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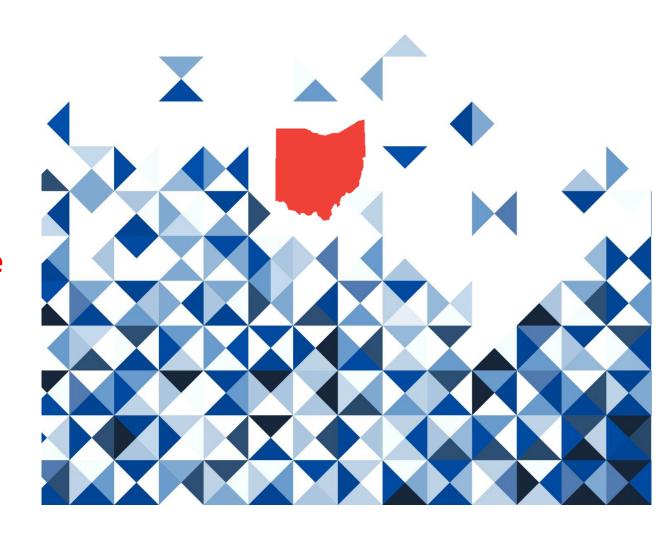
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How Leaders Create a Healthy and Productive Workplace

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**Pair and Share** 

### Leader Effectiveness

Leader effectiveness has the ability to create a **vision** of the future of the organization, to ensure that the members of the organization focus on this vision, and to show their **commitment** to the organization.

Leadership effectiveness can be defined as the leader's ability to effectively **influence** followers and other organizational stakeholders to reach the **goals** of the organization.

Vision

Commitment

Influence

Goals

### Leader Effectiveness

How has your leadership gotten better in the last 12 months?

How will you grow your leadership in the next 12 months?

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Breakdown in social norms

Hopelessness

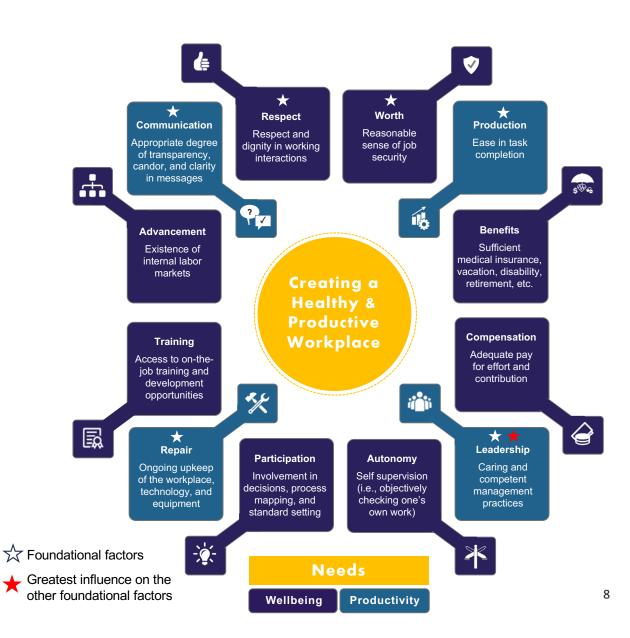
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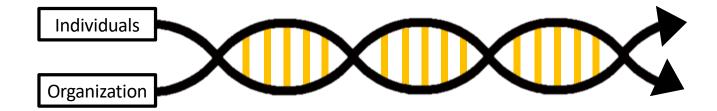
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### Creating a Reciprocal Exchange



- Reciprocity is a process of exchange between the organization and its employees to gain a mutual benefit.
- Leadership must take responsibility for the reciprocal nature of exchange.

### Six Tips To Increase Leader Effectiveness

- 1. Evaluate expectations and demands.
- 2. Show people in the future.
- 3. Communication is consideration.
- 4. Create ease in getting work done.
- 5. Know where you are taking people and care about their ability to get there.
- 6. Attend to what is broken or damaged.

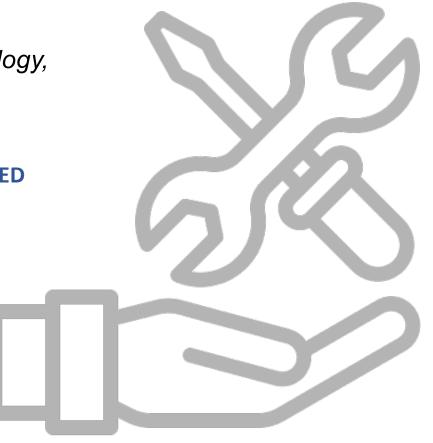


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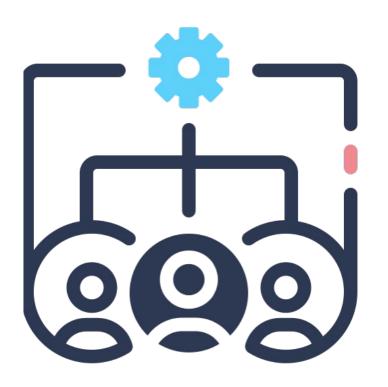
### TIP: ATTEND TO WHAT IS BROKEN OR DAMAGED

- In your profession, what is often broken or damaged that employees need fixed or attended to?
- What are remedies or solutions?
- What is your role as a leader? Or what is the role of leadership?



### Organization of Production

Facilitating ease and flow in the ability of others to get work done and produce results.



### TIP: CREATE EASE IN GETTING WORK DONE

- In your profession, what are ways to improve getting work done?
- How would you go about implementing them?
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# Good Leadership

Competent and caring management practices. Ensuring there is quality leadership throughout the organization.



# TIP: KNOW WHERE YOU ARE TAKING PEOPLE AND CARE ABOUT THEIR ABILITY TO GET THERE

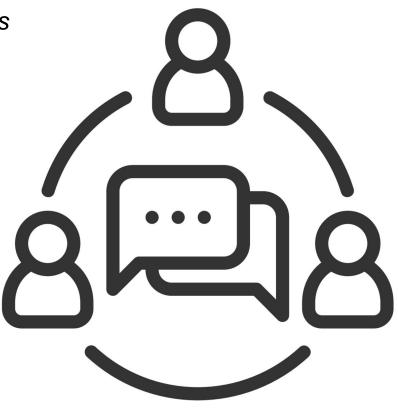
- What causes people in your profession to question the credibility or competence of leadership?
- What could be done to minimize people's leadership concerns?
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### Organizational Communication

Establishing clarity and transparency when communicating with others. Aligning intentions with organizational purpose and priorities.

#### **TIP: COMMUNICATION IS CONSIDERATION**

- What causes a breakdown in communication?
- What are ways to meet people's communication needs?
- What is your role as a leader? Or what is the role of leadership?



### Value and Worth

Determining contribution and recognition to the degree that produces a sense of job security both currently and into the future.

#### TIP: Show People In The Future

- What causes concerns about job security in your profession?
- What can be done to reduce the concern?
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### Respectful Expectations

Creating and maintaining respect, dignity, and decency when setting expectations and demands of others.

#### **TIP: EVALUATE EXPECTATIONS AND DEMANDS**



- What expectations or demands are often considered unreasonable or excessive by those in your profession?
- What would help them be considered reasonable?
- What is your role as a leader? Or what is the role of leadership?

## Standards



An accepted or approved example of something against which others are judged or measured.

Standards provide a common benchmark for everyone to meet.

# Activity

- Share a standard that exists in your workplace.
- Explain how the standard helps create a healthy and/or productive workplace.



### WELLBEING

#### **Instructions**

- Get into groups of 3 or 4
- Each person
  - Pick a wellbeing factor that needs attention in your workplace
  - Share the current state of the factor and the needs that are not being met
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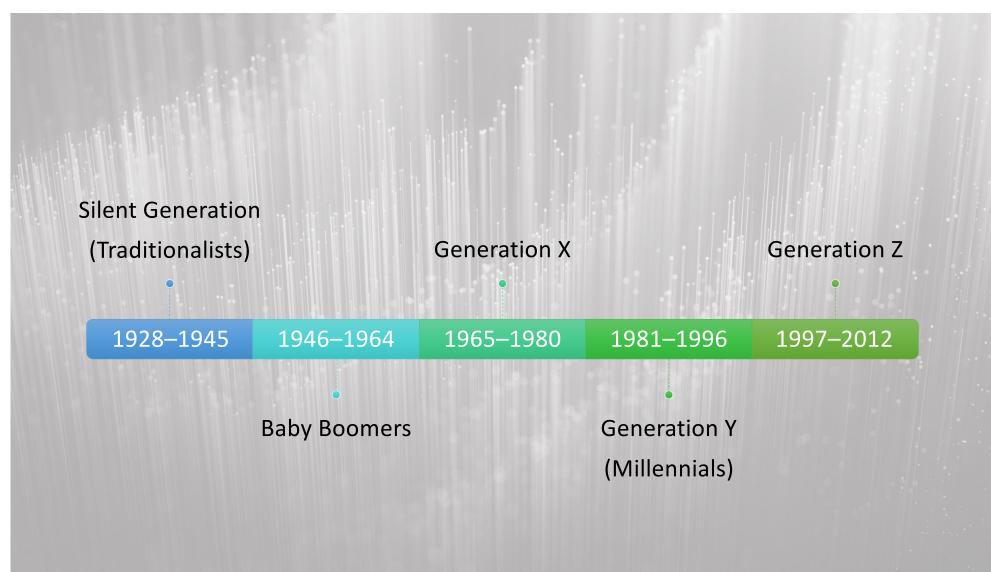
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Why or why not?

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Are there any that are unreasonable for your profession or work situation?

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# Adequate Pay





Mission Driven



Pay as the currency for unmet needs



Determine whether the six foundational factors are in place

# Leadership Framework









# Thank You