## **ASSESS YOUR STRESS**

TAKE THIS QUIZ TO FIND HOW YOU'RE RESPONDING TO THE EVENTS IN YOUR LIFE...

Responses: O = Often S = Sometimes R = Rarely

## DO YOU.....

- 1. Regret being angry or short tempered with others?
- 2. Feel like your emotions are getting the best of you?
- 3. Use alcohol, cigarettes, or drugs (street, otc, prescriptions) to cope with your stress?
- 4. Have sleep problems? (either can't fall asleep or can't get enough restful sleep)
- 5. Feel like things in your life are overwhelming or out of control?
- 6. Laugh or cry less than you used to?
- 7. Yell, cry, or withdraw a lot?
- 8. Feel sad, disappointed, or worried?
- 9. Eat too much (or too little) when you're stressed?
- 10. Hate admitting that you're not in control of your life?
- 11. Have trouble "letting go" of things that are bothering you?
- 12. Have too little time for family, friends, exercise, relaxation, or hobbies?
- 13. Over-blaming yourself or thinking that nothings goes right?

## **SCORING**

IF YOU ANSWERED "OFTEN" OR "SOMETIMES" TO 4 QUESTIONS OR MORE, IT MAY BE TIME TO ADDRESS YOUR STRESS!