Relapse prevention card



Create a relapse prevention card to guide you through the wave of a craving. Carry it with you or have it somewhere visible so you can quickly turn to it when these feelings arise.

We've provided an example below and provided a blank template for you to fill out yourself.

The Four Ds	Distraction Activities
1. Delay	1. Walk the dog
2. Disctract	2. Water the plants
3. Deep-breathing	3. Brush my teeth
4. Decatastrophize	4. Have a hot shower
 Three reasons I want to stay sober 1. I want to be a good parent 2. It saves me \$40 a day 3. I want to have control over my life and health 	Negative Predictions If I drink now, I will feel intense guilt in the morning I will have a hangover and not be present for my children

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