

*“To set and
work toward
any goal is an
act of
courage.”*

- Stephen Covey



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S.M.A.R.T. Goals Workshop

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Guidelines for Working Together

- # Take care of your comfort.
- # Start on time, stay on time, end on time.
- # Pay attention to your “feathers”
- # Respect the 100 Mile Rule
- # Have fun



Why are We Doing This?

Compliance

OR

Commitment

To Get Better Results!

Reflections...

Think about a personal goal that you currently have OR a prior goal that you have already achieved in your life.



Personal Connections

Pair up or form triads to talk about what goals do for you at a personal level.



Personal Connections

- + Give Direction
- + Maintain Focus
- + Help to Prioritize
- + Motivate
- + Keep Accountable
- + Instill Hope
- + Build Confidence

“Goal setting is a uniquely human exercise because it requires the ability to think beyond today into the unknown, to imagine the possibilities while discerning what’s really possible and to put action to faith.”

***S.M.A.R.T. Goals are
gap closers
toward your vision.***



What is S.M.A.R.T.?

Specific & Strategic
Measurable
Attainable
Results-based
Time-bound

Why S.M.A.R.T. Goals Work

- ✚ Those who are responsible for achieving the goal are the ones responsible for creating the goal.
- ✚ Collaborative development of the goal assures shared understanding and commitment to achieving it.
- ✚ S.M.A.R.T. Goals are based on data and are monitored for impact on an ongoing basis.

Why S.M.A.R.T. Goals Work

- ✚ S.M.A.R.T. Goals can be applied and aligned at many different levels, creating a common language and system for goal management.
- ✚ S.M.A.R.T. Goals focus on the vital few priorities that bring the greatest impact overall.

S.M.A.R.T. Goals
focus on the few
things most likely
to have the
greatest impact.



*If you have
dozens of
priorities...*

*you have
NO
priorities.*



Pareto Principle
80% of the trouble
is caused by 20%
of the problems



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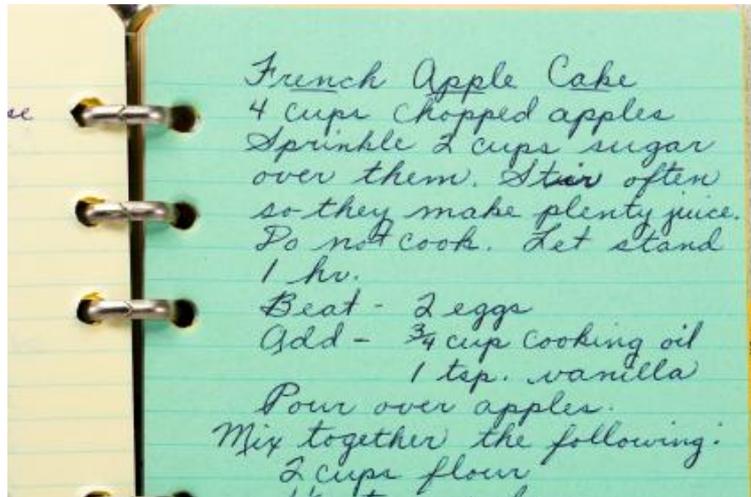
S.M.A.R.T. Goals *focus on results.*

PROCESS

RESULT



Following a recipe



PROCESS GOAL

Expand outreach efforts to cover a broader geographic region.

RESULTS GOAL

Increase the number of individuals and families receiving our services.

RESULTS GOAL

Increase by 50% the number of appropriate new business start-ups in El Centro Histórico.

PROCESS GOAL

Develop a strategic plan for how we will support new businesses in El Centro Histórico.

Process vs. Results Goal Exercise

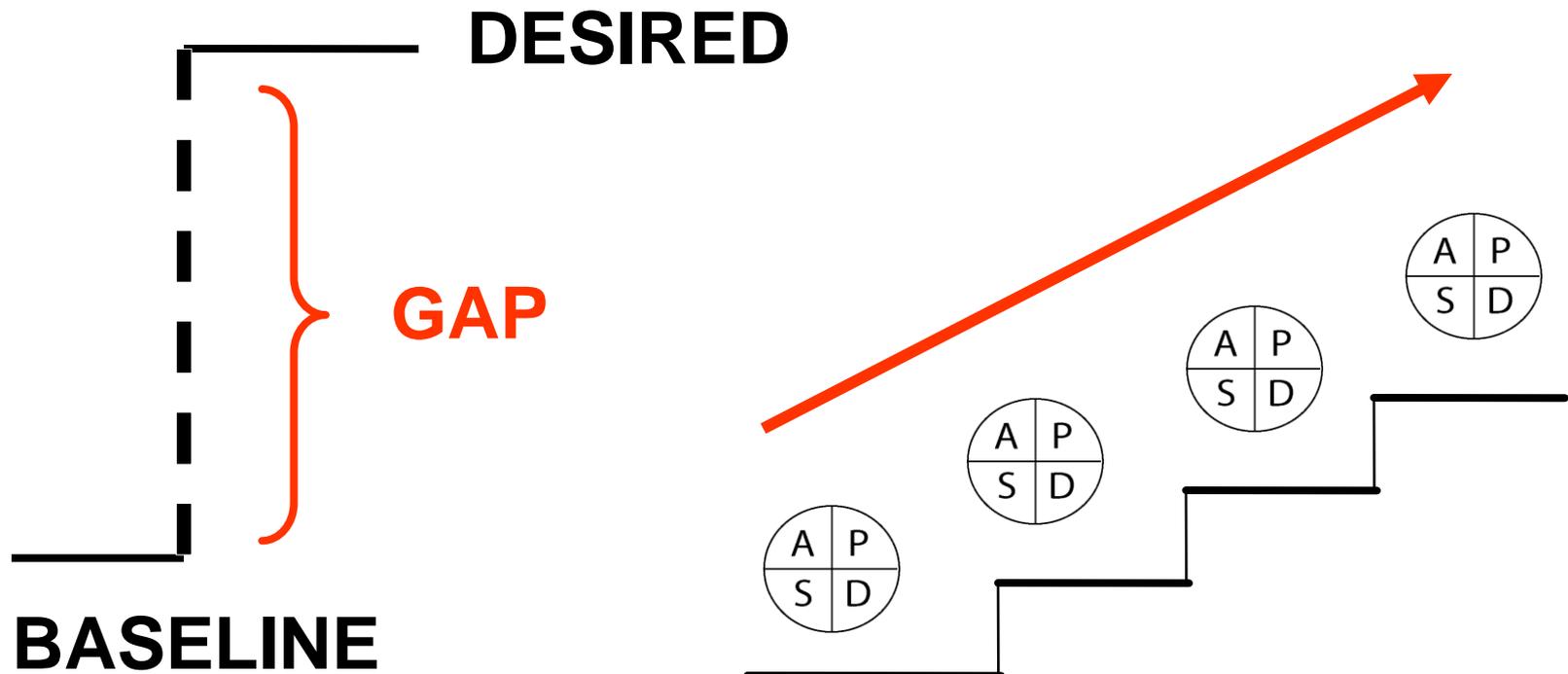
 P = Process-oriented goals

 R = Results-oriented goals

***S.M.A.R.T. Goals
have both short
and long term
impact.***

Breakthrough

Incremental



Levels of Evaluation

- ✚ Level 1: Task Completion
- ✚ Level 2: Participant Reaction
- ✚ Level 3: Sustained Participation in Project Support and/or Change
- ✚ Level 4: Demonstration of Independent Use of New Learning/Skills
- ✚ Level 5: Improved Quality of Life Outcomes for Participants

***S.M.A.R.T. Goals
are written at
different levels.***

Levels of S.M.A.R.T. Goals

Challenging, inspiring, strategic,
far-reaching, community-based goals.

Strategic Goals:
5 years or more

Prioritized targeted area(s)
based on your clients'
unique needs.

Project Goals:
1-5 years

Focused on specific
objectives within
shorter timeframes
based on the project plan.

Action Plans:
30-60-90 day goals

Individual responsibilities
associated with the
project plan.

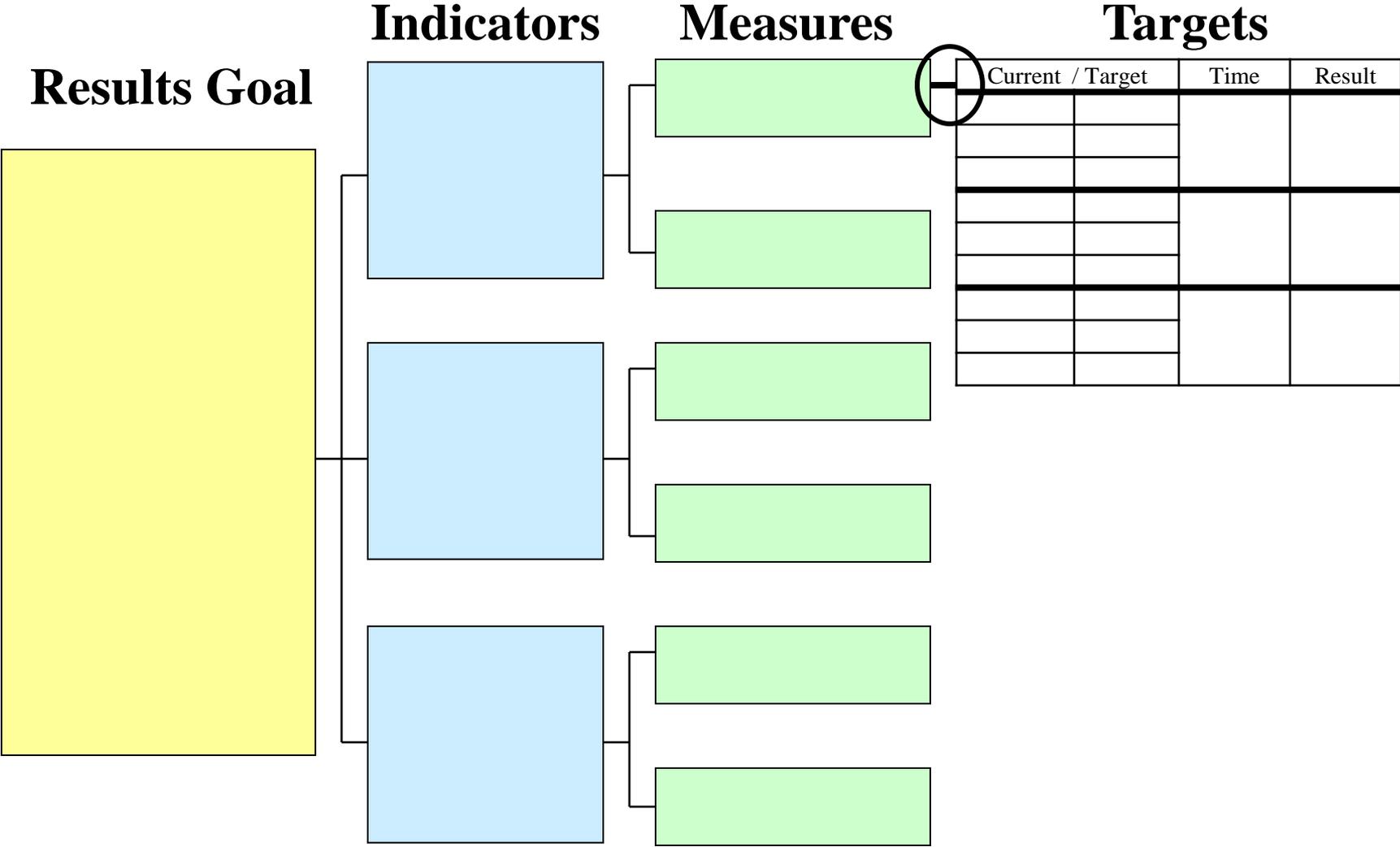
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The Tree Diagram is... A Tool

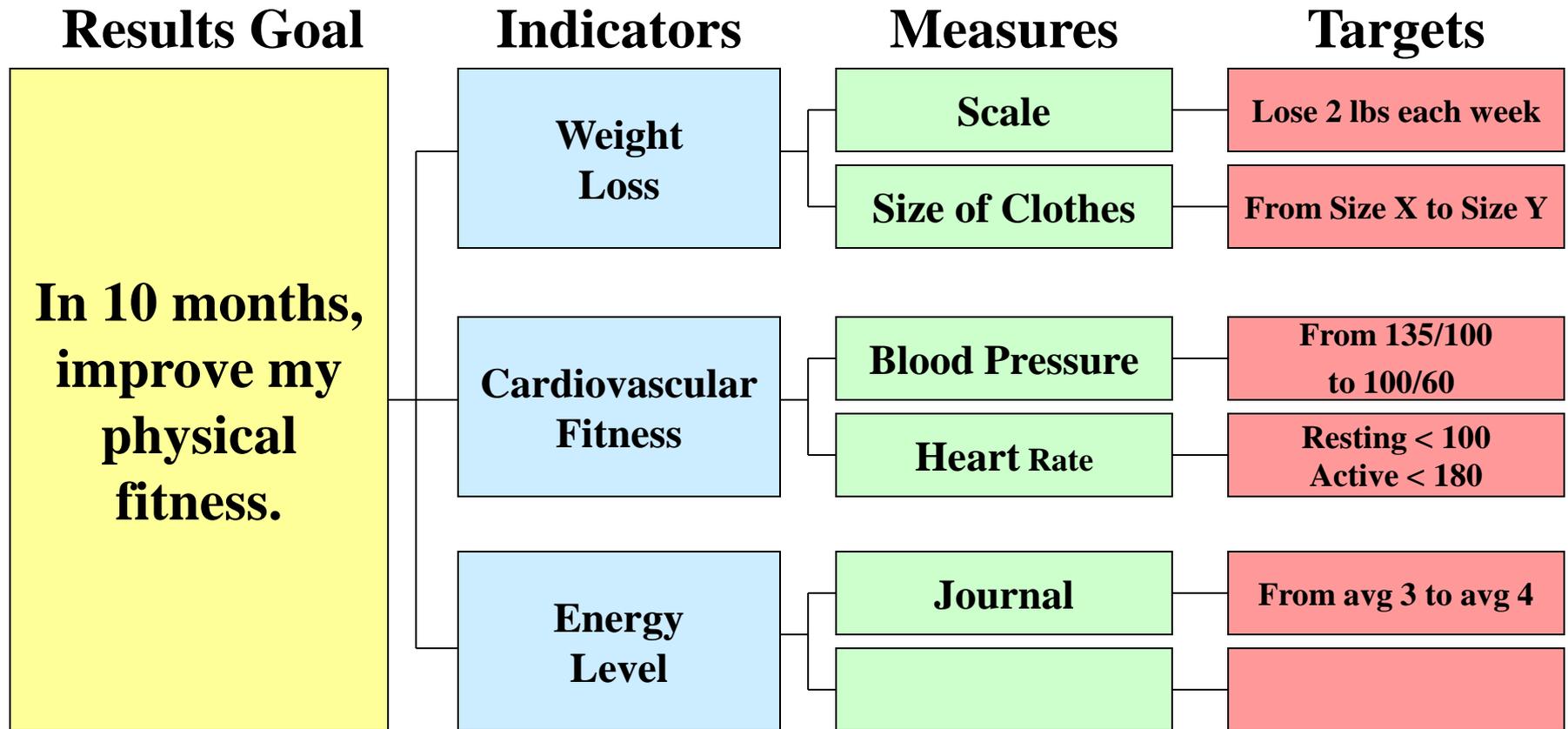
- ✚ A graphic organizer
- ✚ A collaborative planning tool
- ✚ A template for making goals S.M.A.R.T.er



S.M.A.R.T. Goal Tree Template

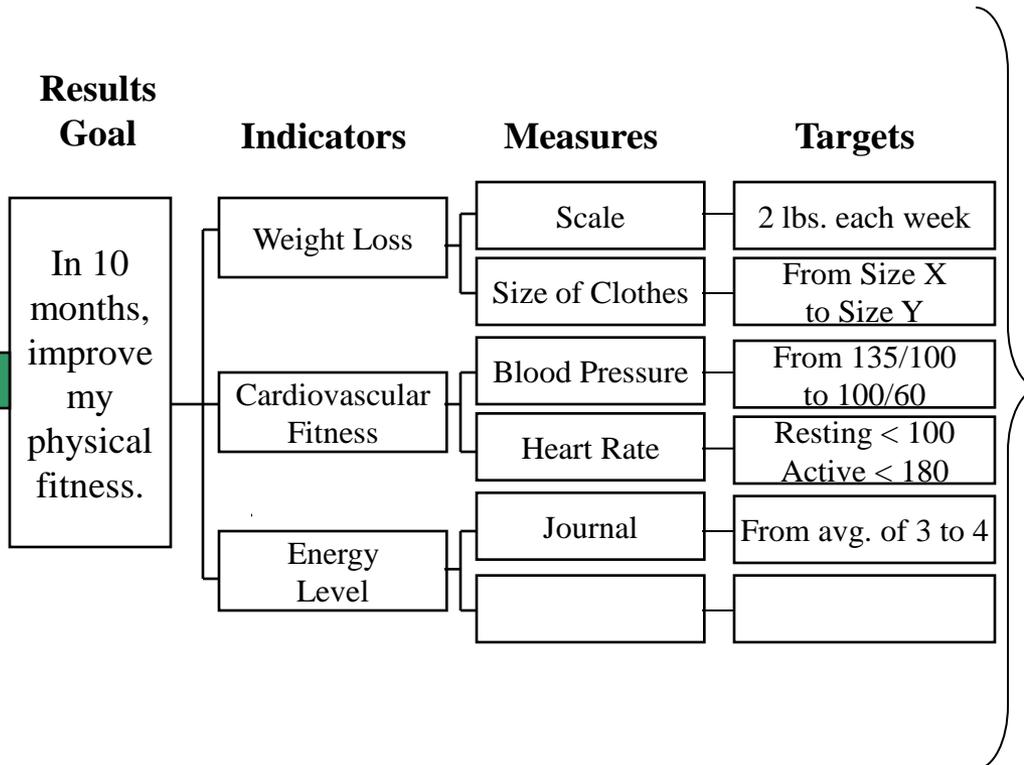


Bill's S.M.A.R.T. Goal Tree



Bill's Results for Planning & Improvement

VISION:
Have a high quality of life



- | Method |
|--|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Exercise Classes • Healthy Eating • Support Group |

Pause...For Application!

S.M.A.R.T. Goal Tree

Create a S.M.A.R.T. Goal Tree for one aspect of your work or project.



S.M.A.R.T. Goal Tree Sample

Results Goal

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**Project “process” goal:
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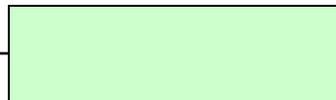
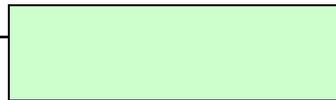
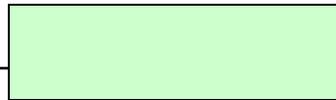
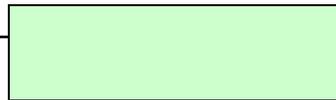
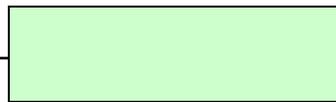
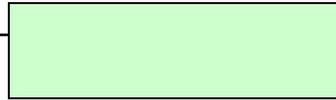
Indicators

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10	15	End Of 2011	
	20		
	25		
	30	End of 2012	
	40		
	50		

Break Time



“The team that became great didn’t start off great — it learned how to produce extraordinary results.”

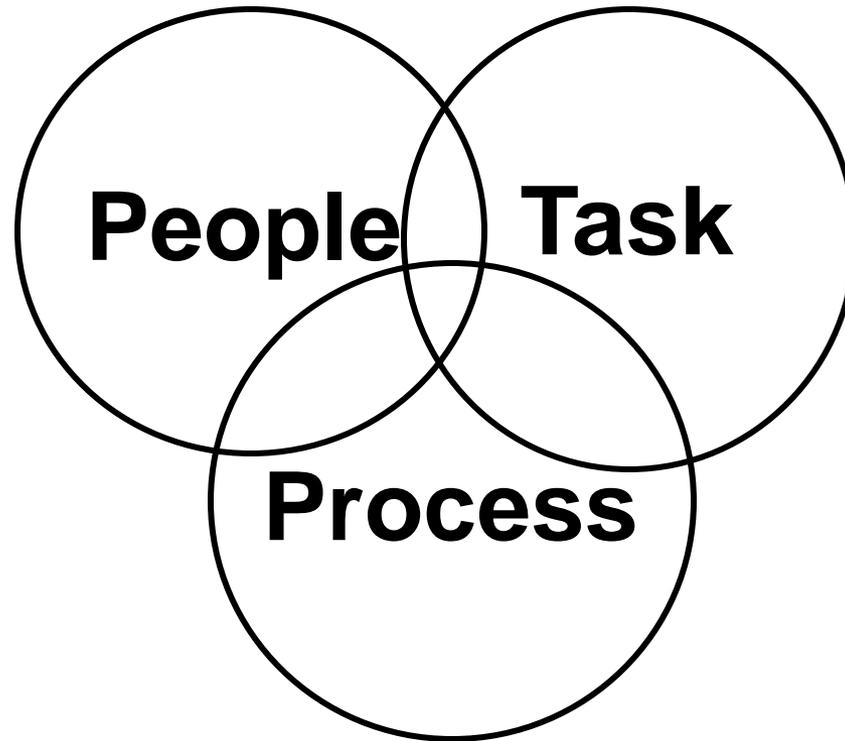


~ Peter Senge

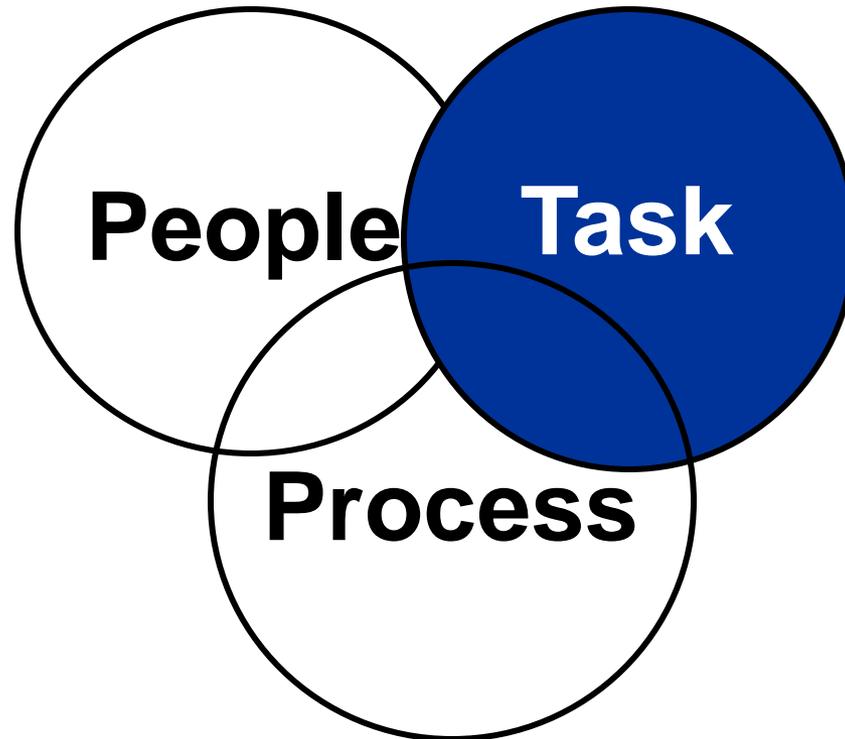
What are the Characteristics of an Effective Team?



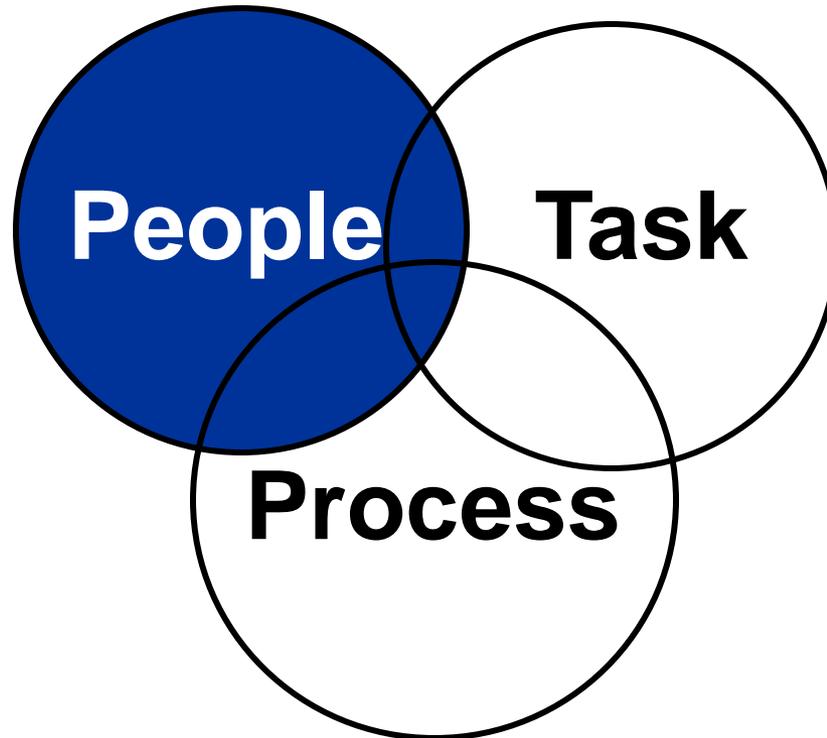
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Ground Rules

Suggested Topics:

+ Attendance

+ Promptness

+ Equal Opportunity
to Participate

+ Conversational
Courtesies

+ Assignments

+ Decision Making

+ Confidentiality

+ Meeting Evaluation

+ Accountability to
Norms and Goals

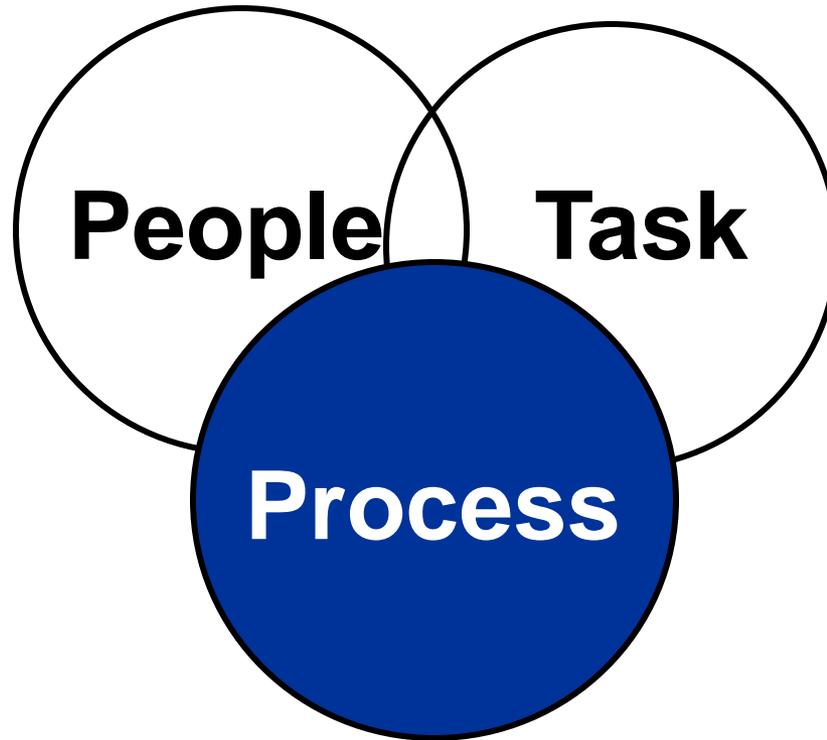
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Ground Rules / Team Norms

Create a T-Chart. List the items on the left that represent the areas your team needs to work on and then identify one ground rule to address each.



The Cornerstones of Teamwork





Meetings are one of the most complex activities you 'do.' The success or failure of a meeting has a significant impact on you and your group.

*~ M. Doyle & D. Straus,
How to Make Meetings Work*

Turbo Meeting Simulation

Must meetings be deadly?

Take a moment to write down your greatest irritations with meetings. This is your chance...



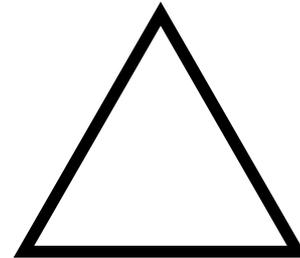
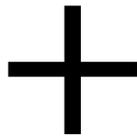
Turbo Meeting Simulation

- ✚ Facilitator (that's me)
- ✚ Timekeeper (1 volunteer)
- ✚ Scribes (1-2 volunteers)
- ✚ Goal - ???

Turbo Meeting Simulation

 What worked well?

 What could we change or improve?



Turbo Meetings Have...

Meeting Roles



Facilitator



Timekeeper



Scribe



Record
Keeper

Role Definitions

Keep the group on task. Establish the agenda.

Keep the group on time.

Record key ideas on chart paper during meeting.

Keep official record of the meeting decisions and actions. Send record to attendees for follow-up.

Rotate Meeting Roles

Agenda Date Roles	Facilitator	Timekeeper	Scribe	Record Keeper
Week 1				
Week 2				
Week 3				
Week 4				

Turbo Meetings Have...

Meeting Process Evaluation



check outs



written feedback

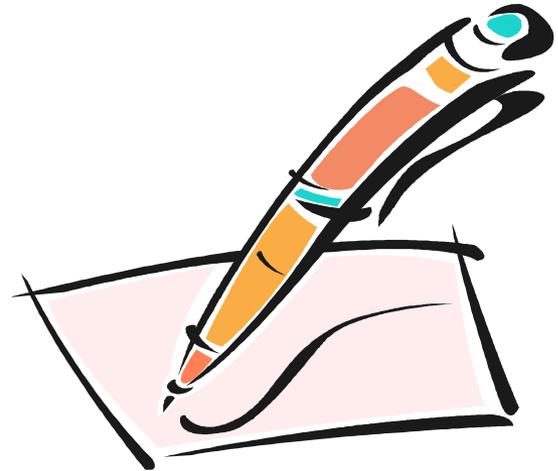


group brainstorm: + / ▲

Turbo Meetings Have...

Agendas

- Purpose
- Guidelines for working together
- Meeting outcomes
- Topics
- Time estimates
- Lead people
- Methods or processes
- Flex items
- Action steps



Sample Agenda

PURPOSE: *To select strategies for achieving our S.M.A.R.T. Goal.*

Time	Topic	Outcome	Method or Process	Lead Person
3 min.	Check-in and review agenda	Focus	Share a distraction you brought to this meeting	Mark
2 min.	Guidelines for working together	Focus	Review guidelines	Charlie
20 min.	Research findings from Best Practice review	New learning from the research	Say something	Scott
30 min.	Discuss strategy options	Select 1-2 strategies	Multivote	Sam
10 min.*	Update sub-group data	Shared understanding	Review targets	Beth
5 min.	Checkout and evaluation	Meeting improvement	+ ▲	Ginger

* Flex Item

Pause...For Application!

Turbo Meeting Agenda

Create a turbo meeting agenda template
that will work for you!



Taking Your Learning Home

Make a list of the things you found most useful in today's session.	Which of these will you share with others? (<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> all that apply)	With whom would you like to share your new learning?	By when?	What is your desired result?

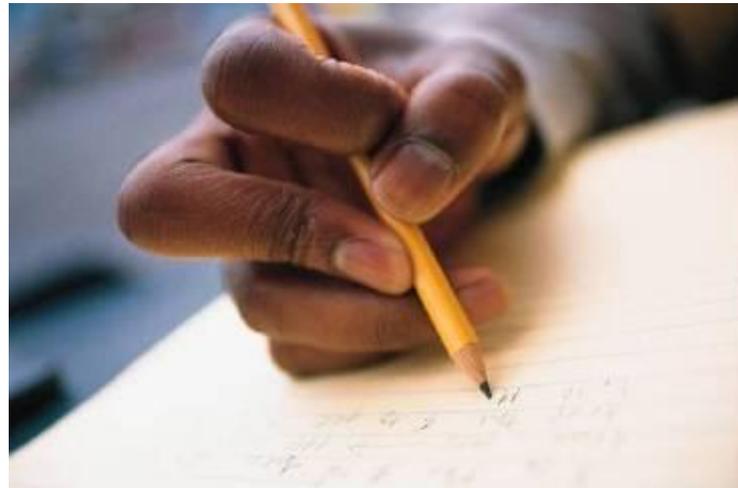
Essential Question

In what ways will having a S.M.A.R.T. Goal improve our ability to achieve the results that most matter to us?



Feedback Forms

- # Individually complete your feedback form.
- # Runner returns all feedback forms to your facilitator.
- # Tidy your table.
- # Thank you for your time and energy today!



*Thank you
S.M.A.R.T. People!*

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Welcome Back!



Time for a Stretch Break!



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