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| Optional/General comments | Functional tics are not mentioned in the paragraph on characteristics of tic disorders.  It should also be added that the choice of therapy is often determined by the presence and nature of co-occurring disorders.  With regard to DBS, it should be added that in the paediatric patient group it is still a method reserved for drug-resistant cases and those not amenable to other non-pharmacological methods, with a rigorous procedure to qualify for the procedure. |  |

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