

Chapter 11: The Workings of the Unconscious Mind: Defenses and Slips

Objectives

- ▶ Discuss anxiety
- ▶ Discuss defense mechanisms and how they are used to deal with anxiety
- ▶ Discuss slips and humor
- ▶ Evaluate Freud's contribution to psychology

Anxiety

- ▶ Anxiety from psychic conflict
 - We usually do not know what is causing the anxiety