



How to Stop Being Codependent

This worksheet will help you sort through 11 signs of codependency (put together by Julia Kristina) so that you can identify which behaviors you are either willing to change or willing to accept in both you and the other party.

Sign #1 - You feel responsible for solving the other person's problems.

- Does this describe: You -or- Other Party -or- Neither
- Write down a specific example of this behavior.
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Sign #2 - You find it almost impossible to say no to the other person, and you feel extreme guilt if you do.

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Sign #3 - You've become resentful because the other person doesn't recognize how much you are giving up for them.

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Sign #4 - You need to feel in control all of the time.

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Sign #5 - You have a hard time identifying your own needs and feelings because they have become so linked to the other person's needs and feelings.

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Sign #6 - You have a hard time trusting yourself because you have lost your own opinions.

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Sign #7 - You worry that the other person will give up on you if you mess up so you expect perfection from yourself.

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Sign #8 - You value your self-worth based on your ability to save or fix the other person.

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Sign #9 - To hold on to the relationship, you compromise your wants and needs and conform to what the other person needs you to be.

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Sign #10 - You will do almost anything to make the other person feel better even if it puts your health or safety at risk.

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Sign #11- You've come to believe that the other person cannot live without you.

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