Thought Record Sheet – 7 column

Situation / Trigger	Feelings Emotions – (Rate 0 – 100%) Body sensations	Unhelpful Thoughts / Images	Facts that support the unhelpful thought	Facts that provide evidence against the unhelpful thought	Alternative, more realistic and balanced perspective	Outcome Re-rate emotion
Call from Dr to say to stay on meds for another month.	Sad 90%	"People are watching me" 80% "I thought I was doing so well" 90%		I have made good progress in my therapy I just had a blip, but I know I am making progress. The negative thoughts I have are not actually facts The Dr wants me to	I have been doing well and I recognise that therapy takes time to put into practice and that's ok"	Embarrassed 80% Scared 60% Anxious 50% Sad 70% Re-rate belief-
	sweating felt sick could not breath shaking stuttering	deadpool was next to making me laugh		get the full benefit of the medication, to help my mental health.		
	What emotion did I feel at that time? What else? How intense was it?	What went through my mind? What disturbed me? What did those houghts/images/memories mean to me, or say about me or the situation? What am I responding to?		What facts do I have that the unhelpful thought/s	STOPP! Take a breath What would someone else say about this situation? What's the bigger picture? Is there another way of seeing it? What advice would I give someone else?	What am I feeling now? (0-100%) What could I do differently? What would be more effective? Do what works! Act wisely.
What happened? Where? When? Who with? How?	What did I notice in my body? Where did I feel it?	What 'button' is this pressing for me? What would be the worst thing about that, or that could happen?	What are the facts? What facts do I have that the unhelpful thought/s are totally true?	are NOT totally true? Is it possible that this is opinion, rather than fact? What have others said about this?	Is my reaction in proportion to the actual event? Is this really as important as it seems?	What will be most helpful for me or the situation? What will the consequences be?