

Transformative communication for the every day.







## Benefits of Better Communication

- Reducemisunderstandings
- Improve productivity,
   creativity, and innovation
- Speed up problem solving
- o Increase bottom-line

On a mission to help leaders and teams transform their every day communication to increase their reach, revenue, and impact

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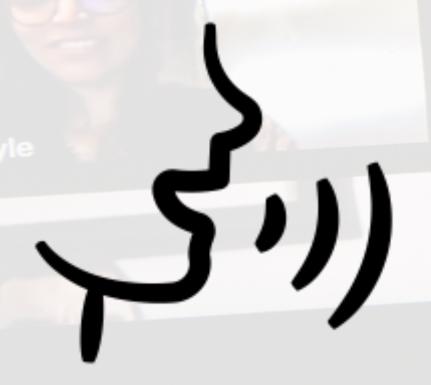


# (iii) Two Major Components of Communication



# Listening / Processing

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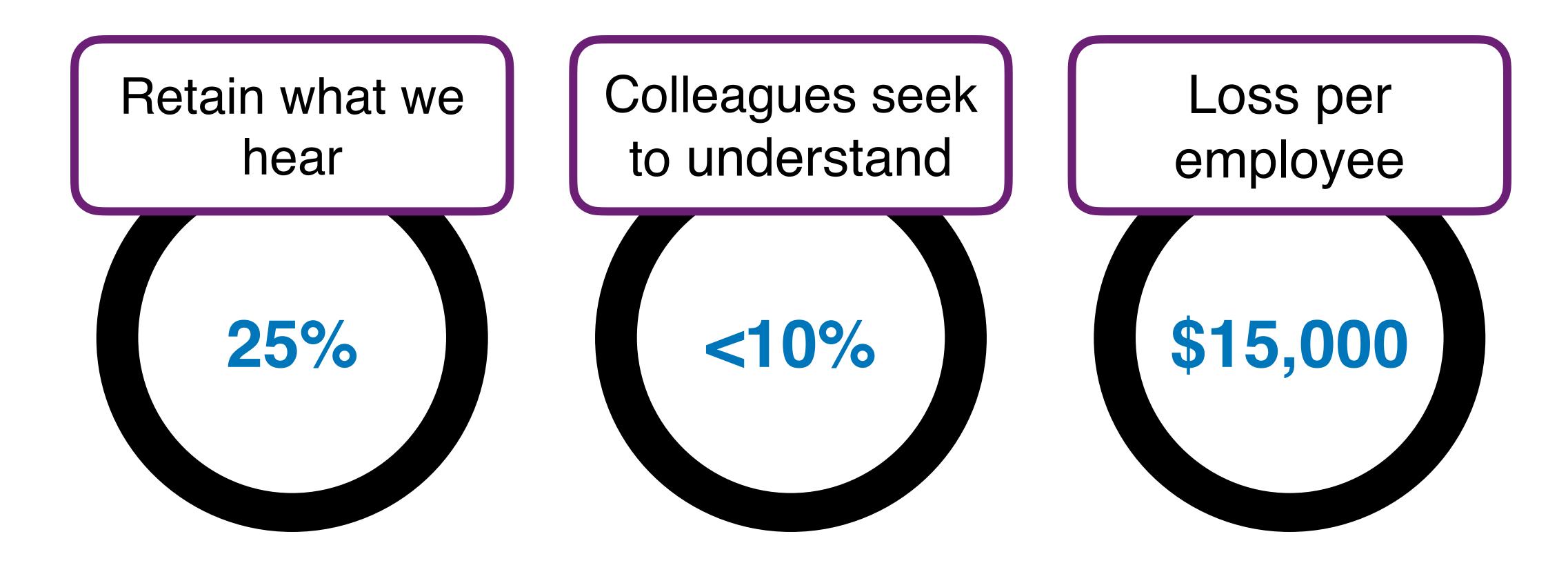


# Discussion / Conflict

Decisions require discussion and disagreement for commitment



# Cost of Poor Listening





## Listening

Comparison of the control of the



- How you listen is based off of habits that can be improved upon and changed
- O Understanding how people listen will allow you to communicate with them more effectively

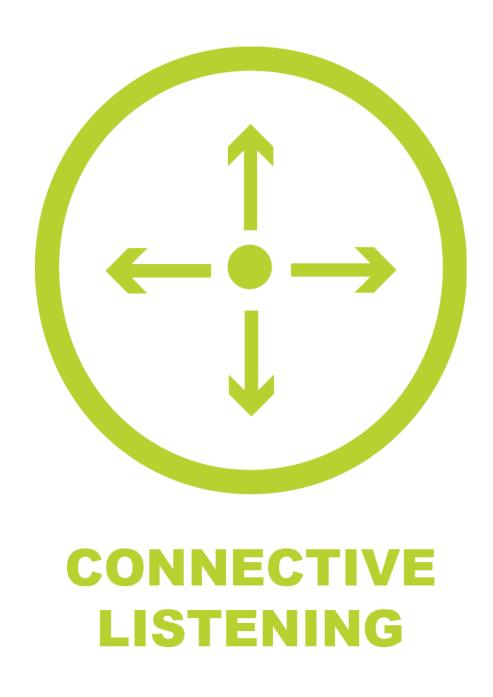


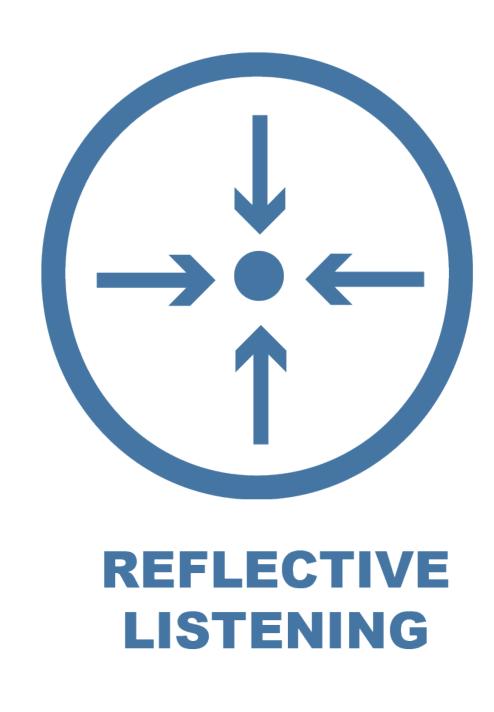


# ECHO EFFECT Effective Communication for Healthy Organizations



#### **The Four Primary Listening Habits**





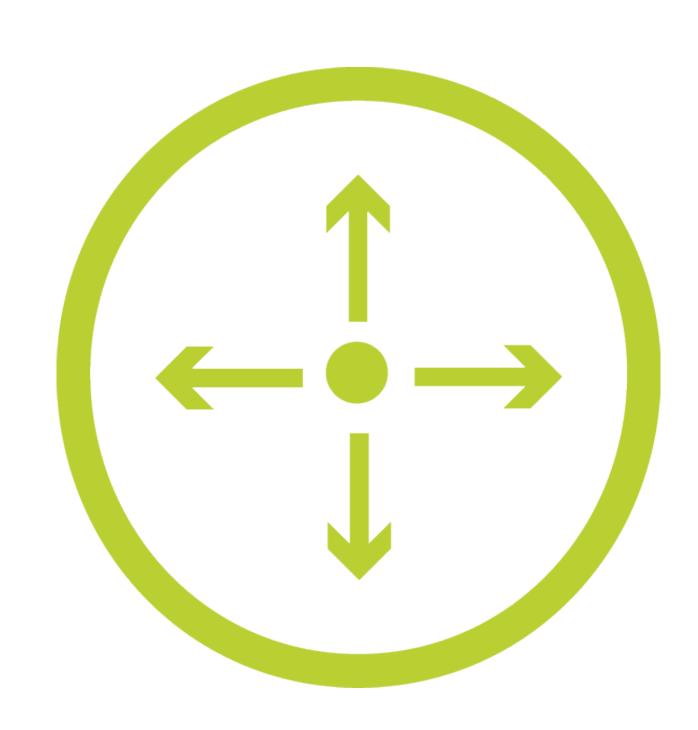








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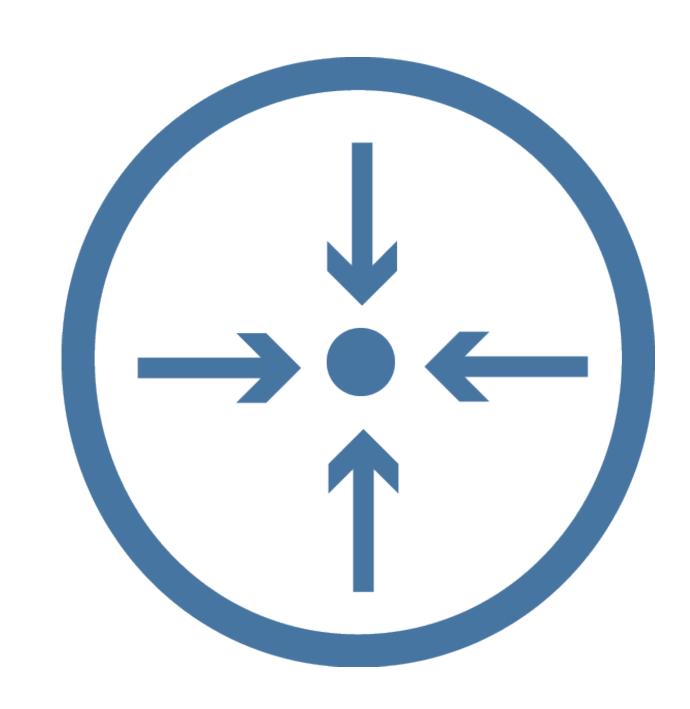


# CONNECTIVE LISTENING (CV)

Focuses on what the interaction means for others. Filters what is heard through interests in other people, groups, processes, audiences.



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# REFLECTIVE LISTENING (RV)

Focuses on what the interaction means for them. Filters what is heard through one's own interests and purposes.



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# ANALYTICAL LISTENING (AL)

Focuses on what the interaction means to an issue or objective situation. Filters what is heard through interest in results and facts.



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# CONCEPTUAL LISTENING (CL)

Focuses on the big picture and ideas, often abstract. Filters what is heard through an interest in concepts and possibilities.

Your agility in shifting your habits creates quality conversations that lead to the outcomes you hec









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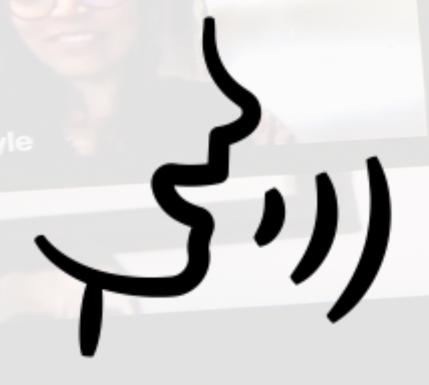


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## Silent Culture Wars

## Ask Culture

- o Okay to ask
- o Accept no
- Doesn't impactrelationship

### Guess Culture

- Avoid asking unless
   answer will be yes
- Acceptance may be forced
- Depends on tight net of shared expectations







Criticism

Reactions

Information





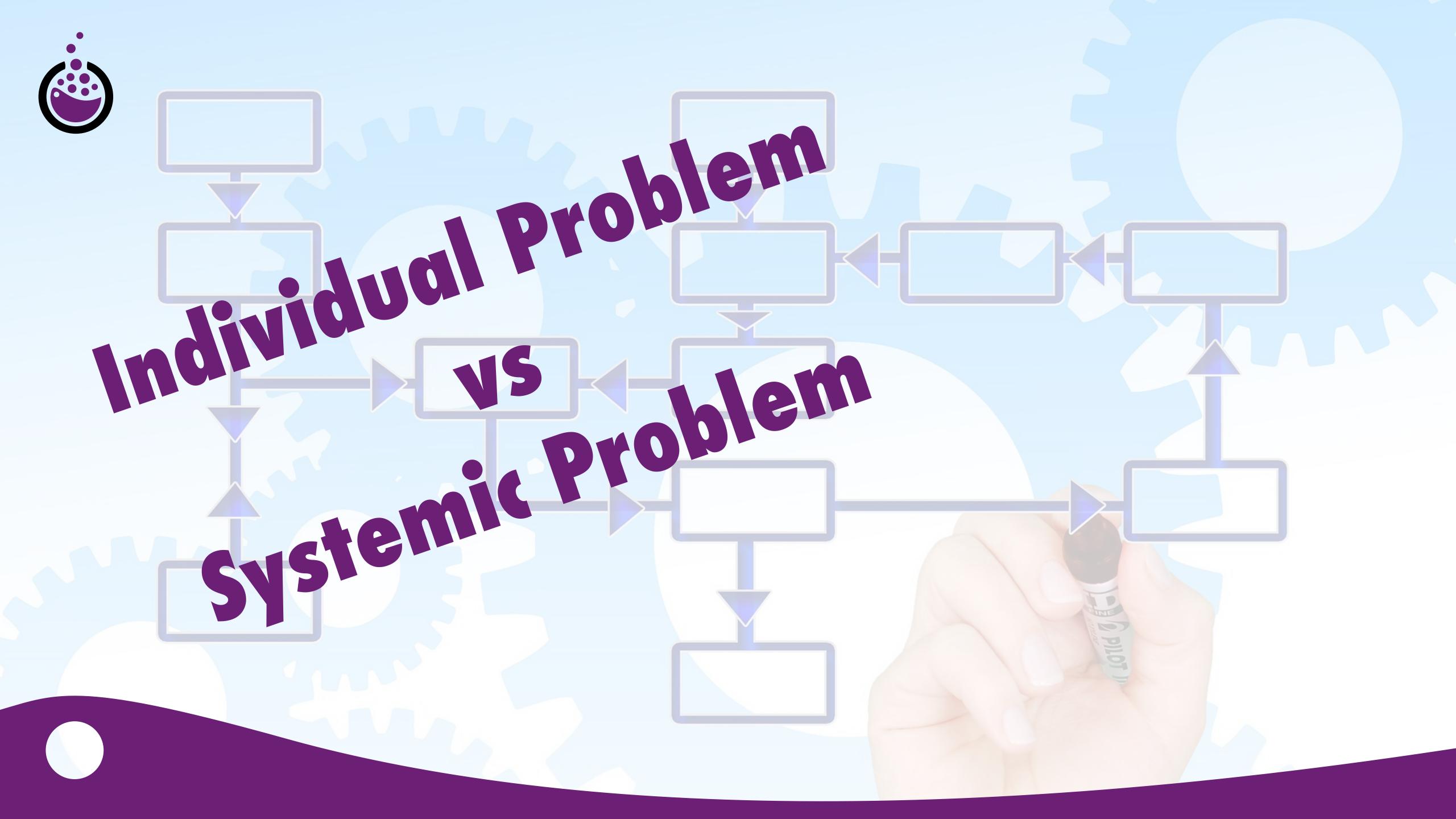


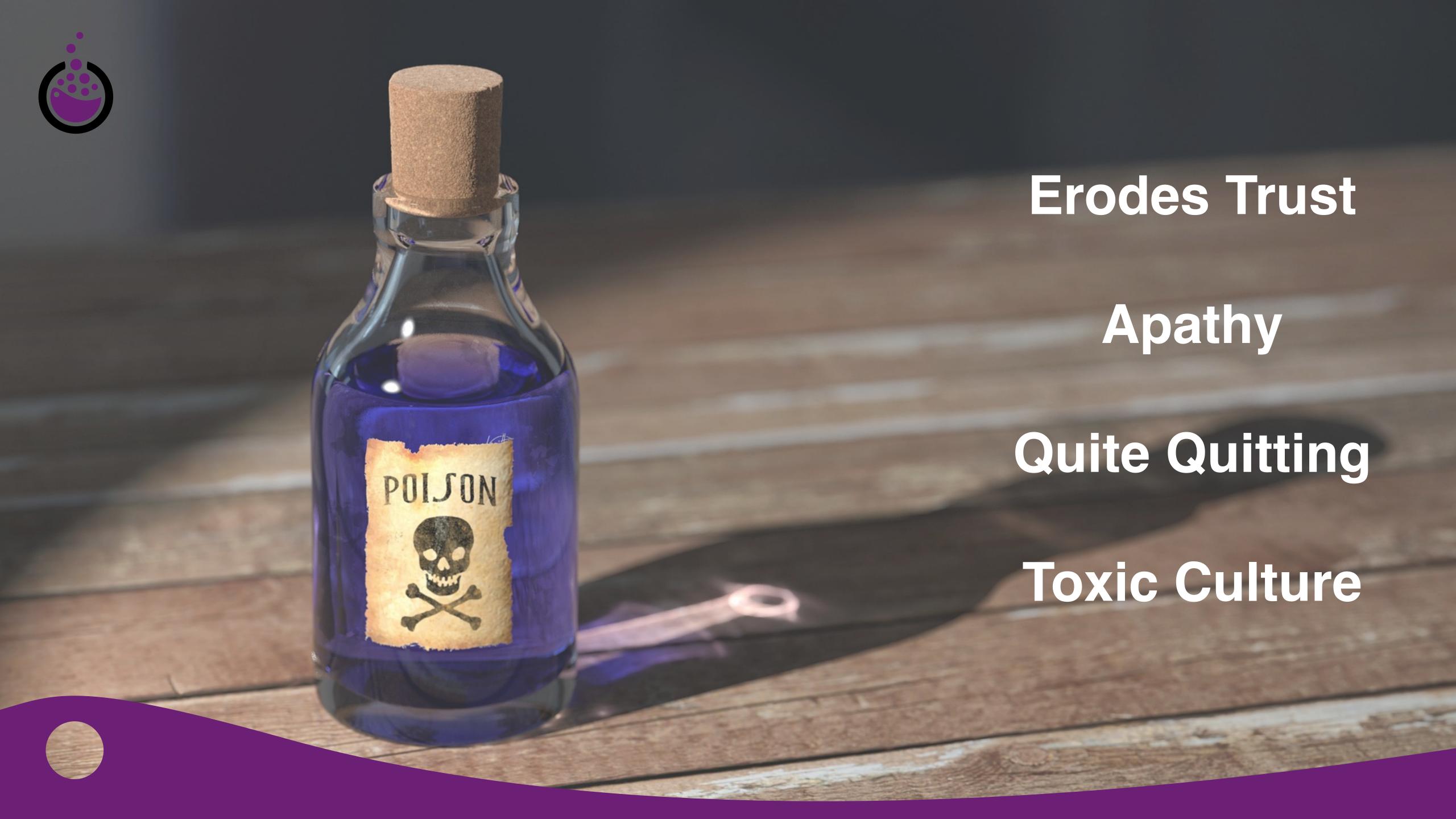
If you can't say something nice...

don't say nothing at all



Disease of Niceness: Caring more about how a person feels about what you say than saying what you actually THINK







## The 5 Conflict Styles - TKI Profile

**Thomas-Kilman Inventory** 

#### **COMPETE**

- Advocate for my needs
- You have to bring your needs

#### AVOID

- Color Let's get back to work
- Is this really worth the time/energy/effort

#### **COMPROMISE**

- Find the middle ground
- We both have to give up something so it's fair

#### COLLABORATE

- Digs for all the needs
- We need a win-win or we keep going

#### **ACCOMMODATE**

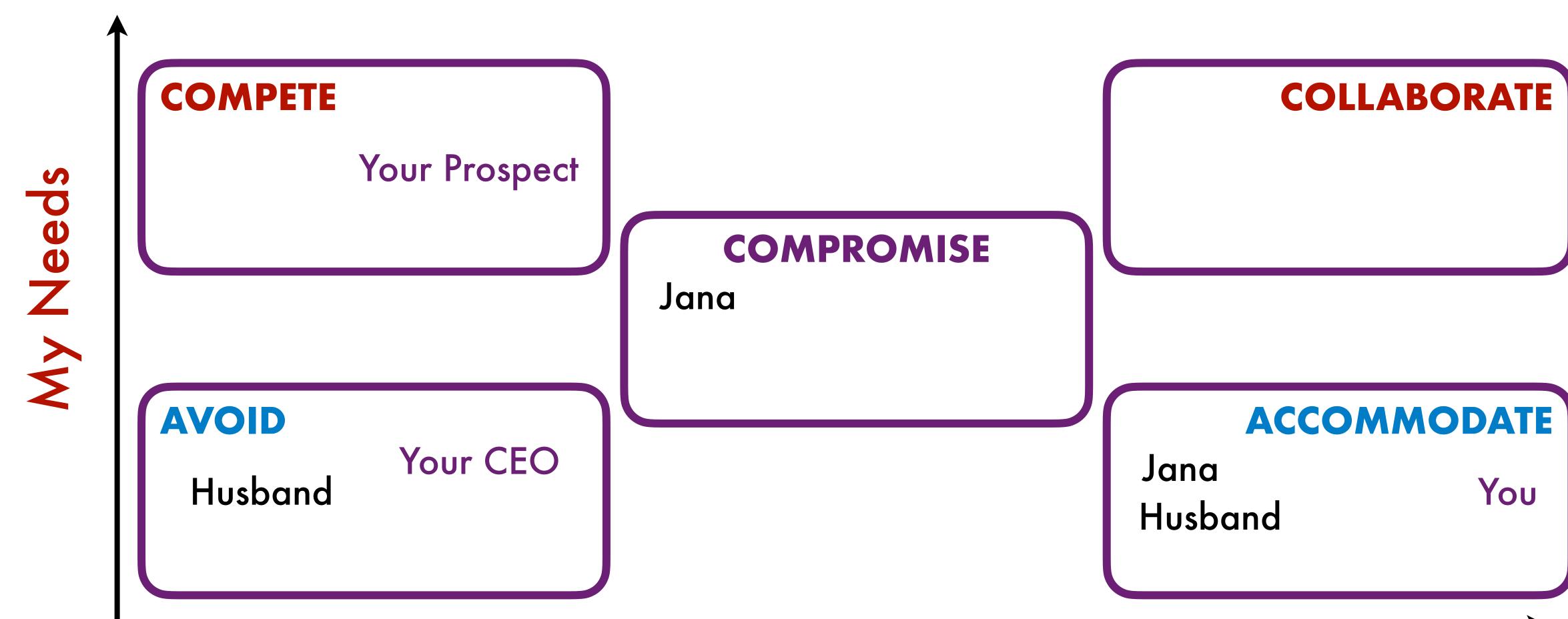
- If it works for you it's fine
- Relationship is most important

Others Needs



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