## **PROBLEM ORIENTATION CHECKLIST**

	Not currently a problem. Does not interfere in my life at all. 1	Rarely a problem. Does not interfere much when it is present. 2	Not sure. I would need some advice to evaluate whether it is a problem. 3	Somewhat of a problem. Interferes with my life some days. 4	Definitely a problem. Interferes with my life most days.
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1) Feeling down and					
depressed.					
2) Loss of interest,					
pleasure or					
motivation.					
3) Easily fatigued.					
4) Decrease in					
attention,					
concentration or					
memory. 5) Feeling worthless					
or like a failure.					
6) Insomnia (sleeping					
less than usual) or					
hypersomnia					
(sleeping more than					
usual).					
7) Crying or feeling					
like crying but you					
cannot.					
8) Significant weight					
gain or weight loss.					
9) Currently facing a					
difficult stressor in					
your life.					
10) Feeling angry,					
irritated easily or					
agitated.					
11) Thoughts of					
suicide.					
12) Increase or					
decrease in your					
appetite.					
13) Racing thoughts					
in your head that you					
cannot stop.					
14) Feeling					
excessively on top of					
the world or a					
persistently elevated					
mood.					
15) Engaging in risky behaviours that put					
yourself or others at					
risk.					
16) Excessively					
talkative or feeling					
pressure to keep					
talking.					
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17) Engaging in vast			
projects that require			
excessive energy or			
commitment.			
18) Problems at work			
or in relationships			
due to consuming			
drugs, prescription			
medication or alcohol.			
19) Difficulty getting			
along with others			
(e.g. friends, family,			
co-workers).			
20) Aches and pains.			
21) Fear of being ill or			
having a disease.			
22) Fear of dying,			
going crazy or losing			
control.	 		
23) Feelings of			
choking, shortness of			
breath or dizziness.			
24) Feeling like things			
are not real or feeling			
detached from			
yourself. 25) Fear or avoidance			
of situations, places			
or people.			
26) Suspicious of			
other peoples'			
motives.			
24) Recurrent			
thoughts or images			
that bother you.			
25) Repetitive			
behaviour that you			
cannot stop (e.g.			
checking, washing,			
counting, ordering)			
26) Feel like you are			
reliving past traumatic			
experiences.			
27) Always on your	 	 	
guard or easily			
startled.			
28) Have difficulty			
not worrying			
throughout the day.	 	 	
29) Physically and			
emotionally			
exhausted at the end			
of the day.			
30) Feeling tense and			
having difficulty			
relaxing.			