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Food Safety Culture - Part 1 of 6: How to get Buy-In, Develop Metrics, and Properly Implement

> **Moderator**: Lone Jespersen Cultivate, Switzerland

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### **Today's Presenters**



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How to get Buy-In, Develop Metrics, and Properly Implement

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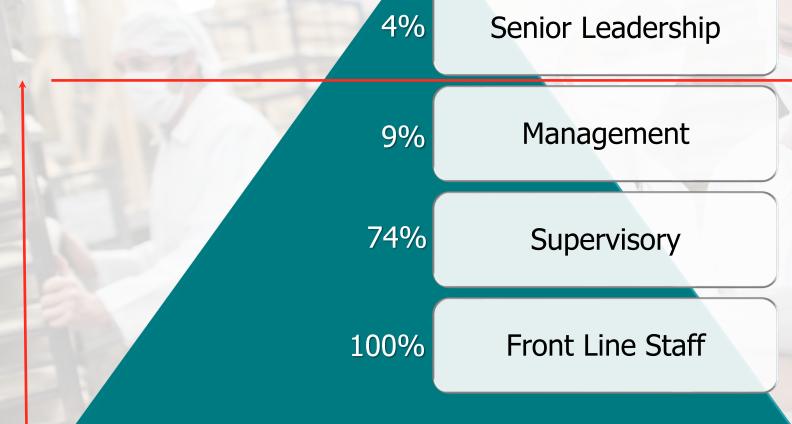
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## Why 'Culture' is Important to Leadership...

The Pyramid of Visibility



Business Risks & Issues

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Adaption from 'Quality Improvement and TQC Management' Sydney Yoshida – The Iceberg of Ignorance

### Understanding Your 'Food Safety Culture'

Doubt

React

Know

Predict

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Internalize

"Who cares as long as we're not caught..."

"Food Safety is important, we do a lot every time we have an incident..."

> "We have systems in place to manage all Food Safety hazards and risks..."

> > "Leadership and values drive continuous improvement..."

"A Culture of Food Safety is how we do business around here..."

### Engaging Leadership...

Are you engaging `Leadership' or `Management'..?

Leadership:

Leaders do what others know need to get done, but don't. Leaders challenge the status quo, effecting positive change in organizations, leading by example.

Management:

Managers build a strategic vision and break it down into a roadmap for their team to follow. Managers like data, figures, facts and are responsible for day-to-day efforts, who focus on work rules, processes, standards, and operating procedures.



### Engaging Leadership...

Know Your Audience:

If you are engaging Leadership, then you need to position the vision, the positive change and how this will shape the future of your organization...

If you are engaging Management, then you need data, facts, figures to position the benefits, cost savings, increased efficiencies, the \$ value to the organization...

Both Leadership and Management are essential elements in any successful organization...

Ultimately, it comes down to how you engage your audience, using their language to gain buy-in...

### Engaging Leadership...

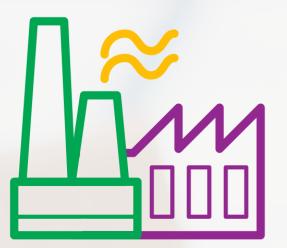
When positioning the topic of 'Food Safety Culture', to gain the buy-in from Leadership, you must remember to focus on:

- What is it costing now?
- What will it save for the future?
- What do you need?
- What will be the benefits to the business?
- What will be the benefits to the workforce?

Try to avoid using acronyms or technical terminology that they may not understand...

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## Gaining Buy-In (Example A)



### ABC Food Manufacturing Inc.

- 5,000 staff
- 24/7 operation
- 5 product recalls in 2019
- Staff attrition @ 40%
- Dated practices and equipment

So, how will improving the 'Culture' benefit the business..?

- Reduce the risk of cross-contamination
- Improve controls of our environmental monitoring programs
- Increase the level of compliance to our Food Safety Standard
- Improve the management of allergens

"So, through our proposed 'Food Safety Culture' strategy, we can reduce the probability of cross-contamination of microbiological contaminants, such as bacteria..."

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## Gaining Buy-In (Example B)



### ABC Food Manufacturing Inc.

- 5,000 staff
- 24/7 operation
- 5 product recalls in 2019
- Staff attrition @ 40%
- Dated practices and equipment

So, how will improving the 'Culture' benefit the business..?

- \$ savings through fewer non-conforming products
- \$ savings through fewer product recalls (avg. @ \$5m)
- \$ savings through reduced staff attrition (10% @ \$1.8m)
- Improved reputation with key customers
- Improved staff engagement, empowerment and communication

"So, through our proposed 'Food Safety Culture' strategy, we aim to reduce X by Y, and save the business  $\ge x$ \$..."

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# Identifying Learning Needs Corresponding Metrics

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# **Business Outcomes**

### VAGUE GOAL:

"Improve quality."

"Understand our company's commitment to quality."

"Perform regular quality testing."

**SPECIFIC/MEASURABLE GOAL:** "Decrease defects in X from 5% to 3% by end-of-year."

"Perform and document daily quality testing based on ABC Standard."

"Employees will be tested on XYZ Standard quarterly, and grades below 80% will require enrollment into training course."

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What abilities or capabilities need to be **developed** for your team to do the thing you want them to do?

# Know

Do people lack the knowledge of what to do, how to do it, or understand why it is important? What information would empower them to make better choices?



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# FOOD SAFETY CULTURE

#### 1. BUSINESS RESULTS

What are the business outcomes you want to achieve following a training initiative? Be as specific as possible, as in the following example: "The North American region will decrease allergen-related recails by at least 20% compared to last year." Write yours here:

#### 2. BEHAVIOR

What is the necessary behavior change that will achieve the above result? What action(s) do you want your team to take? Ensure that these are stated in terms that are observable and measurable. For example, "Employees will adhere to the required staps outlined in the company's "Allergen Prevention Plan' by documenting findings, date of inspection, and their name." Write what skills, actions, or behaviors you want to see here:

#### 3. KNOWLEDGE

What information, attitude shift, or perspective will help learners adopt the aforementioned behavior? Again, specificity is key here, so don't be afraid to overexplain the details of your goals. For example, "Employees must identify common allergens in the company's production ("The Big-8"), develop a personalized action plan for preventing allergen contamination, and obtain a minimum test score of 80% upon completion of the 'Allergen Prevention' e-learning module." Outline what employees need to know here:

#### ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS

The work doesn't stop here. Get creative and actively anticipate what obstacles may interfere with the success of your plan. For example, here are a few questions to ask yourself to inspire solutions before they become problems.

- □ What beliefs, biases, or "cultural artifacts" are potentially interfering?
- What hard-to-break habits are contributing?
- □ What environmental conditions need to be fixed first, before change can occur?
- □ Which presentation approaches would be ideal for this particular behavior change?

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# **BDPS FOR A SUCCESSFUL FOOD SAFETY CULTURE ROLLOUT**

Planning and Preparation

**Communication Plan** 

**Multi-Tiered Alignment** 

Measurement



# I'M READY TO GO! ...NOW WHAT?



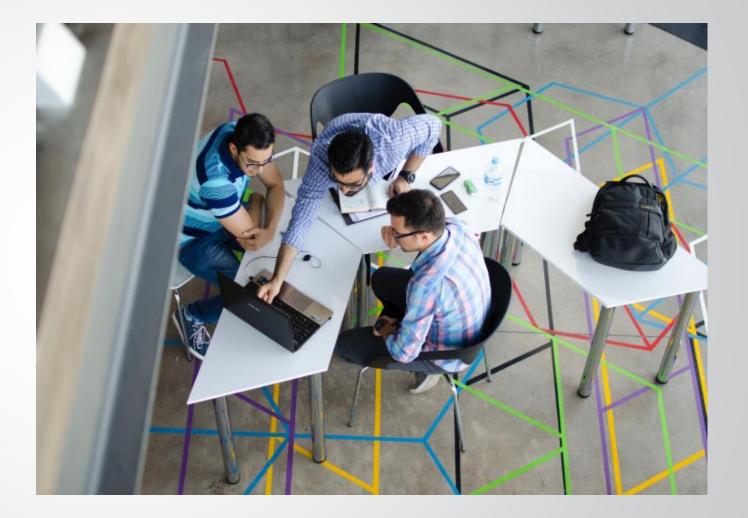
# WHAT IS THE TIMING?

- What are the costs?
- When is budgeting?
- What can we do and when?



# WHO CAN HELP?

- Food Safety/Quality
- Corporate Communications
- Marketing
- External Partners



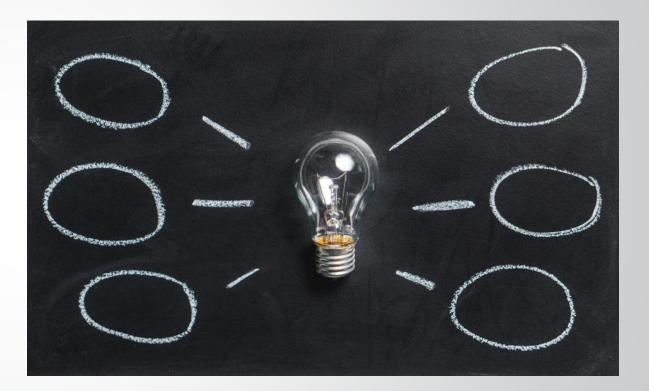
# **CREATING AN EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION PLAN**

- What are your messaging priorities?
- Who are your audiences?
- What are your channels?
- Refresh Frequency?
- What is most impactful at your organization?



# **GETTING MULTI-TIERED ALIGNMENT**

- Leadership Support for Time
- Getting everything everywhere
- Making it stick



# **MEASUREMENT**

- Maturity Model
- Behavioral Observations
- Surveys
- KPIs



# **IMPLEMENTATION IS A JOURNEY**



# **KEY TAKEAWAYS**

- Know your audience and start with the goal in mind
  - Use relevant data to get buy-in and super-charge your journey
- Identify the knowledge and behaviors necessary to accomplish the goal
  - Nothing is too simple download the Sage Media form to get started
- Don't go alone building a culture is a journey
  - Engage others and use external resources when necessary





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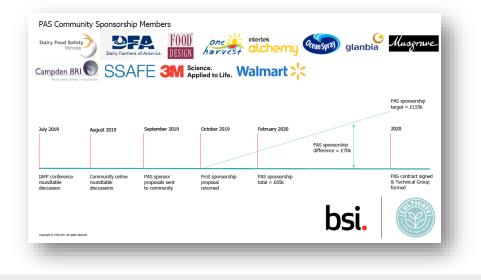
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A Culture of Food Safety – Publicly Available Specification

An open invitation to the IAFP community to get involved...



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