5 Point Scale for Anxiety

Sometimes I am in a situation that makes me feel anxious or uncomfortable. I can use the 5 Point Scale to help me express how I am feeling. I can look at my 5 Point Scale for ideas of what I can do to reduce my anxiety and help me feel more comfortable.

| | | How I feel | What I can do |
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| 5 | (0 | I am extremely anxious! | I need someone to help me. I need to leave or find a quiet dark place to sit down and do some deep breathing. |
| 4 | | I am very anxious. | I need to take a 15-minute break. I need to step outside and breathe some fresh air. I need to get a drink of water. |
| 3 | 100 | l'm uncomfortable. | I need to take a short break. It's time for a drink of water. I may need to go to the restroom. |
| 2 | | I feel OK. | I can keep doing what I'm doing. I may want to break a short break in a little bit. |
| 1 | | I feel great! | I can keep doing what I'm doing. |