#### **Mastering Communication Art**



1<sup>st</sup> Session



#### Communication Insights

- □Introduction & Communication Model
- **□**Types of Communication
- **□** Communication Fundamentals
- □ Communication Planning

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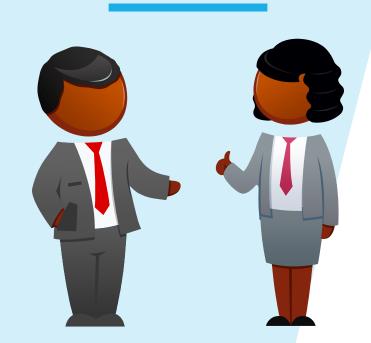


# "It is false to assume that if one can talk he can communicate."

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#### What is Communication?!

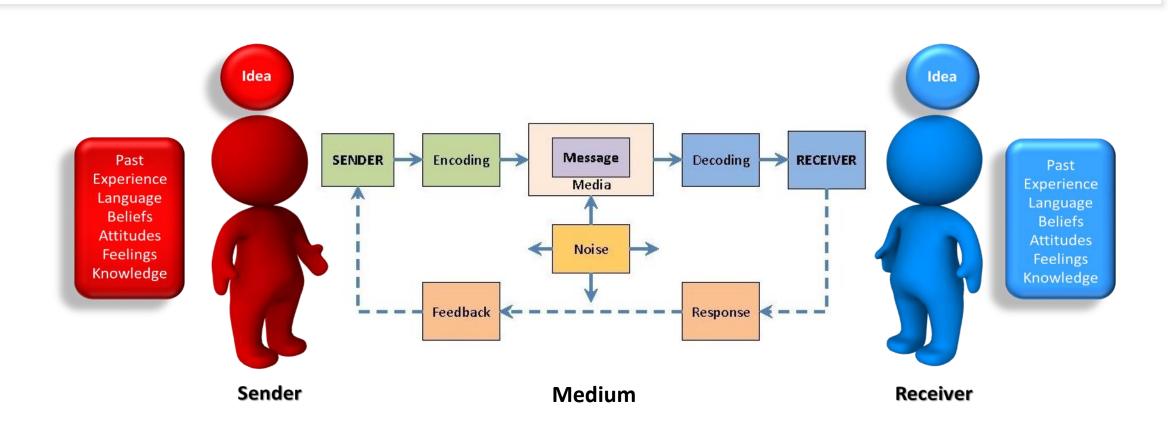




# Communication skills are.....

- The abilities we use when giving and receiving different kinds of information.
- Communicating clearly, effectively, and efficiently are extremely critical and useful skills.

#### **Macro Model Communication Process**





**Past** 

Language

Beliefs

Attitudes

Feelings

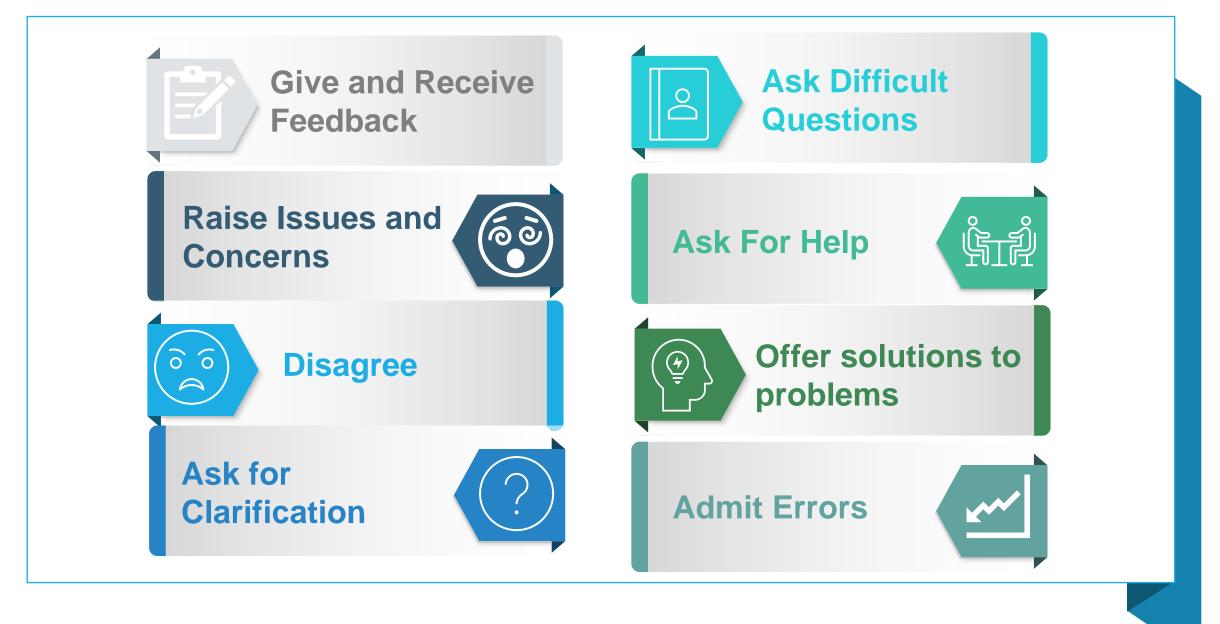
#### Sending: Quick Prescription

- Speak clearly
- Speak slowly
- Use appropriate language
- Check understanding: Feedback!
- Avoid assumptions, bias and stereotyping!!

#### Medium: Cultural Diversity

- Diversity is a healthy trend, but it can lead to challenges in workplace communication due to different identities.
- Existence of diversity leads to the necessity of integration among people in the same department or in different departments, integrated diversity makes a great impact, and the Heart of that integration is effective communication.
- Different background, qualifications, experiences
- Safety and intra communication

#### Safe Communication Culture





- Listen carefully (active listening)
- Ask for clarification
- Write it down
- Repeat the message back
- Avoid assumptions, bias and stereotyping!!



# You Can Communicate in different ways



#### Verbal

- Use a strong, confident speaking voice.
- Use active listening.
- Avoid filler words.
- Avoid industry jargon when appropriate.



#### Nonverbal

- Notice how your emotions feel physically.
- Be intentional about your nonverbal communications.
- Mimic nonverbal communications you find effective.





#### Visual

- Ask others before including visuals.
- Consider your audience.
- Only use visuals if they add value.
- Make them clear and easy-to-understand.



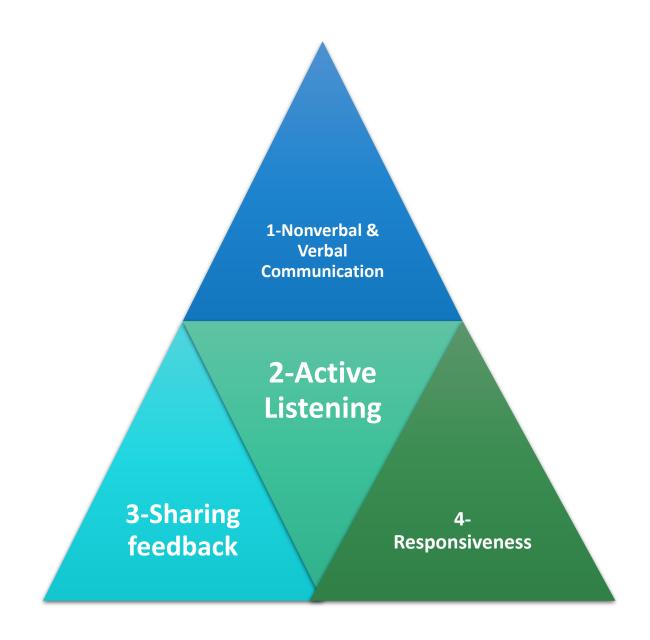
#### Written

- Strive for simplicity.
- Don't rely on tone.
- Take time to review your written communications.
- Keep a file of writing you find effective or enjoyable.



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### Communication fundamentals



# 1.1-Verbal Communication

- Verbal (oral): This is what you are saying
- Para-verbal: This is how you say it
   your tone, speed, pitch, and
   volume.

