

How do you feel when you hear that work from home will continue for months?

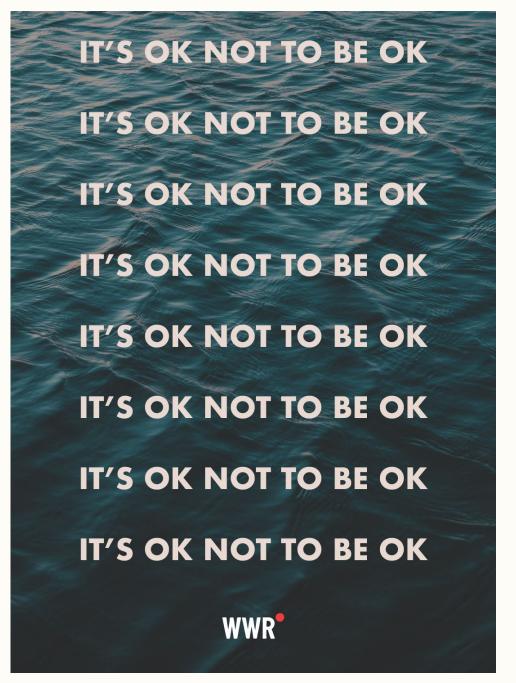
Use the wheel.





### **Pandemic or NOT:**





Source: We Work Remotely

## You gotta nourish to flourish





Be kind to yourself.

Forgive yourself.



# Self-care is how you take your power back.



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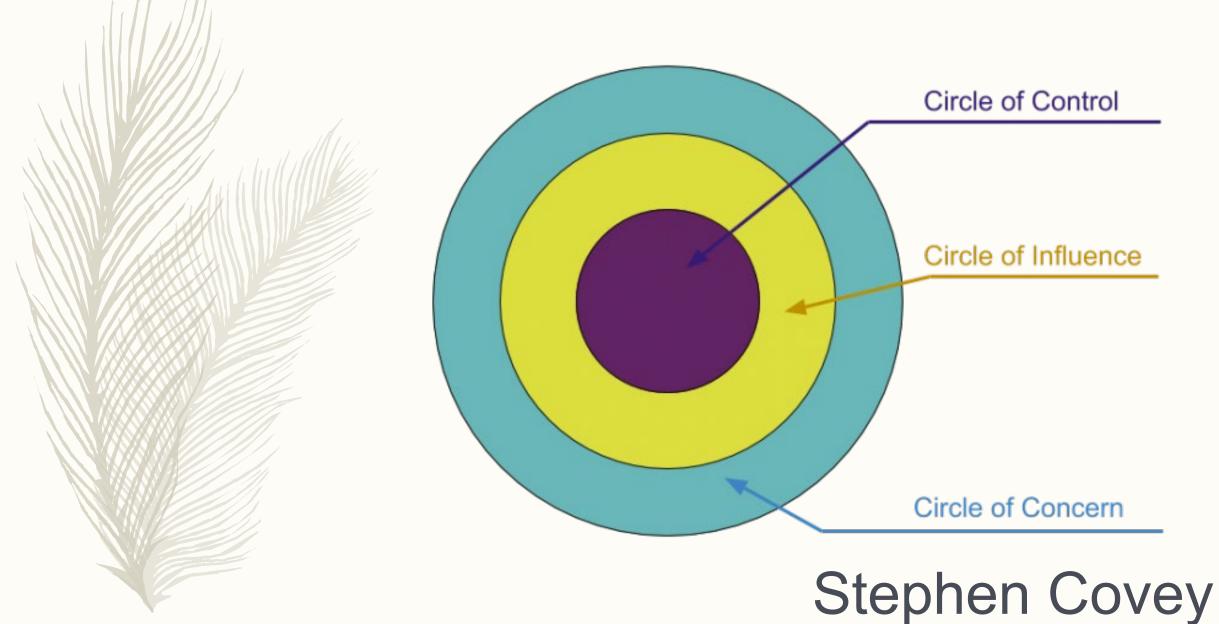
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My self-care may look different than yours or someone else's and that is A-OK. DO YOU.





## Your Circle of Control





## Say it:



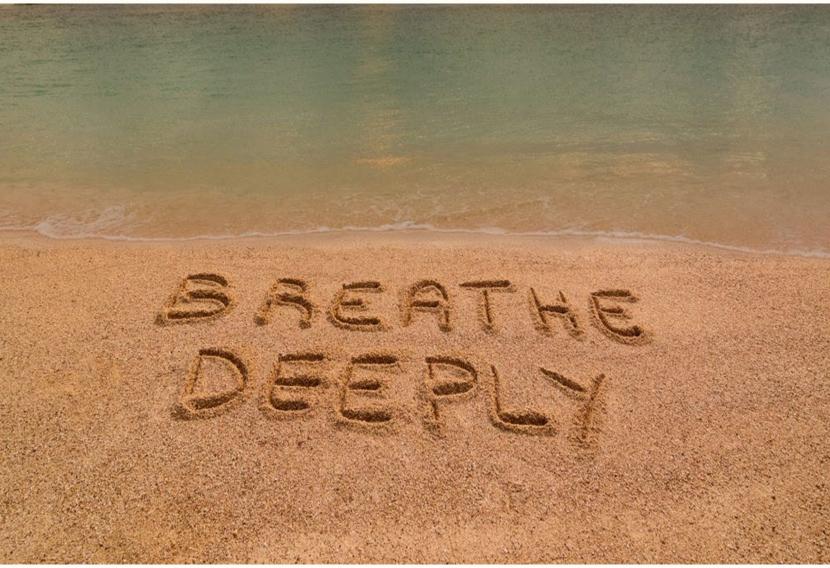


# Check-in with yourself Self awareness and self reflection

☐ Am I eating? What am I eating? When am I eating? ☐ Am I sleeping? Am I sleeping well? How much am I sleeping? ☐ Am I talking about this? **Who** should I talk to? (Spouse, family, friend, colleague, doctor, therapist, everyone, no one) ☐ Am I writing down my feelings? ☐ Why do I feel this way? When do I feel this way? Are there pre-existing conditions influencing my now? (medical, social, other) ☐ New conditions/symptoms? When did this start? ☐ What do I need **right now?** What makes me feel **good**? What can I control? Who can I ask for help? Who is my support system?

## 3,2,1 – Breathe. Grounding Yourself







#### Resources



#### #FLEXGC Trello Board :

- Centre of Expertise on Mental Health in the Workplace (GC)
  - Protect your mental health
  - Get help
    - Community Resources (e.g. Distress Centre / Help Lines)
  - Employee Assistance Program EAP
  - o Going Remote Guide (CSPS Digital Academy busrides.ca)
    - Remote Work, Defined (popular episode)

#### Social Media & Community (not an exhaustive list by any means):

- Yoga with Adriene (YouTube)
- Other interests (Dance, cooking, goodreads)
- Online communities/groups (Facebook, YPN, OTG etc.)
- o Peers/colleagues
- Find (Positive) Influencers (e.g. Jay Shetty, <u>positivelypresent</u>)
- Calm (App) meditation and mindfulness
- Sleep Cycle (App) sleep monitoring/understanding ... sleep better



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