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## **Values and Priorities List**

Below is a list of values and priorities. Consider which areas are important to you at this point in time. This may be the same or different than your priorities and values before you struggled with OUD. Do take care to indicate which areas are <u>important</u> to you, not just which you think are possible for you (what may seem possible can be influenced by substance use, anxiety, depression, and PTSD). *Check the overall values headings and any of the individual priorities that may apply.* 

A.	Attend to Relationships:
	1. Repair old relationships
	2. Reach out for new relationships
	3. Work on current relationships
	4. End destructive relationships
	5. OTHER:
В.	Be Part of a Group:
_	6. Have close and satisfying relationships with others
	7. Feel a sense of belonging
	8. Receive affection and love
	9. Be involved and intimate with others, have and keep close friends
	10. have a family and stay close and spend time with them
	11. Have people to do things with
	12. OTHER:
C.	Be Powerful and Able to Influence Others:
	13. Have the authority to approve or disapprove of what people do, to control how
	resources are used
	14. Be a leader
	15. Make a great deal of money
	16. Be respected by others
	17. Be seen by others as successful. To become well known. To obtain recognition and
	status.
	18. Compete successfully with others
	19. Be popular and accepted
	20. OTHER:
D.	Achieve Things in Life:
<del></del>	21. Achieve significant goals. Be involved in undertakings I believe personally are significant
	22. Be productive
	23. Work towards goals; work hard
	24. Be ambitious

25. OTHER: \_\_\_\_



E.	Live a Life of Pleasure and Satisfaction:
_	26. Have a good time
	27. Seek fun and things that give pleasure
	28. Have free time
	29. Enjoy the work I do
	30. OTHER:
_ F.	Keep Life Full of Stimulating Events, Relationships and Things:
	31. Try new and different things in life
	32. Be daring and seek adventures
	33. Have an exciting life
	34. OTHER:
G.	Behave Respectfully:
_	35. Be humble and modest, do not draw attention
	36. Follow traditions and customs, behave properly
	37. Do what I am told and follow rules
	38. OTHER:
Н.	Be Self-Directed:
_	39. Follow my own path in life
	40. Be innovative, think new ideas and be creative
	41. Make own decisions and be free
	42. Be independent and take care of myself and those I am responsible for
	43. Have freedom of thought and action. Be able to act in terms of my own priorities
	44. OTHER:
I.	Be a Spiritual Person:
_	45. Make room in life for spirituality; live life according to spiritual principles
	46. Practice a religion or faith
	47. Grow in understanding myself, my personal calling and life's real purpose
	48. Discern and do the will of God (greater power) and find lasting meaning in life
	49. OTHER:
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_ J.	Be Secure:
	50. Live in secure and safe surroundings
	51. Be physically healthy and fit
	52. Have a steady income that meets my own and my family's basic needs
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K.	Recognize the Universal Good of All Things:
_	54. Be fair, treat people equally and provide equal opportunities
	55. Understand different people, be open-minded
	56. Care for nature and environment
	57. OTHER:
L.	Contribute to the Larger Community:
_	58. Help people and those in need; care for others' well-being, improve society
	59. Be loyal to friends and devoted to close people; be committed to a group that shares my beliefs, values, and ethical principles
	60. Be committed to a cause or to a group that has a larger purpose beyond my own
	61. Make sacrifices for others
	62. OTHER:
M.	Work at Self-Development:
-	63. Develop a personal philosophy of life
	64. Learn and do challenging things that help me grow and mature as a human being
	65. OTHER:
N.	Have Integrity:
_	66. Be honest and acknowledge and stand up for my personal beliefs
	67. Be a responsible person, keep my word to others
	68. Be courageous in facing and living life
	69. Be accepting of myself, others, and life as it is, living without resentment
	70 OTHER

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