



# Mental Health / Emotional Wellbeing Apps

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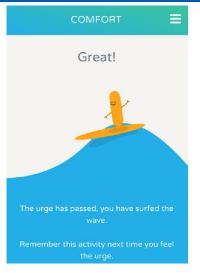
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#### Calm Harm





"There are friendly characters throughout the app which looks very friendly; you can also suggest activities that will help others!"

Calm Harm is a free app available on all mobile devices and is private and password protected. Calm Harm provides tasks that encourage you to distract yourself from the urge of self harm. It can help you manage your thoughts in a more positive way.

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#### Cove





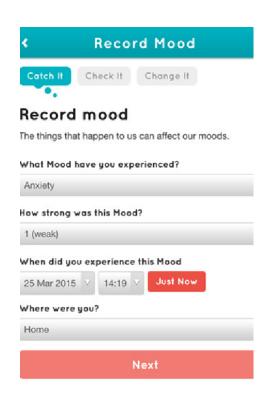
Cove is a free app accessible on the app store or Google Play. Distract yourself by creating music to capture your mood and express how you feel with the Cove app. Instead of words, create music to reflect emotions like joy, sadness, calm and anger.

"Cove is almost like an audio mood tracker as you create music based on your mood or emotions that day."





### Catch It



Catch it is an app which can help 'track' your mood. It can be useful for anyone wanting to understand their moods. Catch It is available on all mobile devices. The app uses three simple steps to record your mood. It also uses principles of CBT (Cognitive Behavioural Therapy) to help you change the way you think and feel about things.

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### Chill Panda

"It can sometimes feel it's for younger children, but it's still fun. I like how it links physical feeling to emotions e.g. measuring heart rate."



Chill Panda is a free app for children and young people who may want to learn how to manage stress and worries. It uses the camera to measure your heart rate and practice breathing techniques as well as 'POGA' (Panda Yoga). This app is available on all devices.

#### **Eternal Sunshine**



"I love this app. If you're having a particularly bad day it's just nice to look down at your phone and see something positive."

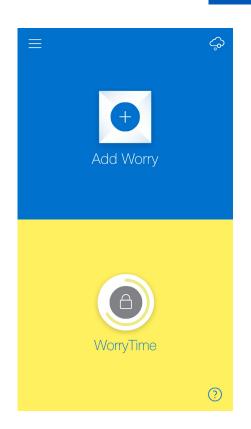
Eternal Sunshine is a Free app but it is only available on IOS devices. This app include daily notifications of positive quotes, daily inspiration and inspirational podcasts.

### SAM App

The SAM app has been developed by University of the West of England, Bristol. The SAM App is a free app which can help you to understand what causes your anxiety, monitor your anxious thoughts and behaviour over time and manage your anxiety through self-help exercises and private reflection.

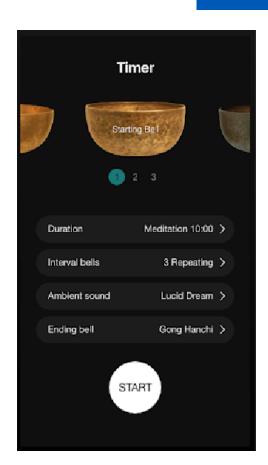


## **Worry Time**



Worry Time is a free app that is based on a cognitive behavioural therapy (CBT) technique. It allows you to schedule 'worry time' to reduce constant worries that may be taking up a large part of your day. The app also allows you to set a password to keep your thoughts private.

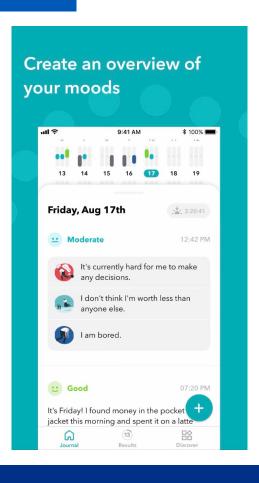
## Insight Timer



The basic package for Insight Timer is free. Insight Timer allows you to listen to guided meditation or music tracks and also allows you to time your own sessions, track your statistics and set reminders to meditate.

### Moodpath

Moodpath is a free app available on iPhone's with iOS 12.0 or later. This app gives you the ability to assess your mental health, track and reflect on any changes and improve certain areas such as sleep, by learning different techniques.

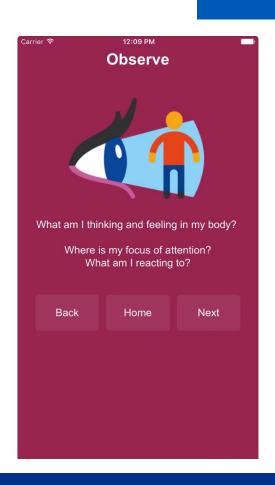


### Kids' Skills

Kids Skills is a free app available on the app store and on Google Play. This was developed by Dr Ben Furman and his team to help children and young people overcome problems and difficulties by finding solutions and learning skills along the way. This can also be helpful for parents and professionals.



### STOPP



STOPP is a free app available on the app store and Google play. This app can support you in stopping cycles of low mood and anxiety, and other behaviours such as worry, self-harm and avoiding situations. It uses CBT (Cognitive Behavioural Therapy) techniques to make changes in how you think, feel, act and your emotions.

#### Mindful Gnats



Mindful Gnats is a free app designed to help young people learn mindfulness and relaxation skills. There are different games and techniques to learn and this app is available to iPhone and Android phones.

### Worry Tree

Worry Tree is an app designed to help record, manage and problem solve worries and related anxieties by using a CBT (cognitive behavioral therapy) approach. This is a free app available on the apple and android app store.



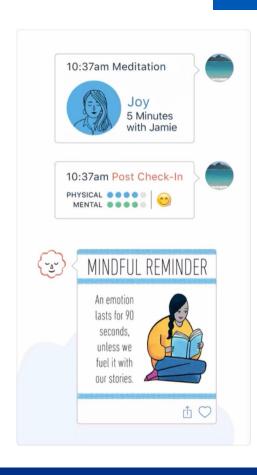
#### MindShift CBT

MindShift CBT is an app which uses CBT (cognitive behavioral therapy) principles to help manage anxiety and worry by learning how to relax, mindfulness and develop effective ways of thinking. This app can also be helpful to manage phobias and panic too. This is a free app available on iPhone and Androids.



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#### Stop, Breathe, Think



Stop, Breathe, Think is a friendly app designed to support you in learning ways of meditation and relaxation. You are able to customize this app to make it more personal for your own needs making it accessible for all. This is a free app available on iPhone's and Androids.

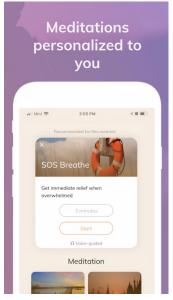
### Dailyo





Dailyo is a well known app which lets you create a journal of how you feel each day and the activities you have been doing. This can be a helpful therapeutic tool which could be used alongside professional support. This is a free app available on Android and iPhone's.

#### Youper



"Youper is a sleek, attractive looking mood tracking app that really makes you stop and think about what you are feeling and build a picture of what causes the emotional response. It uses an AI which can sometimes feels a little awkward when it asks you questions such as using premium features, but also helps make the app really clear and simple to use."

Youper is an app designed by scientists and engineers, which uses AI (artificial intelligence) to personalise the app to suit your needs. This app can be helpful for anxiety and depression, and helping you reformulate your thoughts and worries. This is a free app available on both iPhone and Android.

#### Relax Melodies



"Relax Melodies has really helped me when I would usually have a sleepless night by giving me relaxing music I can fall asleep to".

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Relax Melodies is a free app available on the app store and on Google Play, with in app purchases. With over 100+ sounds to listen to, this app helps to assist with sleep, meditation and relaxation, giving you the chance to make your own music and melodies.

#### **CBT Thought Diary**



CBT Thought Diary can be used separate or alongside therapy as a useful way of tracking your thoughts, feelings, emotions and behaviours of the day. Based on CBT (cognitive behavioural therapy) principles, this app helps you to track your emotions and thought patterns enabling you to reflect and challenge these. This is a free app available on the app store and google play.



## ThinkNinja

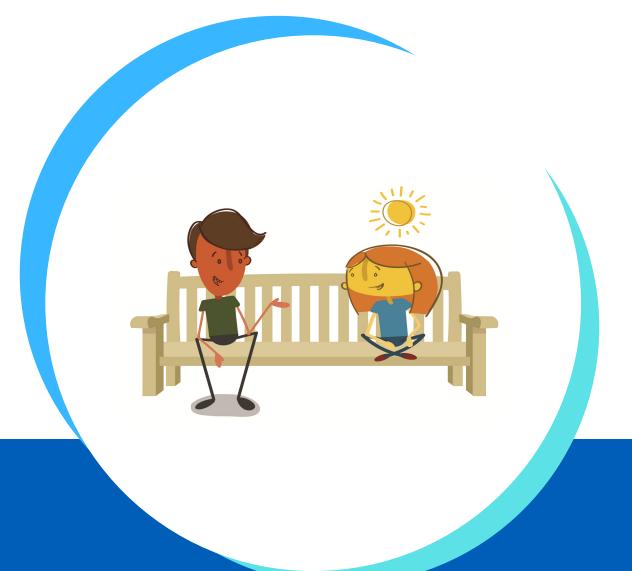


ThinkNinja is designed for children and young people aged 10-18, to help learn about Mental Health and their Emotional Wellbeing. This app can also help you to learn skills to cope with life stressors when feeling low or anxious, with the help of a personal aid, the Wise Ninja.



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Do you have any apps that you use and you think other young people would find helpful? If so, please tell us more at: <a href="mailto:lpft.CAMHSinvolvement@nhs.net">lpft.CAMHSinvolvement@nhs.net</a>