# Managing Perimenopause and Menopause at Work

Here's a list of common symptoms and what can actually help.



Whether you're in perimenopause or menopause, these changes can affect your energy, focus, confidence, and overall well-being, especially at work. This guide breaks down common symptoms and offers practical ways to manage them, so you can feel more supported, informed, and in control.



**Brain Fog & Forgetfulness Try This:** Minimize distractions, plan tasks ahead, and give yourself grace.



**Confidence Dips & Low Mood Try This:** Celebrate small wins, do things that bring you joy.



Hot Flashes Try This: Dress in layers, keep cool water nearby, and use a fan.

Sleep Disruptions Try This: Set a calming evening routine and keep your space cool.

## **Tracking Symptoms Can Help**

Logging what you're feeling gives you (and your provider or manager) clarity.



# Anxiety & Panic

**Try This:** Practice breathing exercises and take walking breaks.



## Aches & Joint Pain

**Try This:** Gentle stretching, nutrientrich foods, and movement breaks.



#### **Migraines or Headaches**

**Try This:** Limit screen time, reduce sugar/caffeine, and ask for a break.



#### **Feeling Burnt Out**

**Try This:** Take real breaks, ask for support, and ask for adjustments.

### You Deserve Support

Perimenopause and menopause are natural, not a personal failure. Speak up and ask for support.

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