

Examples of Emotions That Fit the Facts

Fear	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. There is a threat to your life or that of someone you care about.2. There is a threat to your health or that of someone you care about.3. There is a threat to your well-being or that of someone you care about.4. Other: _____
Anger	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. An important goal is blocked or a desired activity is interrupted or prevented.2. You or someone you care about is attacked or hurt by others.3. You or someone you care about is insulted or threatened by others.4. The integrity or status of your social group is offended or threatened.5. Other: _____
Disgust	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Something you are in contact with could poison or contaminate you.2. Somebody whom you deeply dislike is touching you or someone you care about.3. You are around a person or group whose behavior or thinking could seriously damage or harmfully influence you or the group you are part of.4. Other: _____
Envy	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Another person or group gets or has things you don't have that you want or need.2. Other: _____
Jealousy	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. A very important and desired relationship or object in your life is in danger of being damaged or lost.2. Someone is threatening to take a valued relationship or object away from you.3. Other: _____
Love	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Loving a person, animal, or object enhances quality of life for you or for those you care about.2. Loving a person, animal, or object increases your chances of attaining your own personal goals.3. Other: _____
Sadness	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. You have lost something or someone permanently.2. Things are not the way you wanted or expected and hoped them to be.3. Other: _____
Shame	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. You will be rejected by a person or group you care about if characteristics of yourself or of your behavior are made public.2. Other: _____
Guilt	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Your own behavior violates your own values or moral code.2. Other: _____

Intensity and duration of an emotion are justified by:

1. How likely it is that the expected outcomes will occur.
2. How great and/or important the outcomes are.
3. How effective the emotion is in your life now.