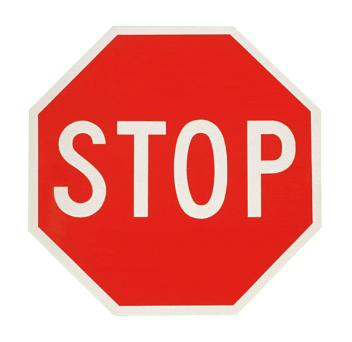
# Working with Different and Difficult People: Relational Leadership

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## RED = DANGER!







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## The Formula for Relational Leadership

- To work with teams, you need to understand <u>individuals</u>.
- To understand individuals, you need to know their <u>personality</u> and <u>behavioral</u> styles.
- To bring about change, you need to master <u>adaptability</u>.



#### RELATIONAL LEADERSHIP



Powerbroker/Choleric ~ Dominant

(Controller)

Basic Desire: <u>Have control!</u>

**Emotional Needs:** Obedience

Greatest Fear: Not being in control

Counseling: <u>Direct, logical steps</u>

Under Pressure: Anger

Managing Them: <u>Challenge them</u>

TV Characters: <u>Lucy, Hot Lips, Marie Barone, Jerry Seinfeld</u>





#### Populist/Sanguine ~ Influencer

(Talker)

Basic Desire: <u>Have fun!</u>

**Emotional Needs:** Attention, Acceptance &

**Affirmation** 

Greatest Fear: <u>Lack of attention or fun</u>

Counseling: <u>Keep it simple</u>

Under Pressure: <u>Excessive talking and emotion</u>

Managing Them: <u>Don't box them in – no long projects</u>

TV Characters: <u>Snoopy, Hawkeye, Raymond, Kramer</u>



#### **RELATIONAL LEADERSHIP**



#### Peacemaker/Phlegmatic ~ Steady

(Listener)

Basic Desire: <u>Have peace...</u>

**Emotional Needs:** <u>Just get along</u>

**Greatest Fear:** Change, Confrontation & Conflict

Counseling: Show them WHY they should be motivated

Under Pressure: A wall of silence

ManagingThem: <u>Give them time to process</u>

TV Characters: Charlie Brown, Henry, Frank Barone, Elaine



#### **RELATIONAL LEADERSHIP**



#### Perfectionist/Melancholic ~ Conscientious

(Researcher)

Basic Desire: <u>Perfection!</u>

**Emotional Needs:** Sensitivity

**Greatest Fear:** <u>Lack of rules/perfection</u>

Counseling: <u>Lower their expectations</u>

Under Pressure: Robotic responses

Managing Them: <u>Clear expectations, Guidelines</u>

TV Characters: <u>Linus, Radar, Robert Barone, George Costanza</u>

#### HOW DO THE TEMPERAMENTS HELP ME AS A LEADER?



#### Perspective on Relating to Others:

I act as I see myself. We like people more who are like us!

People do what they see.

Our temperaments cause us to see people and things in the way we see ourselves.

This doesn't tell you IF someone will do a job, rather it tells you HOW they will do the job.

Powerbroker/Choleric: My Way

Populist/Sanguine: <u>Fun Way</u>

Peacemaker/Phlegmatic: <u>Easy Way</u>

Perfectionist/Melancholic: Right Way

## EQUIPPING LEADERS • •

## Every Leader's job is to work... themselves OUT of their job!

"Who could be doing what I am doing now?"

#### An Essential Equipping Plan

1. I do the task alone.

"Successful Leaders attract potential leaders."

### **EQUIPPING LEADERS**

2. I do the task, you observe me.

3. You do the task, I observe you.

4. You do the task alone.

"Great Leaders seek out and find potential leaders, then transform them into good leaders."

### EQUIPPING LEADERS • •

## 5. You do the task, <u>someone</u> else <u>observes</u> you!

#### Make a commitment:

Ask: "Who could be doing what I am doing now?"

"Never do another task unobserved!"

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