**Administer 1st mood rating** + Driving

Has testing been curtailed because the participant became distressed? Yes/no

**If yes**: Report to supervisor, who will *report to the committee at the conclusion of the study*.

**Ask:** Comments or questions about the study? How is the participant feeling? Is their mood at normal levels?

**Explain:** Our policy is not to send participants away from an experiment feeling unhappy.

**Administer 2nd mood rating**. Had the participant indicated they are unhappy (levels 8-9), anxious (levels 1-2), or despondent (levels 1-2)? Yes/no

**If yes**: is this lower than their 1st mood rating? Yes/no

**If yes**:

(1) Ask the participants how they are feeling, listen with empathy

(2) Take them to the kitchen area, offer magazines and a hot drink

(3) Return after 10-15 minutes and ask the participant to complete the mood scale again.

(4) Arrange to see supervisor. Supervisor will *report to the committee at the conclusion of the study*.

(5) **Administer 3rd mood rating**. Had the participant indicated they are unhappy (levels 8-9), anxious (levels 1-2), or despondent (levels 1-2)? Yes/no

**If yes**: is this lower than their 1st mood rating? Yes/no

**If yes**:

(1) Give participants a copy of the PIS, pointing out the PI’s contact info.

(2) Invite participants to talk about their concerns or low mood, either to the experimenter or ring the PI.

(3) Invite the participant to give you their phone number, explaining you will ring the next day to check how they are doing.

(4) Ring the participant the next day and check how they are doing. If they are in a low mood that they attribute to the study, suggest that they (i) see their GP, or (ii) ring the PI who will write their GP.

(5) If the participant indicated they were driving:

(i) Invite them to remain in the kitchen area until their mood returns to baseline.

(ii) If they wish to leave, offer to accompany them to the bus stop and pay their bus fare home.

(6) *Inform the PI, who will report to the committee.*

(7) Ring the participant after 2 weeks. If they are in a low mood that they attribute to the study, suggest that they (i) see their GP, or (ii) ring the PI who will write their GP.