



Addiction is a chronic, but treatable, brain disorder. In this case the disorder is caused by gambling and people who are addicted want to wager because their brain lost control.

What is addiction?

Which are the reasons behind the addiction?

The following risk factors are involved in developing addictions: **Genetics, environment, abuse, emotional disorder, substance and low frustration tolerance**

Addiction to gambling is a problem: let you be helped!

Which are the effects of addiction?

A gambling addiction is a compulsion and the end result can be devastating for the gambler as well as his family. There are economics effects (bankruptcy and large use of credit cards) and social effects (children of gambling addicts are often verbally, physically and mentally abused).

How to help a compulsive gambler?

You can help a compulsive gambler by getting them to acknowledge the problem, seek treatment, make lifestyle changes and supporting them.

