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What an exhausting 16 months...

The pandemic has impacted (and continues to impact and will impact) our thoughts, feelings, and behaviors. In addition to the pandemic, one may have experienced other losses, and we each have different genetic contributions leaving individuals at different places on the healing continuum. Your journey may be more challenging and longer than others, but know that you are already healing! Just being here is indication of healing. As humans, we are made for grit even when we do not feel very "gritty." We continue to heal and move forward in this amazing, beautiful world. You are important and have much to offer to the world. If you are feeling significant pain, please ask for help! TCU's Counseling and Mental Health Center is a wonderful resource: <https://counseling.tcu.edu/>

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