



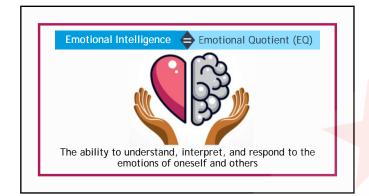


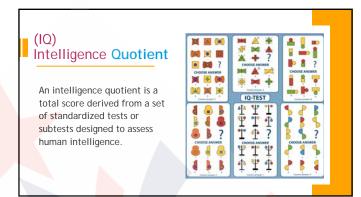


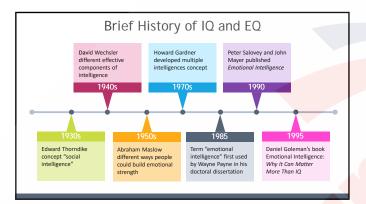
# Gain an understanding of emotional intelligence and its impact on communication and conflict resolution. Acquire proven techniques to reinforce your emotional intelligence to help you communicate effectively and manage conflicts in the workplace.

"The ability to monitor one's own and other's feelings and emotions, to discriminate among them and to use this information to guide one's thinking and actions."

-Peter Salovey and John D Mayer (1990)







# **MULTIPLE INTELLIGENCES**

# Setting the Stage

- The theory of multiple intelligences was developed by Dr. Howard Gardner
- Traditional notion of intelligence, based on I.Q. testing, is far too limited.
- Dr. Gardner proposes different intelligences to account for a broader range of human potential in children and adults.





## **IQ - COGNITIVE INTELLIGENCE**

Test taker's score as compared to the average scores of other people in the same group.

## IQ represents abilities such as:

- Visual and spatial processing
- Knowledge of the world
- Fluid reasoning
- Working with memory and short-term memory
- Quantitative reasoning

## **EQ - EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE**

#### EQ is centered on abilities such as:

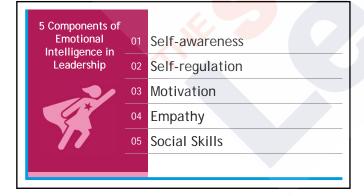
- Identifying emotions
- Evaluating how others feel
- Controlling ones own emotions
- Perceiving how others feel
- Using emotions to facilitate social communication
- Relating to others



# **EQ - EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE**

Characteristics of Emotionally Intelligent People

- Good listeners
- Caring and considerate
- Effectively manage emotions
- Remain calm in stressful situations
- Effective problem-solvers
- Excellent decision-makers and able to trust instincts
- Can view themselves honestly
- Take criticism and use it to improve













# **EMOTIONAL INTELLIGENCE AND COMMUNICATION**

- Individuals who are emotionally intelligent are known to be effective communicators.
- These individuals can discern the underlying feelings behind what the other person is saying in order to respond appropriately in the conversation.
- Emotionally intelligent people use effective strategies for communicating clearly.























Conflict is a collective dilemma in which two or more individuals, families, societies or regions disagree with each other.

(Dzurgba, 2006)

What is Conflict?

Conflict management is the practice of being able to identify and handle conflicts sensibly, fairly, and efficiently.

Conflict Management













Conflict resolution is an alternative approach to handling conflicts. It is a procedure in which parties in conflict, through interpersonal communication are reached to an acceptable and harmonious point of agreement .

(Omoluabi, 2001)

What is Conflict Resolution?

# **Effective Practices for CONFLICT RESOLUTION**

- Separate the person from the problem
- Don't assume others understand your intentions
- Give people the benefit of the doubt

## Have a Positive Attitude Toward Conflict

- Make a choice to be positive
- Decide if you need to reframe negative thoughts
- Visualize positive outcomes
- Reassure yourself in your abilities to resolve conflicts

## **Emotional Intelligence**

- Communication
- Conflict Resolution

# Suggestions for Dealing with Emotions in the Workplace

- Pause before you respond
- Acknowledge the emotion
- You cannot think and feel at the same time
- Don't problem solve, rationalize, or communicate with someone else's emotions
- Don't tolerate other people's behavior
- Understand and handle your emotions

# Strategies for Improving Your Emotional Intelligence

- Observe how you react to people
- Do a self-evaluation
- Examine how you react to stressful situations

## Strategies for Improving Your Emotional Intelligence

- Take responsibility for your actions
- Determine how your actions will affect others
- Practice seeing the perspective of others and giving others the benefit of the doubt.

## Strategies for Improving Your Emotional Intelligence

- 1. Listen
- 2. Empathize
- 3. Reflect

#### Social Emotional Importance

- Child's social and emotional learning (SEL)
- Promotion of information from CSEFEL Center for Social Emotional Foundation for Early Learning
- Curriculum requirements

# Emotional Intelligence - can it be taught or improved?

## For children the strategies include:

- Offering character education,
- Modeling positive behaviors,
- Encouraging people to think about how others are feeling, and
- Finding ways to be more empathetic toward others.

Always remember . . .

To keep your thoughts positive, because your thoughts become your Z ncyl.

To keep your words positive, because your words become your D falloyl.

To keep your actions positive, because your actions become your K delwl.

And, to keep your habits positive, because your habits become your Glavel 1

-Pete Johnson

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