

## LEADERSHIP CHARACTERISTICS Self Assessment

Rate each statement as something others would say about you by checking the appropriate box to match the following rating scale: 4 Most of the time 1 Never | 2 Sometimes | 3 Usually 5 All of the time What others would say about me . . . Rating Is Knowledgeable: Understands the operations, services and 1 2 3 facilities for which he or she is responsible, and seeks to gain new knowledge and skills. Is Self-Aware: Has a clear understanding of personality, including 1 2 3 strengths, weaknesses, belief, motivations and emotions. Has awareness of the impact his/her actions have on others. **Empowers Others:** Invests in the growth and development of others 1 2 and encourages others to take responsible independent action. Serves Others: Acts in the public interest and demonstrates through his/her actions belief in the value of servant leadership. Makes a Difference: Is committed to having a positive impact on others and sets goals accordingly. **Is Decisive:** Makes decisions with careful consideration of the merits of alternative choices or courses of action. Is Accountable: Takes responsibility for his/her individual actions as well as those of the organization and its members. Is Respectful: Demonstrates through his/her actions consideration 1 2 for colleagues, subordinates, and clients and shows an appreciation for concerns and contributions of others. Promotes Teamwork: Helps teams develop commitment to a 1 2 common purpose and builds team cohesiveness. Is Collaborative: Works in partnership with others to create win-win 2 solutions, and is able to air disagreements without damaging relationships. 2 **Is an Excellent Communicator:** Possesses a genuine interest in 1 3 hearing what the other person has to say, and is able to explain his or her own views. Gives and Receives Feedback: Promotes open communication with 1 | 2 3

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co-workers, managers, and staff; provides and receives feedback in a

responsibility for own actions and provides a positive role model for

Possesses Integrity: Acts with honesty and integrity, accepts

way that promotes mutual respect and learning.

others.

## **Leadership Self-Observation Worksheet**

Reflecting on your assessment answers, what leadership characteristics do you feel you are particularly strong in?
What areas in your assessment indicate an opportunity for further growth and development of your leadership skills?
Choose 2 areas of potential growth and identify 1 or 2 actions you will take to increase your leadership effectiveness:
Area 1:
Action #1
Action #2:
Area 2:
Action #1:
Action #2: