PLANNING YOUR PRESENTATION

Planning

Define clearly:

Why am I giving this talk?

- State specific objectives;
- What is message/ what are the results?

Who is in Audience?

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- Most Important Element (you/the talk/ the audience)
- Anticipate concerns and interests
- What are they there for?

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Define clearly:

- Where the meeting to be held?
- When will the meeting be?
- Morning/ After Lunch

Outlining Your Topic

Produce an Outline to:

- »Ensure a Solid Framework
- »Ensure a Clear Direction
- »Provide a Checklist

Planning –Review

- Check your presentation for:
- Organization and Strategy
- Clear Objectives
- Sequence of Main Points
- Main Points Versus Time
- Duplication/Repetition
- Enough Evidence for Conclusions

Key items to remember:

- Adhere to your time limit
- Do not read verbatim
- -Know the equipment you will be using
- Do not block the view of the overhead screen while presenting

Key items to remember:

- Speak to your audience, not to your visuals
- Speak slowly, clearly, and with enough volume for the entire audience to hear
- -Rehearse, Rehearse, Rehearse!