## **BUILDING RESILIENCE**

#### My five

HAND OUT

Some challenges last for a long time. When facing a difficult situation, it is best to have a range of coping strategies. Strategies which are useful in one situation may not be useful in another.

- ➔ Visit a favourite person
- → Party/socialise
- ➔ Play computer games
- Prioritise (put the most important things first)
- → Have a shower
- -> Go for a run
- → Talk it over
- → Ask for help
- → Work harder
- Meditate
- Think positively about how things will turn out

- → Watch television
- 🔿 Go out
- ➔ Listen to music
- → Exercise
- → Joke or laugh
- Problem-solve
- → Set goals
- See a counsellor
- ➔ Write about it
- Go shopping
- → Call friends
- → Walk the dog
- → Go for a ride

Developing Emotional Awareness and Listening



## **BUILDING RESILIENCE**

My five (cont...)

### **STRESSFUL SITUATION:**

# My five: 1. 2. 3. 4.

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#### My five:

Coping strategies

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