The Structured Approach to Concerning Workplace Incidents (SACWI)

The Six Steps Approach

- 1. The Level of Urgency
- 2. Briefing the Situation
- 3. Behavioral Indicators
- 4. Situational Influences
- 5. Information Checks
- 6. Define and Prioritize Interventions



BRIEFING THE SITUATION

Try to describe the situation as precise

- as possible. Make sure to include the
- following aspects:
- A = Actor(s)
- B= Behaviors and Intentions of Concern
- C = Level of Control
- D= Danger Potential
- E = Extensiveness of the issue
- F= Finding the Stakeholders

SITUATIONAL INFLUENCES Think of : Workload Inadequate Resources Lack of Supervision

Strong Competition



LEVEL OF URGENCY

Does the situation require an immediate intervention? Use 2 for a quick scan. If there is time, use it to define the strategy.



TEN BEHAVIORAL INDICATORS

Look for indicators like: Volatile Moods; (Recent) Negative Life Events; Irrational thoughts; Anxiety; Hostility; Minimal Social interaction; Fixations; Substance abuse; Callous attitude; Desperation.





INFORMATION CHECKS

Check the information on veracity: (number) of sources; Personal interest; Clarity and Consistency)



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