#### P.M.T.

# Physical/Psychological <u>Management</u> Training



**Designed** 

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### **Class Rules:**

- Return from breaks on-time
- Keep side-line conversations to a minimum
- Turn off cell phones
- Set phone to vibrate
- Participate fully
- Have fun!





# Effective use of PMT requires:

Sensitivity to others

Dedication to a therapeutic approach

Technical skill in physical interventions

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# Three "P's" of PMT Training:

#### **PREVENTION**

PREDICTION

PROTECTION

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**Problem Solving** 

#### PROBLEM SOLVING

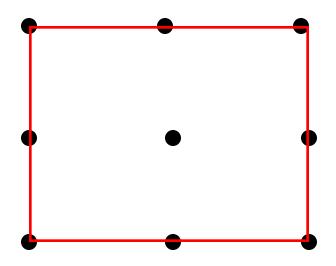
First, accurately identify the real problem

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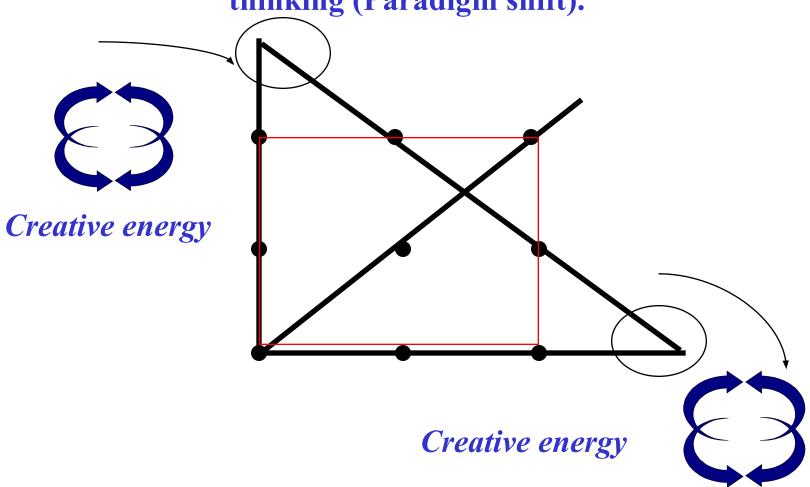
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## Learn to step outside the box.



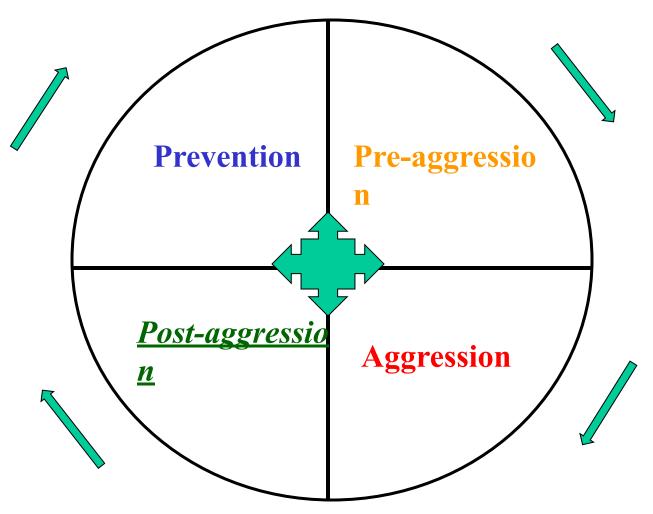
## **Effective Problem Solving**

requires being open to new ways of thinking (Paradigm shift).



# Four Stages of Aggression

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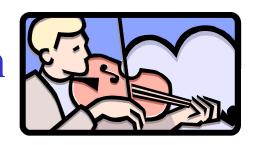
Skills for stages of Violence

### Skills to use:

<b>PREVENTION</b>	PRE-Aggression	Aggression	POST Aggression
•Observe	•Allow ventilation	•Back-up	•Document
•Active Listen	•Offer alternatives	•Act quickly	•Educate
•Give support	•State expectations	•Keep calm	•Debrief
•Set expectations	•Provide space	•Team work	•Evaluate
•Help make sense	•Active listen	•Keep aware	•Make changes
	•Set limits		where necessary

#### Effective Communication

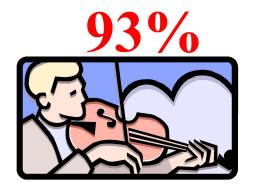
• Non-verbal Communication



Verbal Communication



#### **Non-verbal Communication**



#### **Body Language** = 55%

- Facial Expressions
- Gestures
- Eye contact
- Movement
- Proximity

#### **Style of Delivery** = 38%

- Tone of Voice
- Pace
- Volume
- Inflection
- Silence

#### **Verbal Communication**

7%



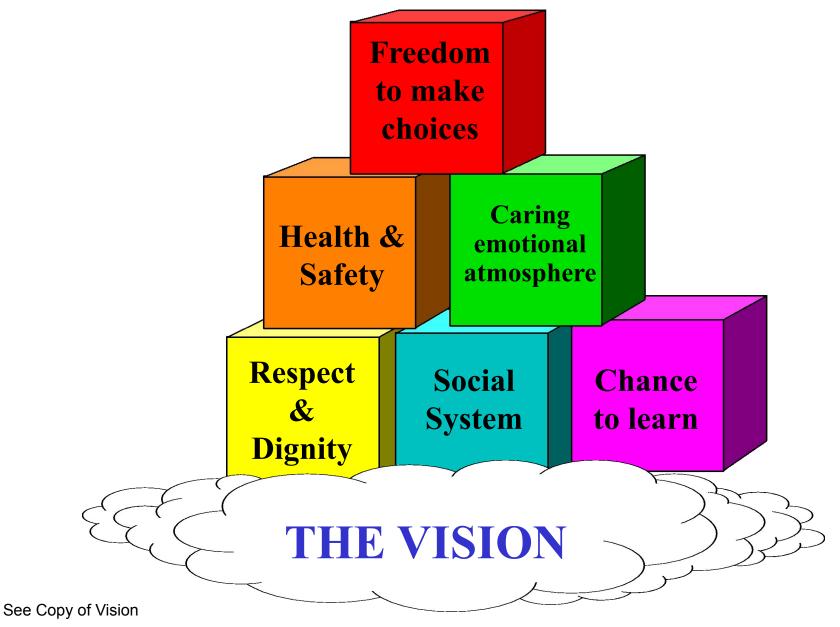
- Choice of words
- Logic (Or lack thereof)
- Life experiences(i.e., age, schooling)
- Value laden language
- Saying too much

# Summary

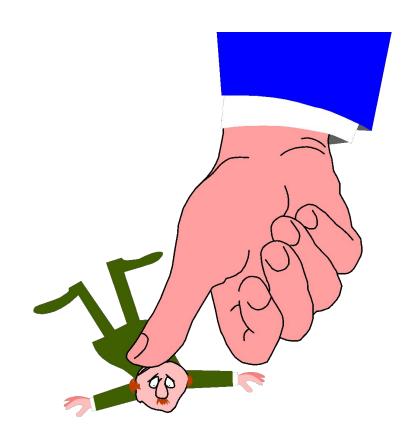
#### **Effective Communicators:**

- Have self-awareness (Their impact upon situations)
- Pay attention to body language (Theirs and others)
- Choose their words thoughtfully & strategically

Practice good listening skills



### What is restraint?



# Always consider using the Least Restrictive Intervention:



### **Physical Restraint**

"One definition"

"Physically holding an individual to restrict movement or to prevent the individual from harming himself or others."

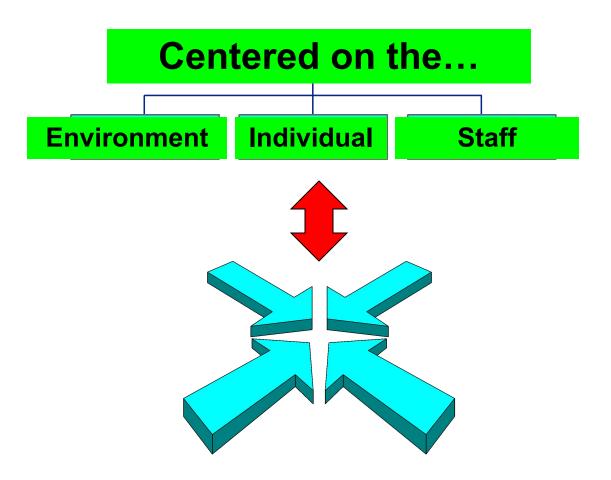
# Let's take a trip



• Write down 6 of your favorite things that you can not live without if you went on a trip. (Write on page 5 of workbook)

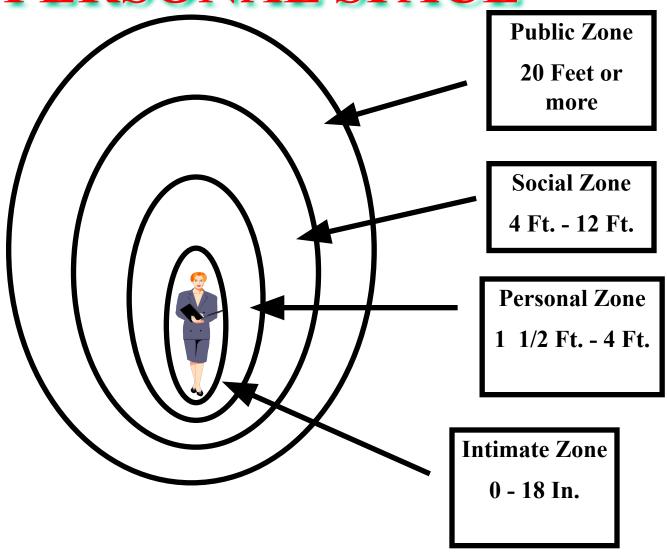


#### Common Causes of Violence

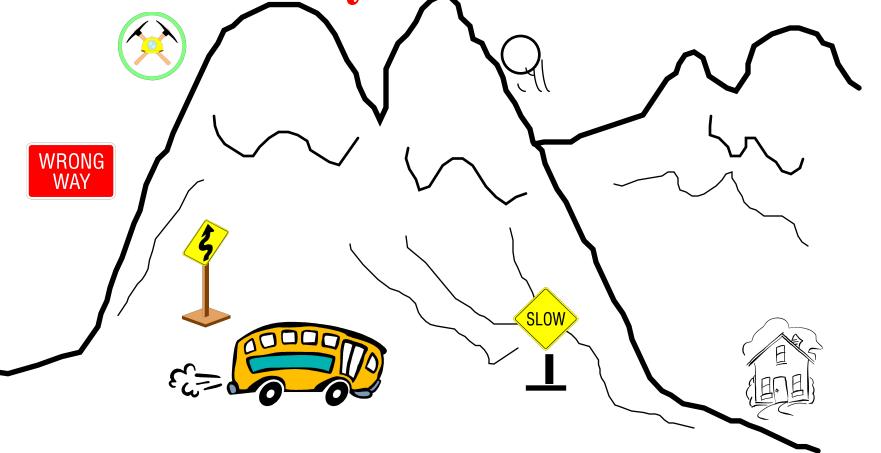


Workbook page #5 Personal Space

### PERSONAL SPACE







Brainstorm signs of agitation first Workbook page #6

**KEEP** 

**RIGHT** 

# Signs of Agitation

- Verbal content
- Muscular tension
- Posturing

- Facial expressions
- Pressured speech
- Throwing objects



# Aggression & predisposing situations:

- When an individual is <u>angry</u>, <u>anxious</u> or <u>afraid</u>.
- Following the denial of a real or perceived *privilege*.
- Following an argument or a <u>fight.</u>
- When strong <u>demands</u> are made
- When unrealistic <u>expectations</u> are made on the individual.

#### **Break Time!**

• Please be back in 10 minutes!

• Thank you!



### Safety Tips:

- Arrange the environment with safety in mind
- Dress appropriately
- Be aware of personal space issues
- Stay alert at all times

#### **Protective Stances**

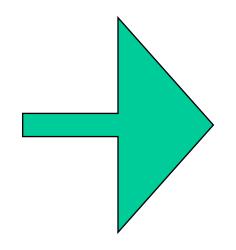
Arms length 45 degree angle: less of a target Gives better balance Keep knees bent: Flexibility **Mobility** 

#### **Blocks:**

- Upward
- Inward
- Outward
- Downward
- Downward "X" Block
- □ Upward "X" Block
- Leg Block
- □ Pivot & Parry

# Why Staff "Act Out"

- Stress & job burnout
- Fatigue/over-tired
- Frustration of needs
- Self-fulfilling prophesy
- Professional detachment
- Work overload
- Lack of self-awareness
- Poor work environment
- Personal "Button Pushed"



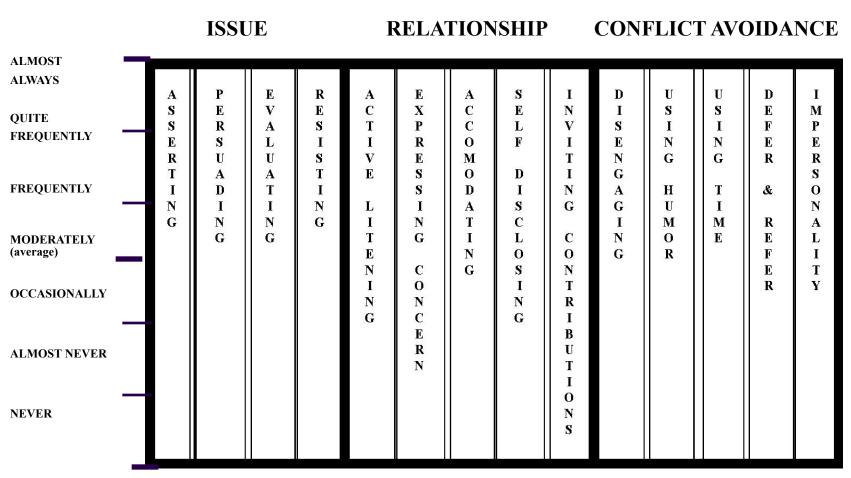
# **Conflict Inventory (C.I.)**

A useful tool for organizing staffs behavioral options.



This is not a test!

#### SELF-ASSESSMENT CONFLICT INVENTORY

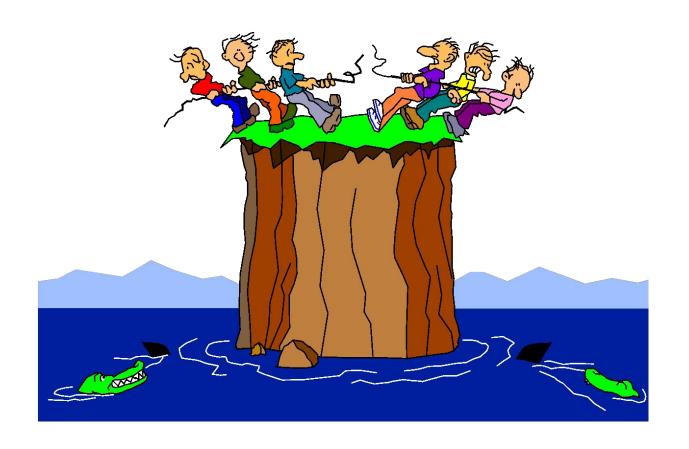


Focus is on respect, achievement, power/control, winning (being right).

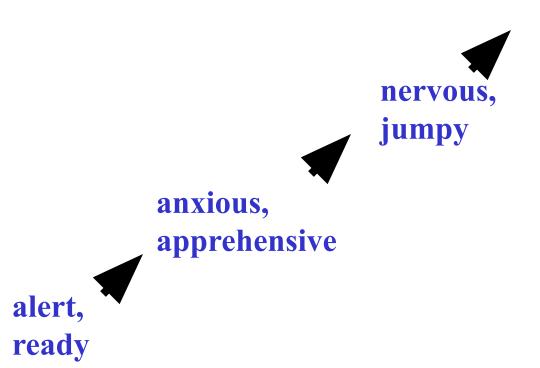
Focus is on getting along, affection, acceptance, inclusion, affiliation.

Focus is on safety, avoiding risks/conflict, conserving energy, security.

# FEAR & CONFLICT... An explosive combination!

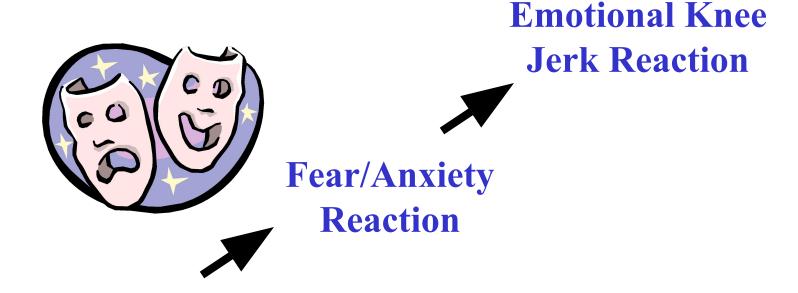


#### Fear is a continuum.



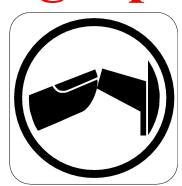


# What happens to us as staff when our buttons get pushed?



Incident/Behavior pushes our button

# Buttons of ISSUE ORIENTED people get pushed...



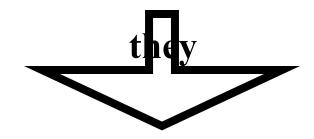
#### When:

- **➣** The rule/situation is important to them.
- **➣** Their authority has been challenged.
- **➣** They feel a loss of control.
- > Their self-esteem has been attacked.

### ISSUE ORIENTED people are



#### When these fears get triggered...



- get defensive and become critical/aggressive
- tend to force the issue
- ightharpoonup find fault and place blame on others

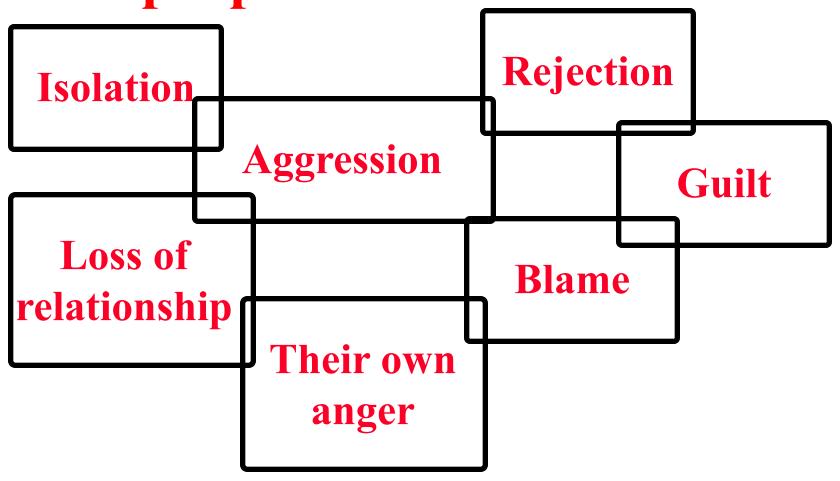
# Buttons of <u>Relationship</u> <u>Orientated</u> people get pushed...



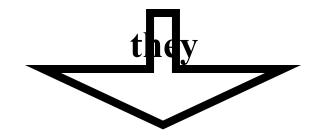
#### When relationships are:

- **⋈** Mistrustful and unpredictable
- **Solution** Connected to other important people in their lives
- **☒** Important to some central aspect of their work life
- **☒** Lasting and have developed over a long time
- **Ruled by strong role prescriptions**

# RELATIONSHIP ORIENTED people are fearful of...



#### When these fears get triggered...



- pacify and overuse flattery
- make the other person feel guilty
- pretend to agree with the upset person
- become non-assertive and passive

# Buttons of <u>CONFLICT</u> <u>AVOIDERS</u> get pushed...

#### When:

- **⋈** their safety and security is threatened
- **\times** their ability to cope is questioned
- > they experience an overload
- **⋈** they assess the situation to be insignificant

## **CONFLICT AVOIDERS** are fearful of...

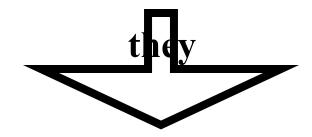
Being harmed

Failure

Humiliation

Time pressures

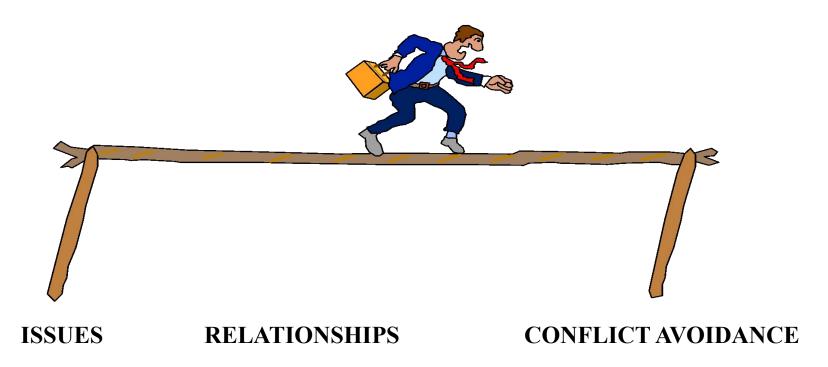
#### When these fears get triggered...



- Use deception to avoid attack
- Cloud the issue to confuse and deflect
- Give the run around to drain the others energy

# A star to aim for is... "Problem Solving"

A flexible balance



### IF PROBLEM SOLVING IS SO GREAT, WHY DO WE USE IT SO LITTLE?



### PRINCIPLES OF ESCAPES AND RELEASES

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 LEVERAGE

#### Escapes & Releases:

- Single Wrist Release
- Double Wrist Grab
- Two hand Grab
- Over-hand Grab
- Front Choke Release
- Rear Choke Release
- Bites & Hair Pulls

#### **ARMED**

- A-Assess the situation
- R- Respect that you could be hurt
- M-Move with commitment
- E- Expand concept of weapons
- D-Disarm only if no other choice

#### Time for LUNCH!!!









### **I**GNORE













#### Interrupt

- Break the chain of behaviors by interrupting the chain of events
- Use humor
- 2. Introduce the unexpected
- 3. Model the appropriate behavior
- Communicate the expected behavior
- Give reassurance

#### Ignore

- Planned Ignoring
- 1. When the inappropriate behavior is unintentional or not likely to reoccur.
- 2. When the goal of the misbehavior is to gain attention.
- 3. When you want a behavior to decrease

#### Redirect

- Physical activities
- Verbal persuasion
- Ventilation of feelings
- Help the individual with his or her problem

#### Reward/Reinforce

- Praise
- Affection
- Tactile Rewards
- Valued activities
- Edibles

#### **Protective Holds:**

- Implied Touch
- Physical Prompt
- Basic Guide-along
- □ Lower Figure "4"
- Side X Side Par. Hold
- Limited Security Hold
- Full Security Hold
- Reverse Cradle Transport
- Floor Management

#### Use of Restrictive Holds:

- Only as a last resort
- Never as a punishment
- Never for convenience
- Use <u>Least Restrictive!</u>
- □ End A.S.A.P
- Must be reviewed

#### Use of Restrictive Holds Cont...

- Monitor vital signs
- Never do it alone
- Avoid face-down techs (prone)
- Must be documented
- Debrief with others
- Notify other parties

#### <u>Planned Physical Intervention</u>

- Component of Behavior Support Plan
- Need must be assessed
- Must be approved
- Emphasized positive proactive steps
- Helps individual with learning coping skills

#### **Emergency Physical Intervention**

- When No Behavior Support in place
- Eminent danger to self or others
- Other less intrusive techniques have failed or are not appropriate.

### The 3 "R's

RELAX

REVIEW



**RECORD** 



### Quiz Time!!!



#### Wrap-up

- Evaluation
- Certificates
- Questions and Answers