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## 15 Excellent Discussion Questions for NSDA Support Group Meetings

- 1. What have you learned about yourself since being diagnosed with SD?
- 2. Do you usually tell people about your SD? In what context?
- 3. Does having SD limit your communication by phone? If so, how do you deal with it?
- 4. What are three pieces of advice you would give to those new to SD?
- 5. Fill in the blank: "Living with SD is like....."
- 6. Have you ever used journaling to get out frustration and feelings associated with SD? Does it help?
- 7. Have you read any of the books about SD? If so, what was your impression? Did they help?
- 8. If you could trade your SD for another medical condition or disability, would you? What would that be?
- 9. Is there any occupation where SD would be a benefit or wouldn't matter very much?
- 10. Do you think any famous and notable people in history had disabilities, SD or otherwise? Did their conditions hold them back?
- 11. What is one positive thing about having SD?
- 12. Is it easier to cope with SD now than it was when you were first diagnosed? Harder? The same? Why?
- 13. What bothers you most about having SD?
- 14. Has having SD changed your personality? If so, in what way?
- 15. Who in your life has been the most supportive of your struggle with SD? How have they helped you?