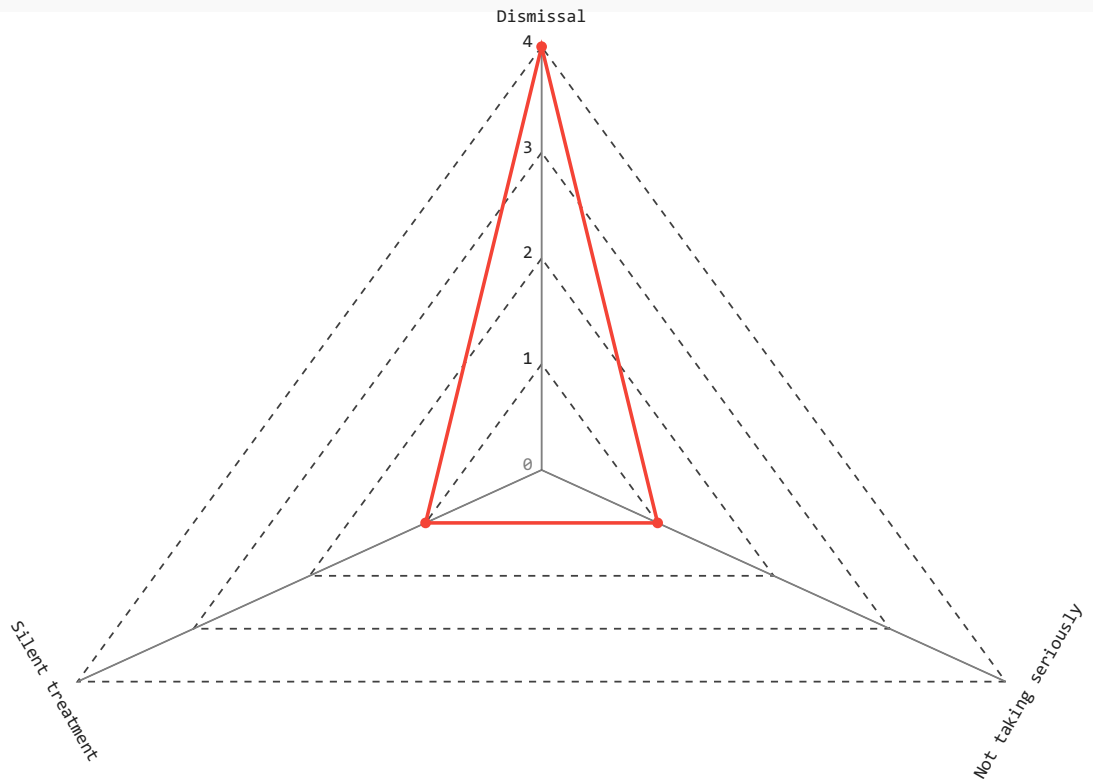


## Manipulative Expression Recognition (MER)

Person B



### Qualitative summary:

Person A's conversational style is inquisitive and emotional. They ask questions to understand the situation and express their feelings through their reactions. They also show signs of panic and confusion when they learn about the kittens' fate. On the other hand, Person B's style is more detached and nonchalant. They respond to Person A's questions with short, direct statements and show little emotional reaction to the situation. They also maintain silence at times, which adds to their aloof demeanor.

### Labelled input:

Person A came home from their summer job the next day to find the kittens missing.

Person A: "Have you seen the kittens? They aren't in their crate!"

Person B: "Yes. They don't live here anymore." **Dismissal**

Person A: \*confused\*: "Uhhhhh, what do you mean? I have someone that wants to come see them..."

Person B: \*silence\* **Silent treatment**

Person A: "Person B, what did you do? Did you give them away?" I ended on a hopeful note, unable to imagine what she was about to say.

Person B: "I let them go free." **Dismissal**

Person A: \*panicked\* "What do you mean?!"

Person B: "I drove them down to a nice gated community in Desert Shores and put them on some grass." **Dismissal**

Person A is completely stunned to the point of silence. Person A can't even squeak out a word as tears rush to their eyes and their heart sinks into their innards.

Person B: "Someone will find them. It's a nice area. They'll find a good home." **Dismissal, Not taking seriously**