Ten Minute Wellbeing Tips for Managers



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Vision: For our employees to leave work at the end of the day healthier than when they arrived

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Theme: Sense of Community



Episode 31: Getting to Know Each Other's Strengths

Leadership Support

Norms

Cultivating Employee Health & Well-being

Touch Points

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Understanding the Connection



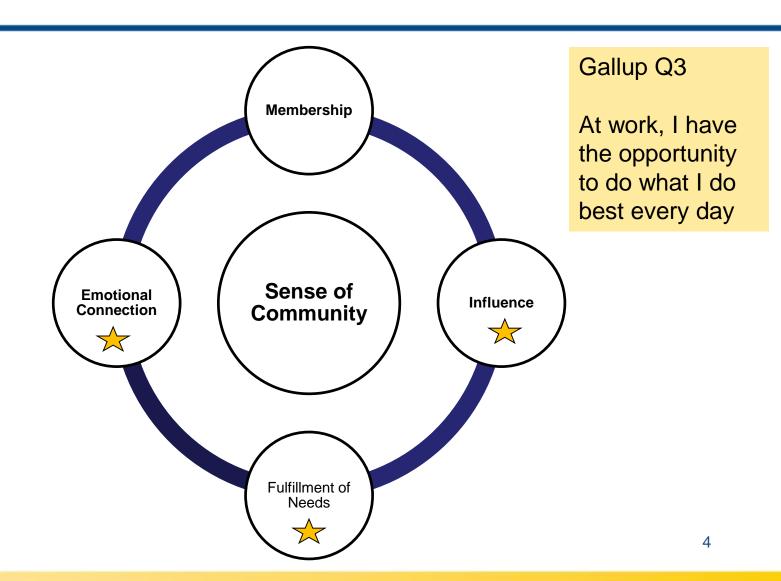




Strength-based workplaces are significantly more collaborative and inclusive (Gallup)

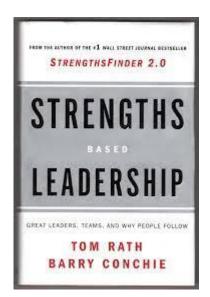


Sense of Community: 4 Elements



Strengths & Engagement





Rath and Conchie (2008) p2

"In the workplace, when an organization's leadership fails to focus on individuals' strengths, the odds of an employee being engaged are a dismal 1 in 11 (9%).

But when an organization's leadership focuses on the strengths of its employees, the odds soar to almost 3 in 4 (73%). So that means when leaders focus on and invest in their employees' strengths, the odds of each person being engaged goes up *eightfold*"

Strengths-Focused Leadership



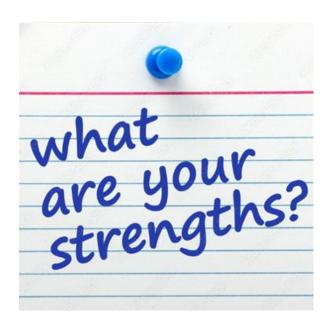
"The best leaders know their people and are more aware of those people's strengths than they are of their weaknesses. Great leaders aren't blind to their own or others' weaknesses; they just know that their competitive edge lies within their strengths."



Strengths discovery

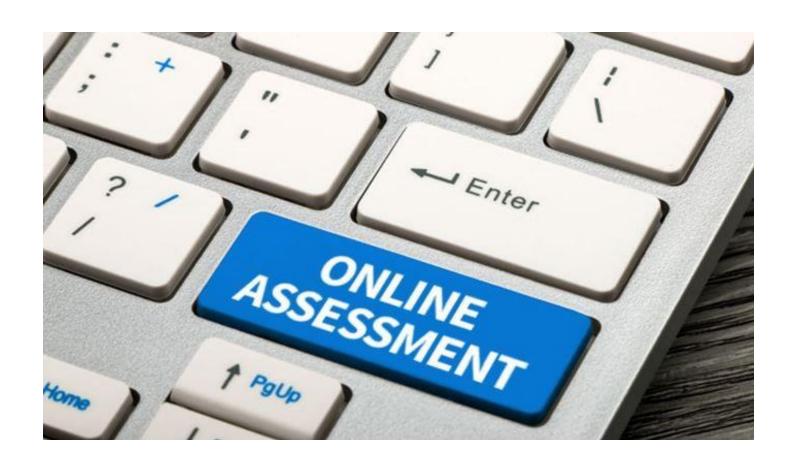


- 1. Formal Assessments
- 2. Discovery Conversations
 - Includes personal reflection
- 3. Noticing energy shifts



Option 1: Formal Strengths Assessments





Clifton Strengths Finder– Gallup





Strengths Profile Assessment



- Cappfinity

- Assesses 60 strengths
- Free starter profile https://www.strengthsprofile.com/
- Two levels of profile reports (paid)



Character Strengths Assessment



VIA Institute on Character

24 Character Strengths (less than 15 minutes)



- Free assessment https://www.viacharacter.org/character-strengths-via
- Four paid report options

Option 2: Discovery Conversations



Everyone has unique strengths and talents. What are yours and how often do you use them?

Sample Discovery Questions



- What is the best thing about you?
- What do you like most about yourself?
- What do you enjoy doing most?
- Tell me about the time when you felt you were making a difference?
- What brings out your best?
- What is your most significant achievement?
- What are your greatest skills?
- What makes you feel you are being who you really are?
- What makes you feel you're doing what you are really meant to do?
- What are you most looking forward to in the future?

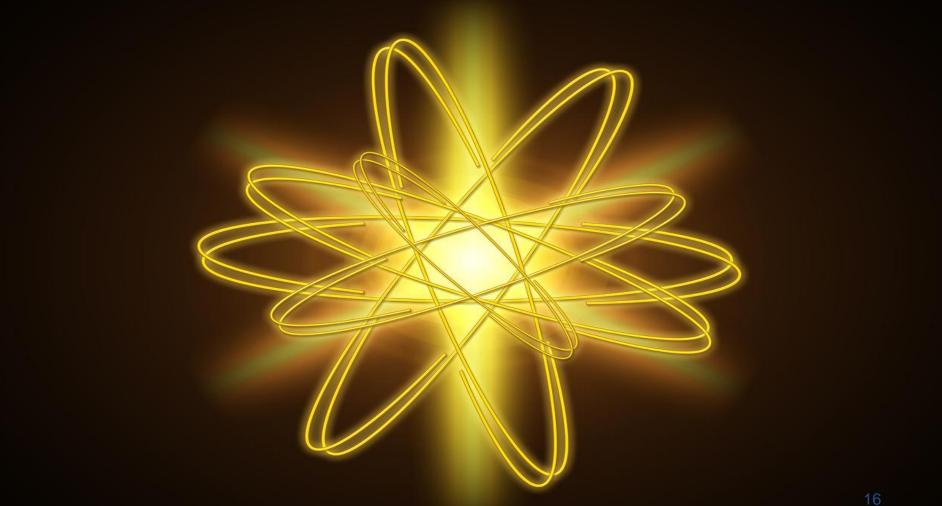
Option 3: Notice the energy!





When do people light up? When do they shine?





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Manager tip #33:

Practice strengths-spotting every day. The more you look for strengths, the more you'll see.



Include opportunities to discuss and acknowledge individual and team strengths.





Coming up next



Addressing resistance

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What Question Do You Have?



