

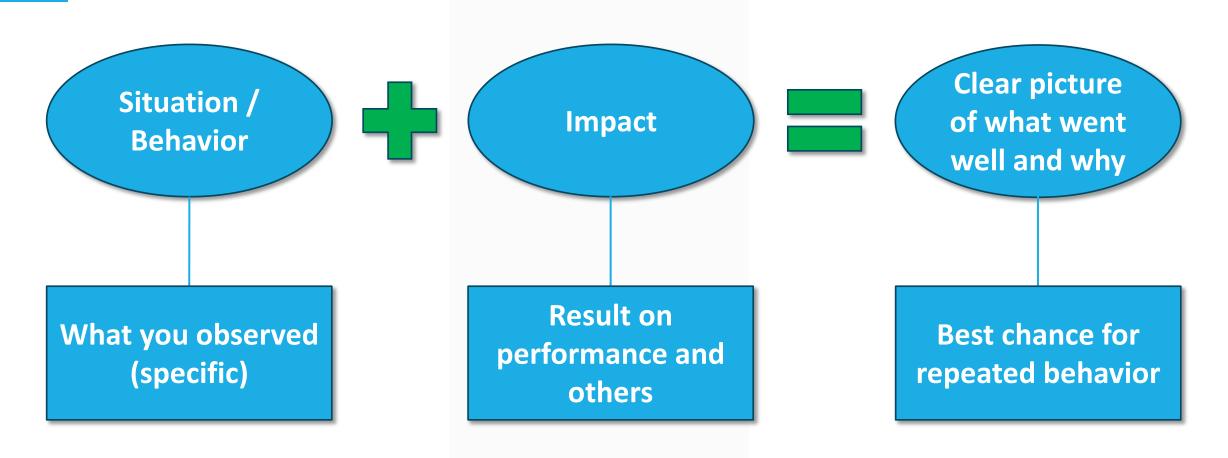
Feedback Formulas for Managers

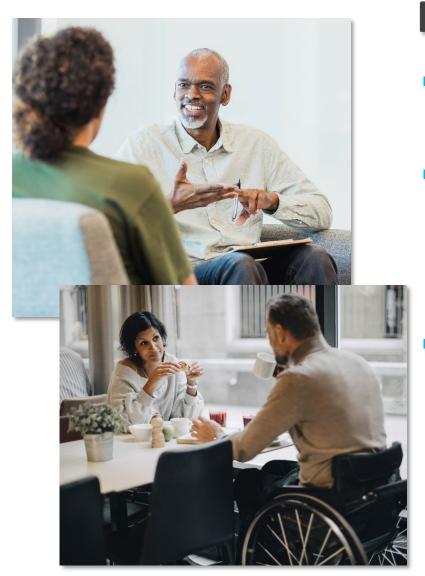
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Giving and Receiving Feedback Formula: Positive

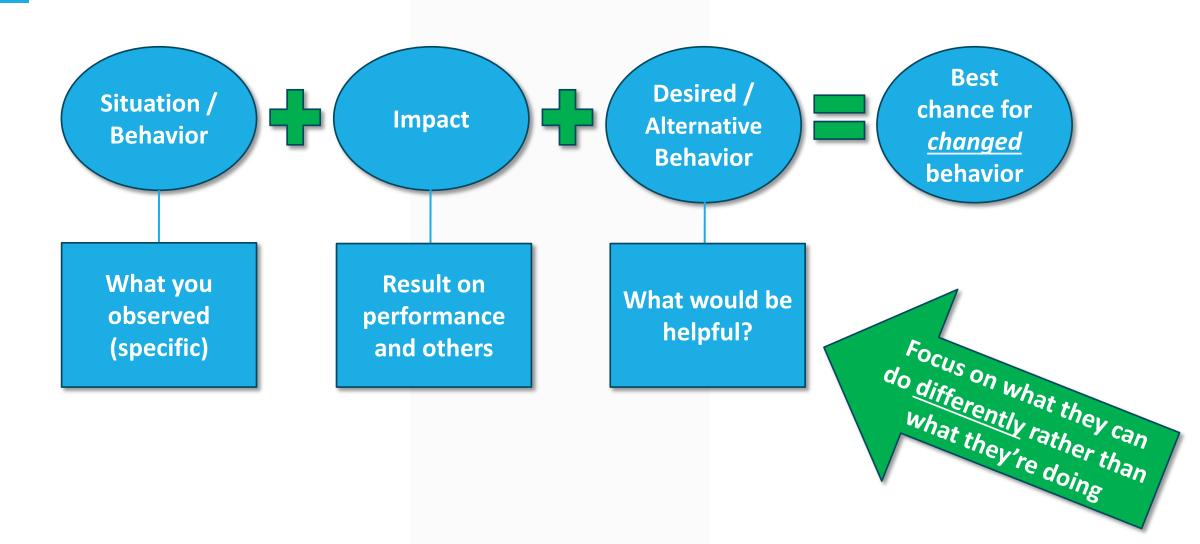




Positive Feedback Example

- Situation: I really enjoyed your presentation at the team meeting this morning.
- Behavior: You explained a complex issue in an easy-to-follow-way and outlined potential solutions clearly and concisely. It was interesting and enjoyable. You checked in for understanding and questions throughout.
- Impact: The audience was participative and engaged throughout. They framed back understanding of the concerns raised and committed to implementing the solutions proposed. A follow-up meeting was set to map out next steps and owners. Good job raising this and gaining advocacy to resolve this issue!

Giving and Receiving Feedback Formula: Constructive





Constructive Feedback Example

- Situation / Behavior: You missed your last two deadlines due to incomplete work submitted.
- Impact: The department incurred late fees which put us over budget. Teammates had to pitch in last minute to help resolve this which led to delayed completion of their other work.

Desired Behavior:

- <u>Gather their Insights</u>: What was this experience like for you? What do you think could've been done differently? Is there anything additional I can do to help?
- <u>Confirming Expectations</u>: E.g., I'd like to see you implement steps earlier in your process to ensure you complete your work to submit ahead of deadlines. If you're still encountering challenges, let me know.