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Propositions to accompany the dissertation

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1. Inter-individual differences exist among children with ADHD in adjustment to the disorder (this thesis).
2. A third of all children with ADHD have developed depressive problems by late adolescence (this thesis).
3. Not only a full diagnosis of ADHD, but subthreshold ADHD too poses a significant risk for the development of depression (this thesis).
4. The development of disruptive behaviours is a stronger risk marker of future depressive problems than the development of anxiety disorders or peer problems, for both boys and girls with ADHD (this thesis).
5. Cognitive and family functioning improves over time in individuals with ADHD, but these improvements are hampered by the development of additional depressive problems (this thesis).
6. Rather than constituting a separate disorder type, the ADHD-depression association represents a comorbid condition (this thesis).
7. In future, definitions of ADHD may incorporate ‘disorder stages’, classifying affected individuals as mild, moderate or severe depending on the number and severity of negative sequelae (this thesis).

8. Regular clinical evaluations of negative sequelae, especially during transitions from childhood into adolescence or into adulthood, are important to prevent the development of depression (this thesis).
9. The most optimum route to prevent the development of depression is the timely treatment of ADHD symptoms to remission (this thesis).
10. A good cure for outgroup homogeneity is travel.
11. We often fail to acknowledge just how fortunate we are.
12. I am so clever that sometimes I don't understand a single word of what I am saying
(Oscar Wilde).

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