

Signs of Addiction



When addictive behavior impacts your client's trust fund or financial security, your role as an advisor or trustee takes on new risks, complexities and obligations.

What should you do?
What can you do?

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Physical Signs

- Complains of fatigue / needs more sleep
- Unusual energy / hyperactive
- Concerned about sleeplessness / insomnia
- Weight loss or gain
- Unexplained bruises, scrapes, scratches
- Uncoordinated or clumsy
- Frequently see doctors relative to health needs
- Unusual number of medical expenses

Interests

- Changes in interests & activities they enjoy
- No longer participate in recreational pursuits / events
- Lost motivation to pursue business, academics, interests
- Diminished travel
- Dropping out of school
- No longer participate in philanthropic / charitable events
- Abdicate responsibilities
- Lose interest in family & business matters

Relationships

- Changes in circle of friends
- Loaning or giving money to unknown people
- Become estranged from family members
- Family or board meetings usually contentious

Spending

- Spending more money than in the past
- Money spent without evidence of tangible benefit
- Evasive or become angry when asked about spending

Mood

- Personality changes / mood swings
- Irritable or seem euphoric
- Depressed or anxious
- Erratic behavior
- Difficulty concentrating
- Seem confused or flustered
- Difficulty remembering things

Secrecy

- Defensiveness
- Evasive or reluctant to talk about whereabouts
- Disappear without leaving contact information
- Unexplained absences

