

The Effect of Trauma on Emotions Session 2 Handout

Which of These Are True for You?

Difficulty knowing what you feel	Feel that emotions control you
Difficulty labeling or naming your feelings	Feel numb
Difficulty expressing or talking about feelings	Think that feelings make you vulnerable
Get easily overwhelmed by your feelings (positive or negative)	Feel angry at others when you feel vulnerable
Fear of emotions; think of having	Can't expressing feelings to others
feelings as unsafe Try to avoid or get rid of feelings	Feel angry at yourself when you have feelings
Difficulty coping in healthy ways	Others?

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