

EMOTION REGULATION HANDOUT 1



(Emotion Regulation Worksheet 1)

Goals of Emotion Regulation

UNDERSTAND AND NAME YOUR OWN EMOTIONS

- ☐ Identify (observe and describe) your emotions.
- ☐ Know what emotions do for you.
- ☐ Other: _____

DECREASE THE FREQUENCY OF UNWANTED EMOTIONS

- ☐ Stop unwanted emotions from starting in the first place.
- ☐ Change unwanted emotions once they start.
- ☐ Other: _____

DECREASE EMOTIONAL VULNERABILITY

- ☐ Decrease vulnerability to emotion mind.
- ☐ Increase resilience, your ability to cope with difficult things and positive emotions.
- ☐ Other: _____

DECREASE EMOTIONAL SUFFERING

- ☐ Reduce suffering when painful emotions overcome you.
- ☐ Manage extreme emotions so that you don't make things worse.
- ☐ Other: _____