

Cyber Sex Addiction Checklist

The cyber Sex addiction Checklist is a set of questions to help you see your sexual activity more clearly. It is an assessment of sexually compulsive or addictive behavior. A high number of YES answers may be a sign of some issues with sex addiction. After using this questionnaire, please consult a trained professional to discuss these issues further.

- 1. Spending increasing amounts of online time focused on sexual or romantic intrigue or involvement.
- 2. Involvement in multiple romantic or sexual affairs in chat rooms, Internet or BBS.
- 3. Not considering online sexual or romantic "affairs" to be a possible violation of spousal/partnership commitments.
- 4. Failed attempts to cut back on frequency of online or Internet sexual and romantic involvement or interaction.
- 5. On line use interferes with work (tired or late due to previous nights' use, online while at work, etc.).
- 6. Online use interferes with primary relationships (e.g., minimizing or lying to partners about online activities, spending less time with family or partners).
- 7. Intense engagement in collecting Internet pornography.
- 8. Engaging in fantasy online acts or experiences which would be illegal if carried out (e.g., rape, child molestation).
- 9. Decreased social or family interactive time due to online fantasy involvements.
- 10. Being secretive or lying about amount of time spent online or type of sexual/romantic fantasy activities carried out online.
- 11. Engaging with sexual or romantic partners met online, while also involved in marital or other primary relationship.
- 12. Increasing complaints and concern from family or friends about the amount of time spent on line.
- 13. Frequently becoming angry or extremely irritable when asked to give up online involvement to engage with partners, family or friends.
- 14. Primary focus of sexual or romantic life becomes increasingly related to computer activity (including pornographic DD-ROM use).

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