

Table 2: Key Alternate Diagnostic Contenders

1) True Loss of Consciousness

- Epileptic Seizure (a primary electrical disturbance of the brain)
- Head trauma (concussion, a traumatic brain injury)
- Intoxication due to substance abuse (toxic brain injury)

2) Without True Loss of Consciousness

- Pseudosyncope (pseudoseizure)
- Narcolepsy / Cataplexy
- Malingering