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Due to the ongoing pandemic of coronavirus disease 2019 most people feel distress. You feel distress when something very bad is happening to you, right now, and you don’t know how to deal with it. In distress the situation can be so overwhelming that you are not able to cope or deal with it yourself. As a rule, distress is characterized by looking or calling out for help.

Although this response may seem relatively unsophisticated, and a bit of a last resort, a display of distress can make other people more likely to help you.  
Fear, uncertainty, and being holed up at home more to slow the spread of COVID-19 can make it tough for families to keep a sense of calm.

Address your family or your friends and try to calm them down giving advice.  
You have to speak for not more than 2 minutes. Make your speech emotional, try to sound persuasive. You have to talk continuously and logically.

Tips: Write a script and rehearse what you're going to say in your mind several times before you press “record.”

Don’t be afraid to shoot it over again. There’s no pressure to get everything right on the first try. Redo it until there are no errors.