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### **Schizophrenia beyond psychosis**

Schizophrenia's rich phenomenology is hardly captured by current diagnostic criteria, narrowly focused on the psychotic experiences. Patients suffer with voices and delusions, but also with poor motivation, blunted emotions, stereotypic behaviour and metabolic complications, among others. Disentangling how much is the illness itself or iatrogenically caused has been the focus on my research over the last few years at the Clozapine clinic in Cambridge (UK). In this talk, I will explore factors associated with the onset of psychiatric and non psychiatric co-morbidity in chronic schizophrenia, as well as how to treat them. Finally, I will aim to link these findings with the novel psychiatric phenomenological paradigms that are fast emerging.

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