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Tips for Deep Breathing

- 1. Breathe IN through your nose.
- 2. As you breathe IN, count slowly to 5. Or watch the second-hand on your watch until you get to 5. The key is to breathe in SLOWLY.
- 3. Then breathe OUT through your mouth.
- 4. As you breathe OUT, count slowly to 5. Or watch the second-hand on your watch until you get to 5. Again, the key is to breathe out SLOWLY.
- 5. You want to breathe in and out slowly because that is relaxing. Breathing in and out quickly is not relaxing- in fact, it can make you more anxious! So remember to take slow, deep, soothing breaths.
- 6. Then repeat these steps. Breathe in slowly, then breathe out slowly.
- 7. Take as many deep breaths as you need. The more deep breaths, the calmer you may get.
- 8. Aim to take at least 10 deeps breaths.