

APPENDIX G
Decision Space Worksheet

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Name _____

Decision Space Worksheet (DSW)

The career decision you are considering _____

Please list all thoughts, feelings, circumstances, people, or events that bear on the career decision you are making. Then, for each thought, feeling, circumstance, person, or event, please indicate whether each is having a negative, positive, or neutral impact on your decision by circling the corresponding symbol at the end of each line.

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|-----------|----------|----------|----------|
| 1. _____ | Negative | Neutral | Positive |
| | -- | 0 | + |
| 2. _____ | Negative | Neutral | Positive |
| | -- | 0 | + |
| 3. _____ | Negative | Neutral | Positive |
| | -- | 0 | + |
| 4. _____ | Negative | Neutral | Positive |
| | -- | 0 | + |
| 5. _____ | Negative | Neutral | Positive |
| | -- | 0 | + |
| 6. _____ | Negative | Neutral | Positive |
| | -- | 0 | + |
| 7. _____ | Negative | Neutral | Positive |
| | -- | 0 | + |
| 8. _____ | Negative | Neutral | Positive |
| | -- | 0 | + |
| 9. _____ | Negative | Neutral | Positive |
| | -- | 0 | + |
| 10. _____ | Negative | Neutral | Positive |
| | -- | 0 | + |

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The Decision Space

Directions:

- The large circle below represents the total decision space of your career decision.
- Draw circles within the large circle to represent each item on your list. Use the size of the circles you draw to represent the relative importance of each item to your career decision.
- Be sure to label each circle according to the corresponding item number from the list you made.

