# Changing the World of Work: Are You Changing Too?

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"Be Willing to Change to Remain the Same"

### **Program Objectives**

- Identify the trends of the changing world of work
- Leverage your unique gifts and talents to seize the opportunities of the changing world of work and mitigate the risks
- Position your career to make a difference in your organization and others

### Do You Agree?

"It's not always about getting up after you've been hit, but also about ducking the punches."

- Betty Wright

### **Changing World of Work**

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- Escalating globalization
- Migrating workforce
- · Constantly changing skills
- Containing pensions
- Automating work
- Squeezing out middle management

### **Changing World of Work**

- Choosing efficiency over effectiveness
- Admiring and imitating "for profit" models

### **Eustress vs. Distress**

- Some stress is good for you
  - -Eustress
    - Good stress in arousal and optimal performance
      - -Challenge; uplifts

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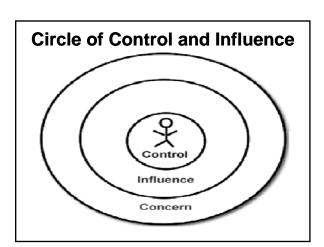
- · Some stress is bad for you
  - -Distress
    - Bad stress that is experienced as a bodily reaction
      - -Hassles; strain

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# How Can You Change These Five?

- 1. Increasing technology
  - -Stay current with hardware and software
- 2. Escalating globalization
  - -Adopt a global mindset

# How Can You Change These Five?

- 3. Migrating workforce
  - Move around the region, country, and world
- 4. Constantly changing skills
  - -Enroll in formal and informal education and volunteer for "stretch" assignments

# How Can You Change These Five?

- 5. Choosing efficiency over effectiveness
  - -Focus on doing a great job but approach the job with SMARTS!

# The Changing World of Health Care

- Cost containment
- Escalating demand
- Growing demand for safety and quality
- Aging population
- Advancing technology

# The Changing World of Health Care

- Decreasing physician workforce
- Focusing on health behavior

### **Is Public Health Changing Too?**

# Environmental Changes Environmental Changes Infectious Disease Threats Advances in Technology Environmental Persistent Disparities Persistent Disparities Clobalization Looming Socio-political Dynamics

# Public Health Workforce: Growing or Shrinking?

- Public health is facing workforce shortages, severe funding cuts, and an increased need for services by Americans
- The number of public health workers per 100,000 Americans dropped from 220 in 1990 to 158 in 2000

http://www.cdc.gov/24-7/protectingpeople/phap/shrinking.html

# Public Health Workforce: Growing or Shrinking?

- By 2012, state and federal public health agencies could lose up to half of their workforce to retirement, the private sector, and other factors
- The Association of Schools of Public Health estimates the workforce shortage will reach nearly a quarter of a million by 2020

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What Is Your USA?

### Your USA = Your Brand

- What are you REALLY good at doing?
- What do others COMPLIMENT you about at work?
- What comes NATURAL for you but challenging for others?
- If you won the lottery, what would you KEEP ON DOING?

# More than Coverage, Quality, and Cost . . .

The Affordable Care Act is a real opportunity for Public Health

# Public Health Pillars of the Affordable Care Act

- Preventive services without cost sharing
- · Policies and programs
- Prevention and Public Health Fund
- National Prevention Strategy

### The National Prevention Council

- Established by Affordable Care Act
- A unique opportunity to prioritize and align prevention activities
- Chaired by the Surgeon General
- Council members: 17 federal departments
- Advisory Group: 25 non-federal members

# Prevention and Public Health Fund Provides Sustainable Funding

Grows from \$500 million to \$2 billion annually

2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015-19
\$500M	\$750M	\$1B	\$1.2B	\$1.5B	\$2B

# **Community Health Needs Assessment**

- Expands Community Benefit Report to Health Services Cost Review Commission (HSCRC)
- Required by Internal Revenue Service 990-Schedule H to justify non-profit status

# **Community Health Needs Assessment**

- Guides decision making for community and allows us to engage effectively with state and federal initiatives
- Leads to development of Local Health Improvement Plan in partnership between the hospital and the local health department

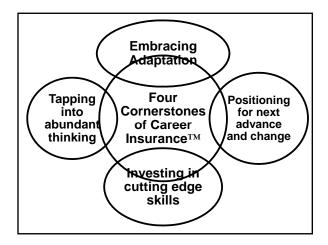
# Do You Have Career Insurance?

### Career Insurance™ Provisions

- Identify the risk of working that is unique to you and your situation
- Determine what differentiates you from others in the labor market
- Draw a roadmap to diversify your income stream

### Career Insurance™ Provisions

- · Leverage your gifts and talents
- Stay on the cutting edge to stay relevant and viable



### Career Insurance™ Policy Clauses

- Manage your physical energy, emotional energy, mental energy, and spiritual energy
- · Conduct scenario planning
- Smell the "coffee"
  - -Face reality even if it stinks
- Take action

# Think Like an Economist Not a Laborer

- What is the current and forecasted demand for my gifts and talents?
- What is the current and future of supply of workers and technology who can do the same job more effectively, efficiently, and cheaper?

# Think Like An Economist: Case Vignette

 If the White House and Congress are both Republican, what are the predictions for environmental legislation?

# Think Like An Economist: Case Vignette

 If mobile apps become the rage for disseminating information and education, what is the future for health educators?

# Think Like An Economist: Case Vignette

 If federal and state governments begin to privatize public health services, who is most qualified to be awarded these contracts?

# Think Like An Economist: Case Vignette

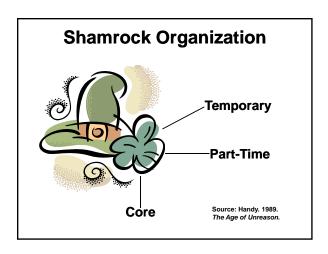
 If the employment of Public Health practitioners is increasing rewards to those with a DrPH degree, then what happens to those with a bachelors or a MPH?

# Think Like An Economist: Case Vignette

 If the Somali speaking or Spanish speaking population increases substantially in your community, what skills will be rewarded by employers?

# Think Like An Economist: Case Vignette

 If prevention and promotion programs are aimed at attracting a population under the age of 30, what knowledge and skills will be valued?



Issue	Traditional Career	Protean Career	
Who's in charge?	Organization	Person	
Core values	Advancement	Freedom; Growth	
Degree of mobility	Lower	High	
Success criteria	Position; Level Salary	Psychological Success	
Key attitudes	Organizational Commitment	Professional Commitment Work Satisfaction	

# Uncertainty

"There has been much tragedy
in my life;
at least half of it actually happened."
- Mark Twain

### **The Personal Power Worksheet**

- Master the Situation
  - -You have control
  - You take action
- Giving Up
  - -You have control
  - -You don't take action

### **The Personal Power Worksheet**

- Frustration
  - -You don't have control
  - -You take action
- Coping
  - -You don't have control
  - -You don't take action

### What Can I Control?

- Take a moment to reflect on a difficult situation at work
- Identify those things that you would like to change with respect to that difficult situation

### What Can I Control?

- Categorize those things that you would like to change with respect to the following categories:
  - -Under my control
  - -Under my influence

### **Control Check**

- I can control . . .
  - -The economy
  - -The election
  - My state legislature
  - My agency
  - My work performance
  - -My future

# Position Your Career to Make A Difference in the Lives of Your Organization and Others

"A useless life is an early death."
- Goethe

### When Is Your Work a Calling?

- When you see your work as an invitation to respond
- When your work serves others and not just you
- When your work involves listening, deep reflection, and discernment
- When your work engages your quintessential self or "genius"

- Adapted: Weiss, Skelley, Hall, and Haughey, 2003.

### **A Matter of Perspective**

- What is the best part of your work?
- What is the worst part of your work?

### **Twelve Paths to Happiness**

- 1. Count your blessings
- 2. Cultivate optimism
- 3. Avoid social comparison and over analyzing
- 4. Practice kindness and compassion
- 5. Nurture key relationships
- 6. Do engaging activities

### **Twelve Paths to Happiness**

- 7. Savor the joys of life
- 8. Commit to key goals
- 9. Develop coping strategies
- 10. Cultivate forgiveness
- 11. Practice religion or spirituality
- 12. Take care of your body

Adapted: Lyubomirsky, Susan. 2008. The How of Happiness.

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### Plan to Change!

- Stop
  - Existing negative behaviors
- Start
  - -New positive behaviors
- Continue
  - Existing positive behaviors

### Plan to Change!

- I will start . . .
- I will continue . . .
- I will stop . . .

### **Thank You!**

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