Values Conversation Cards - Practice worksheet

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Adults; supported use as appropriate | 15 minutes

Fictional example: A group discusses different meanings of responsibility in an ordinary scheduling dilemma.

Use an ordinary or fictional example, with a clinician when appropriate. A group can explore differences without ranking people's values.

Practice task

Use fictional situations to compare possible valued directions and invite participants to pass or redefine the terms.

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

2. My response to the practice task above:

3. How can different answers expand understanding rather than create a contest?

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

Scope and adaptation

Values are personally chosen directions, not moral rankings or evidence of worth. Recognize structural barriers, disability access, and culturally varied meanings. Do not turn willingness into exposure to danger, excuse coercion, or prescribe one life path. These original exercises do not constitute a complete ACT protocol.

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