Grounding with Senses DBT Worksheet

Case Study:
Instructions: Grounding exercises are designed to help you stay present and reduce distress by connecting
with your immediate surroundings. Use this worksheet to practice grounding using your senses. Choose one of the grounding techniques below and follow the steps to engage your senses and bring your focus to the present moment.
Technique: Body Scan - Touch Sensation
Sense: Choose one
☐ Sight
Hearing
☐ Touch
□ Smell
☐ Taste
Steps:
Observe
Describe
Describe
Participate
Focus

Acknowledge	
Reflect	
Additional Notes	
Therapist's Notes	