Receiving a Bid - Practice worksheet

Practice reflecting a partner's stated feeling and checking accuracy before giving advice.

Adults; supported use as appropriate | 15 minutes

Fictional example: Alex says a difficult commute left them wanting a welcoming moment.

Use an ordinary or fictional example, with a clinician when appropriate. Receiving can begin with accurate acknowledgment rather than immediate fixing.

Practice task

Practice reflecting a partner's stated feeling and checking accuracy before giving advice.

1. My chosen or fictional situation, and what I know about it:

2. My response to the practice task above:

3. What acknowledgment matches what was actually said?

4. An optional next step, support, adaptation, or reason to stop:

Scope and adaptation

Joint exercises require private safety assessment, voluntary participation, and appropriate EFT training. Do not invite joint vulnerability, enactments, or disclosure where coercion, violence, fear, or retaliation may be present. Use individual support and appropriate referrals instead. This collection concerns attachment-based Emotionally Focused Therapy, not tapping or Emotional Freedom Techniques.

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