

# Client Success Blueprint Creation SOP (Revised)

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**Purpose:** Understanding who to serve and how to genuinely help them succeed - the foundation for all downstream business activities

## Core Philosophy

The Client Success Blueprint is about identifying the people we should focus on serving and understanding how to genuinely help them achieve success. This is not about operational customer service - it's about deep empathy, problem understanding, and value alignment that drives everything downstream: product design, marketing, sales, and support.

### Key Principles:

- **Filter IN the right people** - Identify who we can genuinely help
- **Filter OUT the wrong people** - Avoid serving people we can't truly help
- **Understand real problems** - Go beyond surface symptoms to root causes
- **Define genuine success** - What success looks like for them, not us
- **Align authentic value** - Ensure our solution genuinely helps them succeed
- **Communicate with resonance** - Help them understand our value in their language

**Total Time:** 2-3 hours using AI-powered prompts

**Output:** Client Success Blueprint that drives all business decisions

## Prerequisites

- Completed Vision and Mission document
- Market and Client Research report
- Understanding that this is about serving people, not extracting profit from them

## The 3-Prompt Understanding Process

**Prompt 1: Deep Problem Discovery and People Understanding (60**

## minutes)

**Objective:** Understand the real problems our ideal people face and what makes them tick, going beyond surface symptoms to root causes and genuine needs.

### Pre-Prompt Questions for User:

1. **Empathy Approach:** Do you prefer to understand people through data/research or personal conversation?
2. **Problem Focus:** Are you drawn to solving urgent problems or important long-term challenges?
3. **People Connection:** What type of people do you naturally connect with and understand?
4. **Value Philosophy:** Do you believe in solving problems completely or providing tools for self-solution?
5. **Success Definition:** How do you personally define success for the people you want to help?

### AI Problem Discovery Prompt:

Plain Text

Based on our Vision/Mission and market research, develop deep understanding of the people we should serve and the real problems they face.

Strategic Foundation:

- Vision: [INSERT VISION STATEMENT]
- Mission: [INSERT MISSION STATEMENT]
- Value Proposition: [INSERT VALUE PROPOSITION]
- Hedgehog Concept: [INSERT HEDGEHOG INTERSECTION]

Market Research Insights:

[INSERT KEY CUSTOMER FINDINGS FROM MARKET RESEARCH]

User Philosophy:

- Empathy approach: [INSERT EMPATHY APPROACH]
- Problem focus: [INSERT PROBLEM FOCUS]
- People connection: [INSERT PEOPLE CONNECTION]
- Value philosophy: [INSERT VALUE PHILOSOPHY]
- Success definition: [INSERT SUCCESS DEFINITION]

Develop:

IDEAL PEOPLE IDENTIFICATION:

Primary Focus Group: [Name/Description]

- Who They Are: Demographics, roles, situations, characteristics
- What Drives Them: Core motivations, values, aspirations, fears
- How They Think: Mental models, decision-making patterns, priorities
- Where They Are: Physical locations, online communities, professional contexts
- What They Care About: Values, causes, outcomes that matter most to them
- How They Communicate: Language, channels, styles, preferences
- What Frustrates Them: Current obstacles, inefficiencies, unmet needs

Secondary Focus Group: [Name/Description]

[Repeat above format]

Tertiary Focus Group: [Name/Description]

[Repeat above format]

#### REAL PROBLEM ANALYSIS:

For Each Focus Group:

Surface Problems:

- What they say their problems are
- Symptoms they experience daily
- Immediate pain points they recognize

Root Cause Problems:

- Underlying causes of surface problems
- Systemic issues creating multiple symptoms
- Fundamental gaps or misalignments

Unrecognized Problems:

- Problems they have but don't realize
- Future problems they're heading toward
- Opportunities they're missing

Problem Impact Analysis:

- How these problems affect their success
- Cost of not solving these problems
- Urgency and importance of resolution
- Emotional impact and stress created

#### PEOPLE FILTERING CRITERIA:

Who We Should Focus On:

- Characteristics that indicate we can genuinely help them
- Situations where our approach is most effective
- Values alignment that creates mutual success
- Problem types that match our capabilities

Who We Should Avoid:

- Characteristics that indicate poor fit
- Situations where we can't deliver genuine value
- Misaligned expectations or values
- Problem types outside our capability or passion

Red Flags and Green Flags:

- Early indicators of good vs. poor fit
- Questions that reveal alignment or misalignment
- Behaviors that predict success or failure
- Attitudes that support or undermine mutual success

Focus on deep empathy and genuine understanding rather than market segmentation or sales targeting.

**Expected Output:** Deep understanding of ideal people and their real problems with clear filtering criteria.

**Time Required:** 60 minutes

## Prompt 2: Success Definition and Value Alignment (60 minutes)

**Objective:** Define what genuine success looks like for our ideal people and ensure our value proposition authentically helps them achieve that success.

**Pre-Prompt Questions for User:**

1. **Success Perspective:** Do you measure success by outcomes achieved or problems eliminated?
2. **Value Delivery Style:** Do you prefer to be a guide, teacher, tool provider, or problem solver?
3. **Relationship Depth:** Do you want deep relationships with fewer people or broader impact with more people?
4. **Success Timeline:** Are you focused on immediate wins or long-term transformation?
5. **Value Validation:** How will you know if you're genuinely helping people succeed?

**AI Success and Value Alignment Prompt:**

Plain Text

Define genuine success for our ideal people and ensure our value proposition authentically helps them achieve that success.

People Understanding:

[INSERT IDEAL PEOPLE ANALYSIS FROM PROMPT 1]

#### Problem Analysis:

[INSERT REAL PROBLEM ANALYSIS FROM PROMPT 1]

#### Strategic Positioning:

- Mission approach: [INSERT MISSION STATEMENT]
- Value proposition: [INSERT VALUE PROPOSITION]
- Competitive advantage: [INSERT COMPETITIVE ADVANTAGE]

#### User Approach:

- Success perspective: [INSERT SUCCESS PERSPECTIVE]
- Value delivery style: [INSERT VALUE DELIVERY STYLE]
- Relationship depth preference: [INSERT RELATIONSHIP DEPTH]
- Success timeline focus: [INSERT SUCCESS TIMELINE]
- Value validation method: [INSERT VALUE VALIDATION]

#### Develop:

##### SUCCESS DEFINITION FRAMEWORK:

##### For Each Focus Group:

##### Their Definition of Success:

- How they personally define success in their situation
- What outcomes would make them feel successful
- What transformation would be most meaningful to them
- How they measure progress and achievement
- What success looks like in their daily life

##### Success Indicators They Recognize:

- Metrics and outcomes they track
- Changes they would notice and celebrate
- Improvements that would excite them
- Progress markers that motivate them

##### Success Indicators They Don't Recognize:

- Positive changes they might not notice
- Long-term benefits they might not connect
- Systemic improvements they might not attribute
- Foundational progress they might not value

##### Success Timeline and Milestones:

- Immediate success (first 30 days)
- Short-term success (3-6 months)
- Medium-term success (6-12 months)
- Long-term success (12+ months)
- Transformational success (2+ years)

## VALUE ALIGNMENT ANALYSIS:

### How Our Solution Helps Them Succeed:

- Direct connection between our value and their success
- Specific ways our approach addresses their real problems
- Unique aspects of our solution that serve their needs
- Why our method is particularly effective for them

### Value Delivery Validation:

- Evidence that our approach genuinely helps
- Proof points that demonstrate real value
- Success stories that resonate with them
- Measurable outcomes that matter to them

### Authentic Differentiation:

- How we're genuinely different in ways that matter to them
- Why our difference creates better outcomes for them
- What makes our approach uniquely suited to their needs
- How our difference reduces their risk or increases their success

## MARKETING PHYSICS ALIGNMENT:

### Overt Benefit (From Their Perspective):

- Clear, obvious benefit they immediately understand and want
- Benefit stated in their language and priorities
- Benefit that directly connects to their definition of success
- Benefit that addresses their most important problems

### Dramatic Difference (That Serves Them):

- Significant differentiation that creates better outcomes for them
- Difference that reduces their effort, risk, or time investment
- Difference that increases their probability of success
- Difference that aligns with their values and preferences

### Real Reasons to Believe (That Reduce Their Risk):

- Credible proof that we can deliver on our promises
- Evidence that reduces their risk of choosing us
- Guarantees or assurances that protect their investment
- Track record or validation that builds their confidence

Focus on authentic value alignment rather than persuasive positioning.

**Expected Output:** Clear success definitions and validated value alignment that ensures genuine mutual benefit.

**Time Required:** 60 minutes

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## Prompt 3: Communication Strategy and Relationship Framework (45 minutes)

**Objective:** Develop communication approach that helps ideal people understand our value in their language and creates framework for genuine, helpful relationships.

### Pre-Prompt Questions for User:

1. **Communication Style:** Do you prefer direct/practical or warm/relationship-focused communication?
2. **Education Approach:** Do you like to teach through content, examples, or personal guidance?
3. **Relationship Building:** Do you build trust through expertise, empathy, or results?
4. **Community Philosophy:** Do you prefer one-on-one relationships or community building?
5. **Boundary Setting:** How do you maintain healthy boundaries while being genuinely helpful?

### AI Communication and Relationship Prompt:

Plain Text

Develop communication strategy and relationship framework that helps ideal people understand our value and creates foundation for genuine, helpful relationships.

Success Framework:

[INSERT SUCCESS DEFINITIONS FROM PROMPT 2]

Value Alignment:

[INSERT VALUE ALIGNMENT ANALYSIS FROM PROMPT 2]

Marketing Physics Framework:

[INSERT OVERT BENEFIT, DRAMATIC DIFFERENCE, REAL REASONS TO BELIEVE FROM PROMPT 2]

User Communication Approach:

- Communication style: [INSERT COMMUNICATION STYLE]
- Education approach: [INSERT EDUCATION APPROACH]
- Relationship building method: [INSERT RELATIONSHIP BUILDING]
- Community philosophy: [INSERT COMMUNITY PHILOSOPHY]
- Boundary setting approach: [INSERT BOUNDARY SETTING]

Develop:

COMMUNICATION STRATEGY:

## For Each Focus Group:

### Their Language and Communication Preferences:

- Words and phrases they use to describe their problems
- Communication channels they prefer and trust
- Information format they find most helpful
- Decision-making information they need
- Emotional tone that resonates with them

### Value Communication Framework:

- How to explain our overt benefit in their language
- How to demonstrate our dramatic difference in ways they care about
- How to present our real reasons to believe that reduce their concerns
- How to connect our value to their definition of success

### Message Hierarchy:

- Primary message that immediately resonates
- Supporting messages that build understanding
- Proof messages that build confidence
- Action messages that guide next steps

### Communication Channels and Touchpoints:

- Where to find them and how to reach them
- What channels they trust for different types of information
- How they prefer to learn about solutions
- What format works best for different message types

## RELATIONSHIP FRAMEWORK:

### Relationship Philosophy:

- How we view our relationship with the people we serve
- What kind of relationship serves their success best
- How we balance being helpful with maintaining boundaries
- What mutual success looks like in our relationships

### Helping Without Selling:

- How to provide genuine value before any transaction
- Ways to help them understand their problems better
- Resources and insights we can share freely
- How to guide them toward good decisions (even if not with us)

### Trust Building Approach:

- How we demonstrate competence and reliability
- Ways we show genuine care for their success
- How we prove our dramatic difference through actions
- Methods for building confidence in our ability to help



#### Boundary and Filtering Framework:

- How to identify when someone is a good fit
- How to gracefully redirect people who aren't a good fit
- Ways to maintain focus on people we can genuinely help
- How to say no while still being helpful

#### IMPLEMENTATION GUIDANCE:

##### Content and Education Strategy:

- What to teach and share to help ideal people
- How to demonstrate our value through helpful content
- Ways to help them recognize and understand their problems
- Methods for building their confidence in potential solutions

##### Community and Connection Building:

- How to find and connect with ideal people
- Ways to build relationships before any business discussion
- Methods for creating mutual value and understanding
- Approaches for long-term relationship development

##### Success Measurement:

- How to know if we're genuinely helping people
- Indicators that our communication is resonating
- Signs that relationships are mutually beneficial
- Metrics that matter for authentic value creation

Focus on genuine helpfulness and mutual success rather than persuasion or conversion tactics.

**Expected Output:** Communication strategy and relationship framework that enables authentic connection and genuine value delivery.

**Time Required:** 45 minutes

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## Implementation Schedule

### Same Day Option (After Vision/Mission):

- 6:45-7:00 PM: Gather user inputs for all prompts
- 7:00-8:00 PM: Execute Prompt 1 (Deep Problem Discovery)
- 8:00-8:15 PM: Break and reflection
- 8:15-9:15 PM: Execute Prompt 2 (Success & Value Alignment)
- 9:15-10:00 PM: Execute Prompt 3 (Communication & Relationships)

### Next Day Option:

- 9:00-9:15 AM: Gather user inputs for all prompts
- 9:15-10:15 AM: Execute Prompt 1 (Deep Problem Discovery)
- 10:15-10:30 AM: Break and reflection
- 10:30-11:30 AM: Execute Prompt 2 (Success & Value Alignment)
- 11:30 AM-12:15 PM: Execute Prompt 3 (Communication & Relationships)

## Quality Control Checkpoints

### After Prompt 1:

- Deep empathy and understanding of ideal people is evident
- Real problems are identified beyond surface symptoms
- Filtering criteria clearly distinguish good fit from poor fit
- Understanding feels authentic and actionable

### After Prompt 2:

- Success definitions reflect their perspective, not ours
- Value alignment is genuine and mutually beneficial
- Marketing Physics elements serve their needs authentically
- Framework supports genuine value delivery

### After Prompt 3:

- Communication strategy helps rather than persuades
- Relationship framework supports mutual success
- Implementation guidance is practical and authentic
- Framework enables filtering and boundary setting

## Success Criteria

- Clear understanding of who we should serve and why
- Deep empathy for their real problems and success definitions
- Authentic value alignment that serves their genuine needs
- Communication approach that resonates in their language
- Relationship framework that supports mutual success
- Filtering criteria that maintain focus on good fit people

- Foundation that drives all downstream business decisions

## Integration with Business Development

The Client Success Blueprint drives:

- **Product Design:** Build solutions that genuinely help ideal people succeed
- **Marketing:** Communicate value in ways that resonate and help understanding
- **Sales:** Filter for good fit and guide people toward right decisions
- **Support:** Deliver value that supports their definition of success
- **Growth:** Scale by serving more of the right people more effectively

This process creates the foundation for authentic, sustainable business growth through genuine value creation and mutual success.