**What is Action?**

A person had made changes to their behaviors or lifestyle within the past six months2

**Core principles + OARS for someone in Action**



* Help them stay on track3
* Support \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_1
	+ Affirmations4
* Consider their support system3

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