# Support for Employees Experiencing Emotional Reactions during Change<sup>1</sup>

#### Preparing yourself to deal with employees who are feeling distress:

Why Other People's Emotional Responses Impact Us

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/mmhm/pdf/articles/Why Other Peoples Emoti onal Responses Impact Us.pdf

Taking Responsibility for Your Reactions and Feelings

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/mmhm/pdf/articles/Taking Responsibility for Your Reactions and Feelings.pdf

**Exercise: Emotional Triggers** 

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/mmhm/pdf/exercises/Emotional Triggers.pdf

## Supporting employees who are feeling distress:

Responding to Emotionally Distressed Workers

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/mmhm/pdf/articles/Responding to Emotionall y Distressed Workers.pdf

Exercise: Awareness of Other People's Emotions

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/mmhm/pdf/exercises/Awareness of Other Pe oples Emotions.pdf

Different Approaches for Different Emotions

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/mmhm/pdf/articles/Different Approaches for Different Emotions.pdf

Exercise: Practicing Non-Judgmental Interpretations

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/mmhm/pdf/exercises/Practicing\_Non\_Judgmental\_Interpretations.pdf

The Power of Empathic Questions

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/mmhm/pdf/articles/The Power of Empathic Q uestions.pdf

## Team building activities during times of change:

Reacting to Change

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/pdf/exercises/Reacting\_to\_Change.pdf

Acknowledging Strengths

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/pdf/exercises/Acknowledging Strengths.pdf

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Resources from Great-West Life Centre for Mental Health in the Workplace available at: https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/

Acknowledging our Accomplishments

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/pdf/exercises/Acknowledging Our Accomplish ments.pdf

**Dealing with Disappointment** 

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/pdf/exercises/Dealing with Disappointment.pdf

**Dealing with Worry** 

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/pdf/exercises/Dealing with Worry.pdf

### Individuals managing their emotions during times of change:

Exercise: Using Self-Talk to Overcome Barriers

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/mmhm/pdf/exercises/Using Self Talk to Overcome Barriers.pdf

Exercise: The Emotional Impact of Automatic Thoughts

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/pdf/exercises/The Emotional Impact of Automatic Thoughts.pdf

Helping troubled co-workers

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/pdf/Helping troubled coworkers.pdf

**Exercise: Emotional Contagion** 

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/pdf/exercises/Emotional Contagion.pdf

Exercise: Understanding Basic Human Needs

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/pdf/exercises/Understanding Basic Human Needs.pdf

**Exercise: Expressing Emotions Constructively** 

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/pdf/exercises/Expressing Emotions Constructively.pdf

**Expressing Anger Appropriately** 

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/mmhm/pdf/articles/Expressing Anger Appropriately.pdf

Exercise: Examining Emotionally-Driven Decision-Making

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/pdf/exercises/Examining Emotionally Driven D ecision Making.pdf

Stress Reduction and the Power of Thought

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/pdf/articles/Stress\_Reduction\_and\_the\_Power\_of\_Thought.pdf

**Healthy Break Activities** 

https://www.workplacestrategiesformentalhealth.com/employee-resources/healthy-break-activities