Head, Heart, Guts Self-Assessment



Take the Head, Heart, Guts Self-Assessment below to understand which style will come most naturally when making decisions. Before you begin, make sure you review the Leading Decision Making Learning Moment,

You can work out your highest and lowest styles by adding up your score at the end. 'Almost Always' = three points, 'Often' = two points, and 'Sometimes' = one point.

Once completed you can turn over the page to see the actions you can take to improve your decision making in each of the three styles.

	Actions	Self-assessment			
		Sometimes (1)		Almost Always (3)	Total
HEAD	I look at the big picture				/18
	I operate with a global perspective				
	I understand how to create value for Myer and our customers				
	I align my performance objectives and targets, and those of my team, with Myer's business strategy				
	I understand what needs to be done to create a better future				
	I review objective data when making decisions				
Heart	I communicate effectively; up, down and across Myer				/18
	I support and lead change				
	I cultivate collaborative relationships internally and externally				
	I am a team player				
	I lead with a strong purpose				
	I am a good role model				
Guts	I act decisively				/18
	I take a stand if required				
	I take ownership and demonstrate integrity				
	I take appropriate and calculated risks				
	I develop alternatives to solutions and problems				
	I follow our values to help make the right decision				



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Read the list of actions that you could take to improve your decision making in each of the different styles. Tick the ones you would like to give a go, then you can print this out and keep it somewhere accessible while at work. Consider also creating a development action in DARE.

HEAD	GIVE IT A GO? 🗆
Talk to your senior leaders about key metrics and performance objectives. Ask for more information about Myer's strategy	√
Attend cross-functional meetings, Huddles and Results meetings	
Run a team session looking for ways to align team outputs with strategy and purpose	
Add your own:	
HEART	
Show up	
Be an ambassador	
Offer to help where you can	
Take time to invest in relationships with people	
Balance your focus on tasks & people	
Ask questions and be curious	
Listen and be authentic	
Give and seek feedback	
Recognise contributions and celebrate success	
Add your own:	
GUTS	
Plan and prepare	
If you don't know, say so	
Learn from reflecting on what could be done better	
Take the time to bring people along on the journey with you	
Be true to your and our organisational values	
Add your own:	

