Signs of Loneliness

Loneliness is the emotional experience of feeling isolated or disconnected from others. While occasional loneliness is a normal part of life, persistent loneliness can cause emotional distress and harm mental health and overall well-being. Identifying signs like social withdrawal or mood changes is essential for individuals and their loved ones to intervene early and prevent further impact.



Emotional signs

Discomfort being alone
Increased worry
Feeling inadequate
Growing bitterness
Lack of motivation

Social signs

Isolated
Struggling socially
Feeling excluded
Constant need to talk
Pushed out of groups
Arguing more with
loved ones

Physical signs and behaviors

Trouble sleeping well
Physical distress
Relying on distractions
Hoarding possessions
Overeating unhealthy food