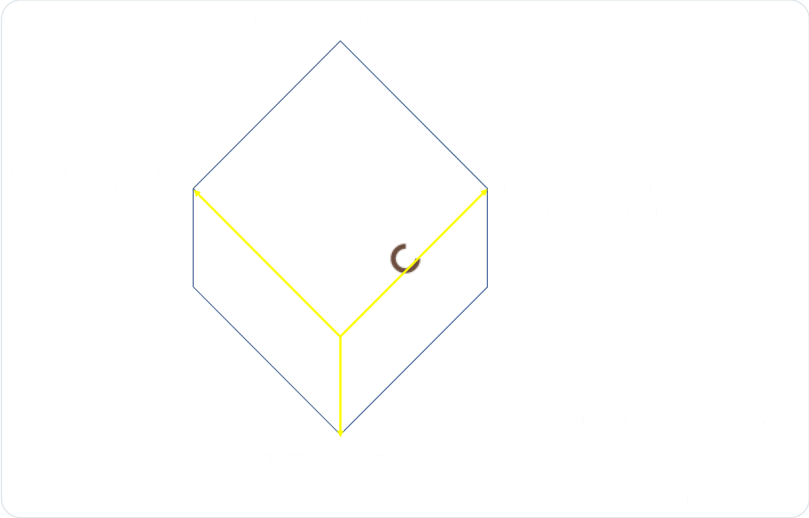
"Manipulative to Strategic social avoidance behaviours continuum." axis label to
 "'Manipulative' / 'Strategic' to compulsive social avoidance behaviours continuum."

Due to how "strategic" is equivalent to "manipulative" behaviour. Presently using "compulsive" to describe the social demand behaviours which tend to expressed when highly aroused due to stress. I am open to a different descriptor if anyone has any better suggestions?

Present version of the diagram with its revised wording.



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[@threadreaderapp](#) Please could you unroll?

Thank you in advance.

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