“Wise Mind” Skill

Wise mind uses some input from emotion mind and some input from reasonable mind. It adds intuitive knowing. It focuses on getting things done. It focuses on the experience. It does not judge.

**Emotion Mind**
- We do or say things without thinking
- Facts, reason, and logic are not important
- Automatic Negative Thoughts occur
- Reality may be distorted

**Reasonable Mind**
- Values and feelings are not important
- Knowledge & intellect rule
- We pay attention to the facts, develop plans or solve problems

**Wise Mind**
- We see the value of both reason and emotion
- We bring left and right brain together
- We can consider both emotion & logic
- This is the middle path

**Practice**

**Instructions:** During the week, when situations arise practice the Wise Mind skill, and document the circumstances below.

**Situation 1:**
Describe the situation:

What unpleasant emotion(s) did you have in Emotion Mind?

What thoughts occurred in your Logic Mind?

How did Wise Mind bring both Emotion and Logic Mind together and add intuitive knowing?

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Situation 2:
Describe the situation:

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What unpleasant emotion(s) did you have in Emotion Mind?
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What thoughts occurred in your Logic Mind?
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How did Wise Mind bring both Emotion and Logic Mind together and add intuitive knowing?
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Situation 3:
Describe the situation:

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What unpleasant emotion(s) did you have in Emotion Mind?
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What thoughts occurred in your Logic Mind?
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How did Wise Mind bring both Emotion and Logic Mind together and add intuitive knowing?
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