

# 7.2 Theoretical Perspectives on Deviance

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### 1. 7.2 Theoretical Perspectives on Deviance Questions

#### 4.1.1. A student wakes up late and realizes her sociology exam starts in f...

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A student wakes up late and realizes her sociology exam starts in five minutes. She jumps into her car and speeds down the road, where she is pulled over by a police officer. The student explains that she is running late, and the officer lets her off with a warning. The student's actions are an example of \_\_\_\_\_.

Please choose only one answer:

- primary deviance
- positive deviance
- secondary deviance
- master deviance

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#### 4.1.2. According to C. Wright Mills, which of the following people is most...

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According to C. Wright Mills, which of the following people is most likely to be a member of the power elite?

Please choose only one answer:

- A war veteran
- A senator
- A professor
- A mechanic

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### 4.1.3. According to social disorganization theory, crime is most likely to...

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According to social disorganization theory, crime is most likely to occur where?

Please choose only one answer:

- A community where neighbors don't know each other very well
- A neighborhood with mostly elderly citizens
- A city with a large minority population
- A college campus with students who are very competitive

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4.1.4. Shaw and McKay found that crime is linked primarily to \_\_\_\_\_.

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Shaw and McKay found that crime is linked primarily to \_\_\_\_\_.

Please choose only one answer:

- power
- master status
- family values
- wealth

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#### 4.1.5. According to the concept of the power elite, why would a celebrity ...

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According to the concept of the power elite, why would a celebrity such as Charlie Sheen commit a crime?

Please choose only one answer:

- Because his parents committed similar crimes
- Because his fame protects him from retribution
- Because his fame disconnects him from society
- Because he is challenging socially accepted norms

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#### 4.1.6. A convicted sexual offender is released on parole and arrested two ...

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A convicted sexual offender is released on parole and arrested two weeks later for repeated sexual crimes. How would labeling theory explain this?

Please choose only one answer:

- The offender has been labeled deviant by society and has accepted a new master status.
- The offender has returned to his old neighborhood and so reestablished his former habits.
- The offender has lost the social bonds he made in prison and feels disconnected from society.
- The offender is poor and responding to the different cultural values that exist in his community.

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4.1.7. \_\_\_\_\_ deviance is a violation of norms that \_\_\_\_\_ result in a pers...

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\_\_\_\_\_ deviance is a violation of norms that \_\_\_\_\_ result in a person being labeled a deviant.

Please choose only one answer:

- Secondary; does not
- Negative; does
- Primary; does not
- Primary; may or may not

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