

Back-Up Plans

Things don't always go to plan, and when they don't this creates loss of control and uncertainty. This resource is something which would be useful to create *with* your loved ones or clincian, to increase their sense of control and predictability when everything gets out of control! Make the situations individual to your needs. This is also a good exercise to do when things go wrong, looking for alternate plans of action for next time.

Example 1:	Example 2:
e.g. There is no more Heinz Soup in the shop	e.g. The next-door neighbour is mowing their grass at lunch time
Back-Up plan: e.g. Switch for another meal this week; Switch to 'safe meal' back-up; always have two spare cans in the cupboard.	Back-up plan: e.g. Have some earplugs stored away; use headphones and listen to white noise.
Situation 1:	Situation 2:
Back-up plan:	Back-up plan:









Situation 3:	Situation 4:
Back-Up plan:	Back-up plan:
Situation 5:	Situation 6:
Back-Up plan:	Back-Up plan:







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