## **Empowered Health Consciousness Worksheet**

Health Consciousness is an ongoing process of choosing a healthy alternative when stressed. It is noticing the triggers and being present to what is happening. This fillable worksheet guides you to create a positive statement to build health consciousness through five steps. Either select statements by clicking or write responses. Step 5 integrates your responses into the final statement. Please read that statement out loud and practice it daily.

STEP 1 - Identify the Trigger  Reflect on the past 24 hours. Which of the following "triggers" caused you to weaken in your health consciousness (reactivity, tuned out, zoned out, lost presence)?	STEP 4 - Commit to a Specific Action to Support Well-Being Below are examples of different healthy alternatives. Select at least one that you will do in the next 24 hours. Reflect on the trigger above in Step 1. Select one that will help prevent or address the trigger.
Pain Distracted Too Much Work Anxiety Weight Concern React to Media Tension Too Much Caffeine Negative Thought Drowsiness Too Much Sugar/Fat Self - Abuse Fatigue Too Much Alcohol Relationship(s)	Read, Journal Exercise, Walk Hobby, Play Cook/Bake Read, Music Problem Solve Pray, Meditate Connect with Friend Communicate, Listen Volunteer, Kindness Set Healthy Boundaries Rest, Essential Oils Massage, Yoga Water, Nourish Seek, Get Help
STEP 2 - Contemplate & Invigorate Your Resources  From the two categories below, select ALL those you can right now feel you can get in touch with.	STEP 5 - Integrate and Center (Read Aloud)  "Today, I choose to stand above and outside the triggers that happen in my life.  I have (read all the item(s) checked in STEP 2):
O Self-awareness: I attend to my health       O Physical Strength         O Self-responsibility: I take care of my health       O Intellectual Strength         O Health motivation: I want to be healthy       O Emotional Calm         O Information effort: I get needed information       O Social Support	
Consumer awareness: I discern what's best  Mind-body practice: I have a daily practice  Spirituality	"If and when I choose a less effective action (reflect on your response to STEP 3):
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STEP 3 - Risks and Benefits of Choosing a Less Effective Behavior In response to the trigger(s) identified in Step 1, have you taken any "less effective" action? For example, ignoring, avoiding, stomaching, tolerating, unprescribed Rx use; unhealthy unwinding with drugs, alcohol, shopping, eating, medial phone, television; self-shame; victim; drama; rage; collapse; wall off; hide.  Not At All  A Little  Some A Lot  O  If you Selected "A Little", "Some", or "A Lot" please write in the risks and the	"I respond by being kind and compassionate to myself. It is all good as I am growing in health consciousness daily. In fact, I now commit to (read the items checked in STEP 4).
benefits of choosing the less effective action:	"I truly enjoy waking up to my own well-being. I like taking corrective action. I value staying conscious. I readily embrace ongoing healthy lifestyle change. And, in all of this, play my part as a responsible human being. My own health behaviors have a positive ripple effect. Knowing this, I am filled with energy, motivation, and compassion in my avaiting well-bear inverse."