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IS spoke of being intimidated by the procedures that have been occurring and noted that she feels she is losing a part of herself throughout the process. She highlighted her connectedness with others as a large part of her being and noted feeling isolated at times.

Regarding important roles in her life, IS highlighted her work as a school teacher as well as being a daughter. She noted that she is usually in a position of helping others and is struggling to reverse this role and allow others to help her. She noted that her parents have worked hard to provide her opportunities in life and that she now feels responsible for taking care of them now that she is an adult. IS reported being fearful that she will not be able to take care of her family as her illness progresses or fulfil her dreams of taking her parents on trips and traveling. She spoke of being goal orientated person, always striving to fulfill her next dream.