

Implementing Meaningful Workplace Learning Interventions

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Overview

Background

Organisation
Workplace Issues



Meaningful Workplace Learning Interventions

Criteria
Implementation
Challenges
Key Success Factors

Family-owned SME

(Stainless Steel Components Supplier, Precision Engineering)

Business Operations

Founder's 2 Sons

>40 Staff: Manufacturing Ops
(Singaporeans, PRCs, Indians)

Sales, Finance, Biz Dev

Other Family Members

<40 Staff: Support
(Young Polytechnic Grads, Interns)

Clients: Oil and Gas

Background

Workplace Issues

Manufacturing Ops

*Raw material rework
and scrap rate:
2% above average*



Support

**Ineffective Communication
between teams**



Business Costs

Contributing Factors – Manufacturing

Ops



No OJT Blueprint, Job Aids and Handouts

No Assessment of Learner's Competency

Inconsistent OJT Delivery

Lack of Involvement from Senior Staff

Criteria

P.A.R Criteria

Practacticality – *Workability*

Aceptance – *Stakeholders*

Relevance – *Business, Staff*

Implementation

OJT Blueprint, Job Aids
Designed and Developed

OJT Trainer Coached

OJT Blueprint, Job Aids
Utilised During OJT



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Implementation - OJT Blueprint, Job Aids Designed and Developed

Job Aid: Computation Form

Job Record Number: _____

Material code: _____

Hardness value: _____

Heat treatment

Welded

3.2 Set tool offset value (X value)

Steps	Key Points (UK, Important Points to note, Safety)	Resources Needed to perform Task Steps	Task Standards	Training Guidelines (OJT Trainer)
<input type="checkbox"/> Press x under 'handle axis' on the controller <input type="checkbox"/> Position the tool head close to the <u>curved surface area of the raw workpiece</u> (Turn the 'handle' knob) <input type="checkbox"/> Press 'OFS SET' button on the control panel <input type="checkbox"/> Press soft Button 'Work' below the screen <input type="checkbox"/> Move the cursor up and down by pressing '▲▼' buttons on the control panel to the first of x value	Adjust the tool head <u>slowly</u> when it is reaching the curved surface area	1. LG - Tool offset instructions (appendix 15) 2. Picture 2j: Controller 3. Picture 3c: Buttons to press for Z and X value offset on <u>controller</u> 4. Picture 3d: Buttons to press for Z and X value offset on <u>control panel</u> 5. Picture 3e: Work Soft Button	<input type="checkbox"/> Spindle does not cut into the raw workpiece material	Show and tell learners: <input type="checkbox"/> Which buttons to press for each step

OJT Blueprint

G Code Values

Q	T	D	R

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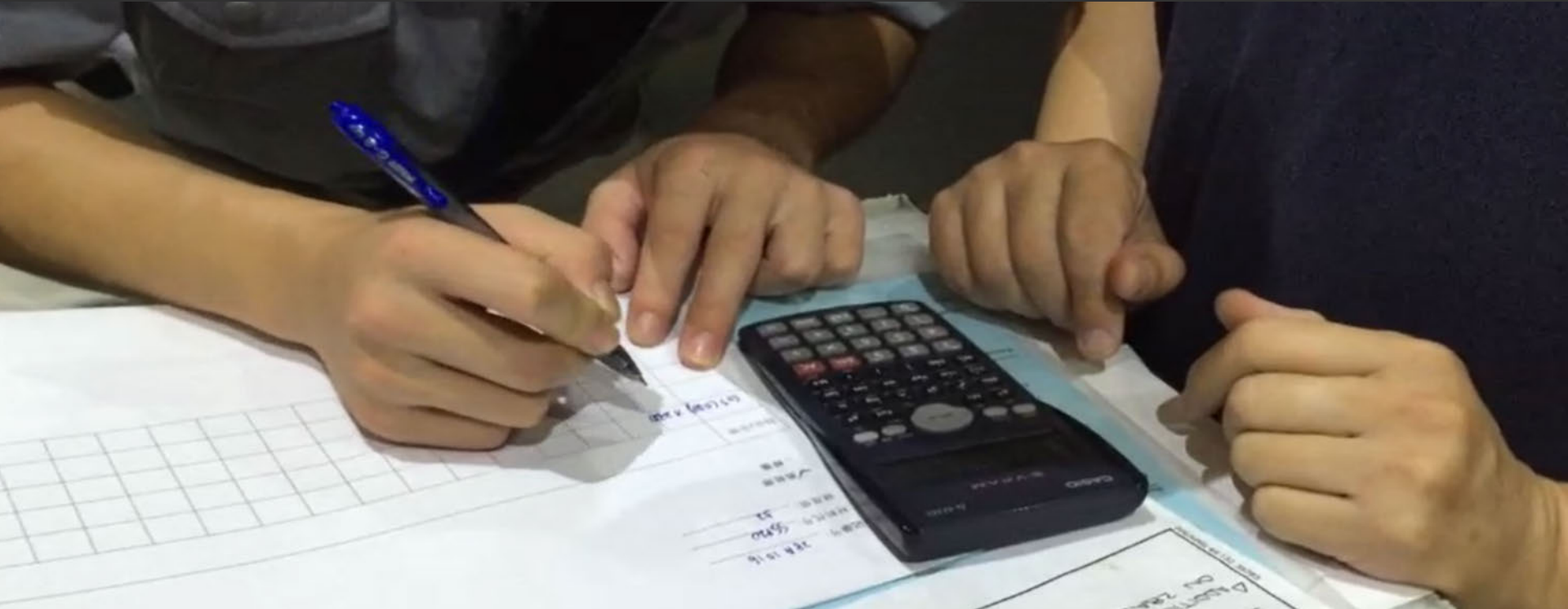
Implementation - OJT Trainer Coached



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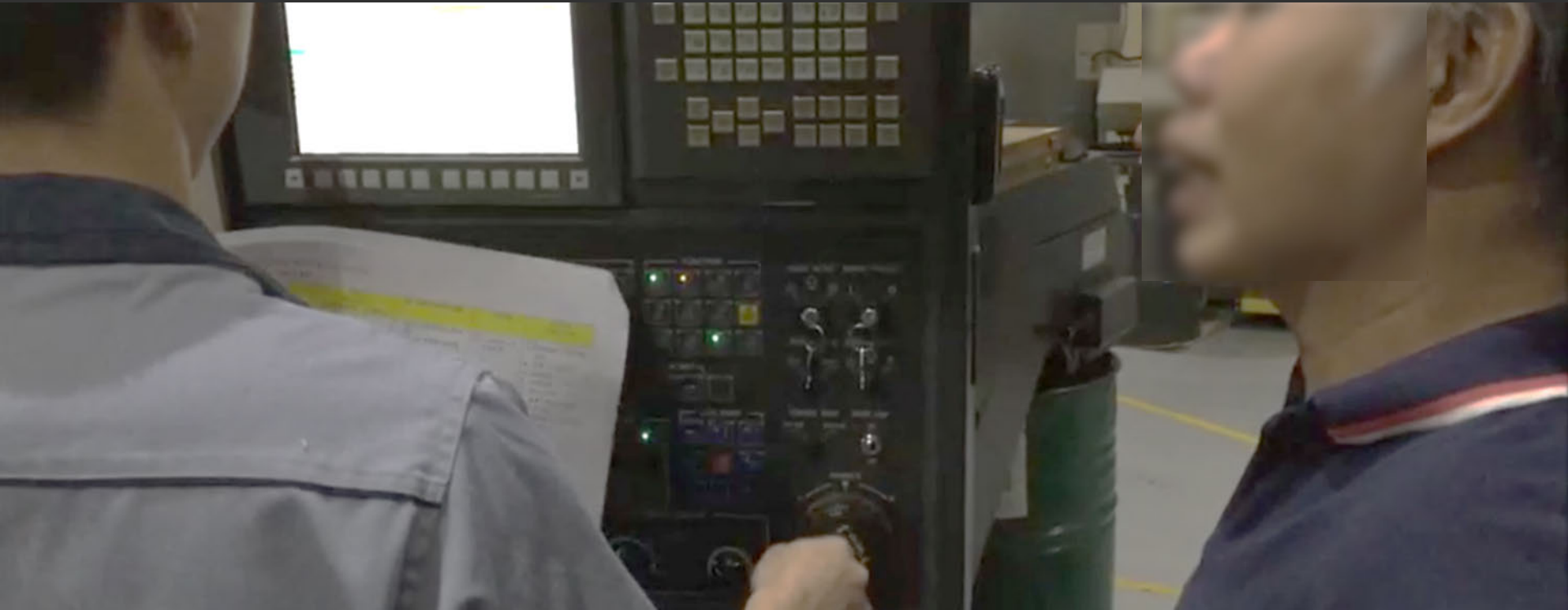
Implementation - Developed OJT Blueprint, Job Aids Utilised in OJT



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Challenges



**Management
Commitment**

**Protected
Time**

**Buy-in from
Ops Staff**

**Lack of Existing
Materials**

Contributing Factors – Support Function

Lack of Information Exchange
between Departments

Adhoc and Ineffective Meetings

Implementation

Discussion Guides
Designed and Developed

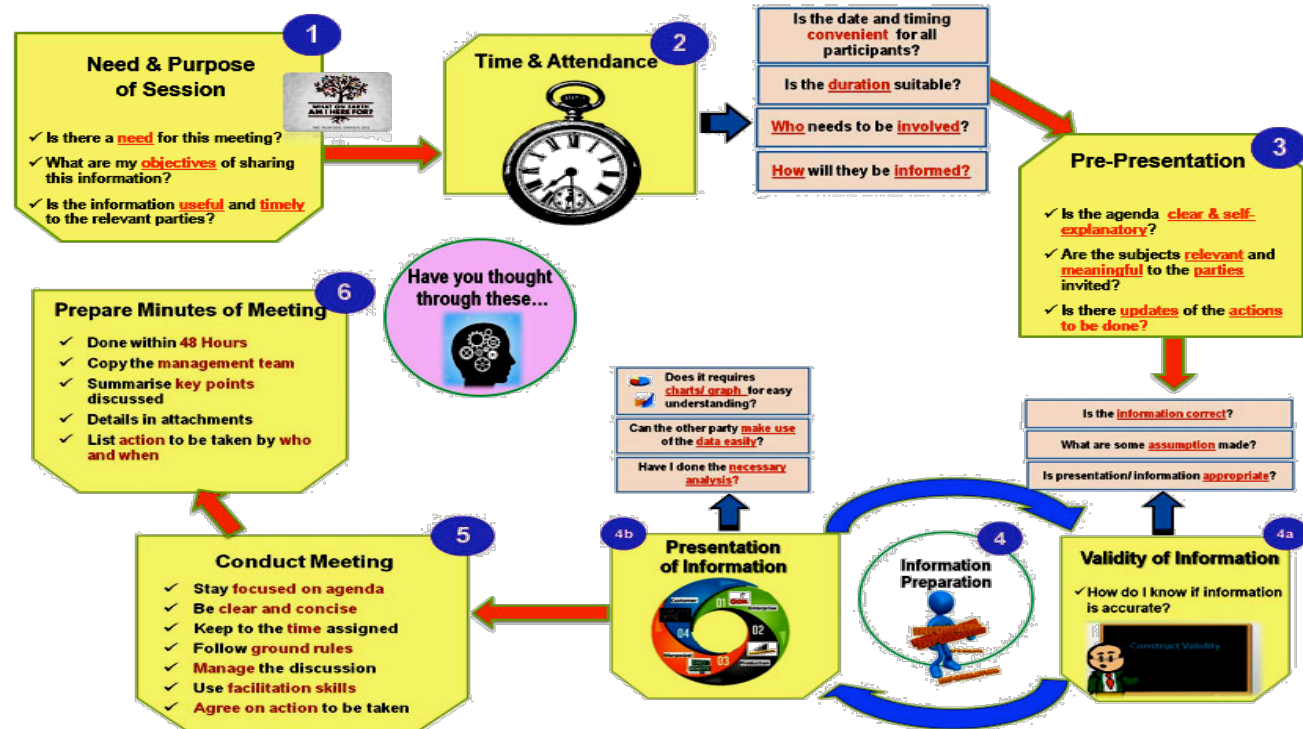
Facilitation Techniques Shared

Discussion Guides and
Facilitation Techniques
Applied

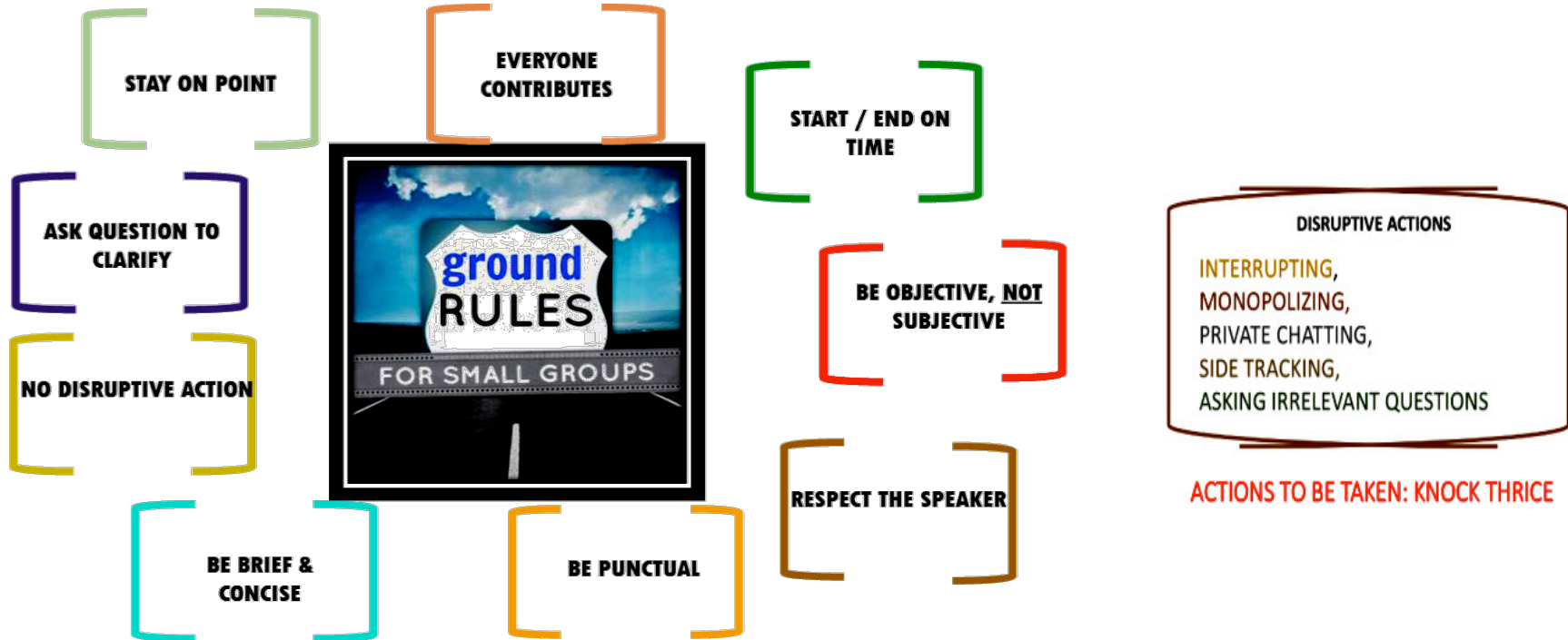


Implementation - Discussion Guides Designed and Developed

Thinking Process – Information Owner

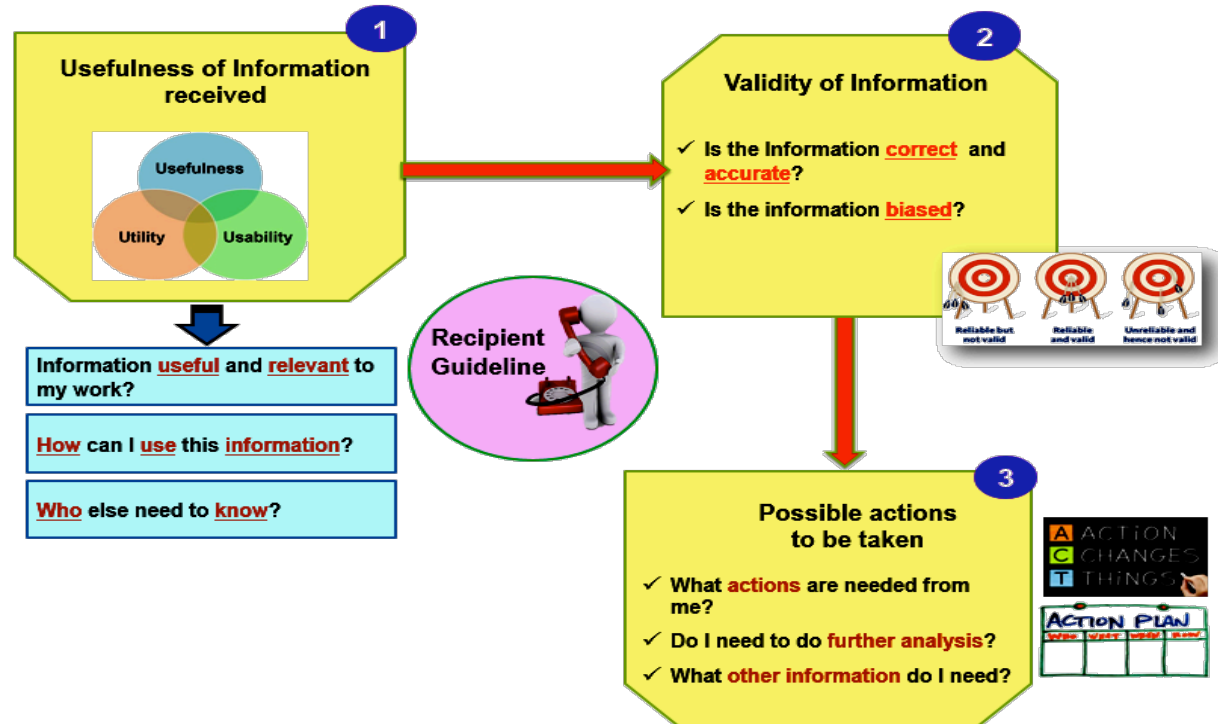


Implementation - Discussion Guides Designed and Developed



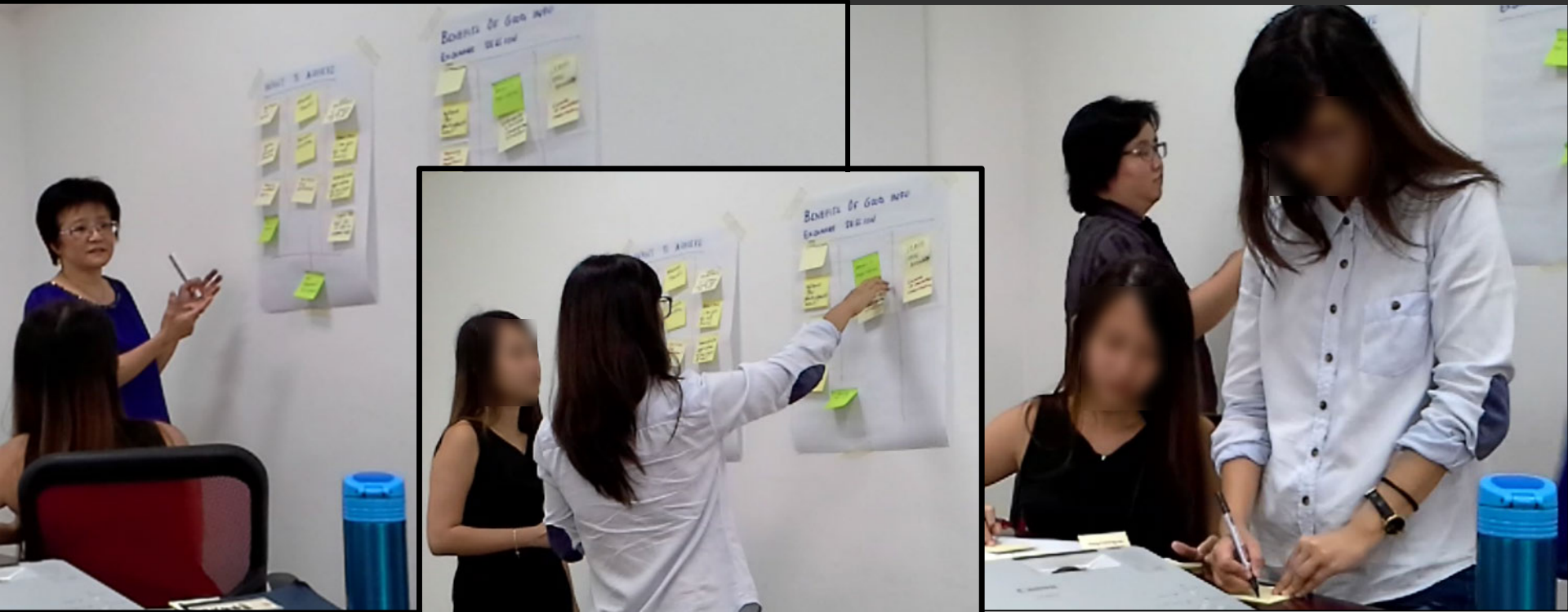
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Recipient Guide



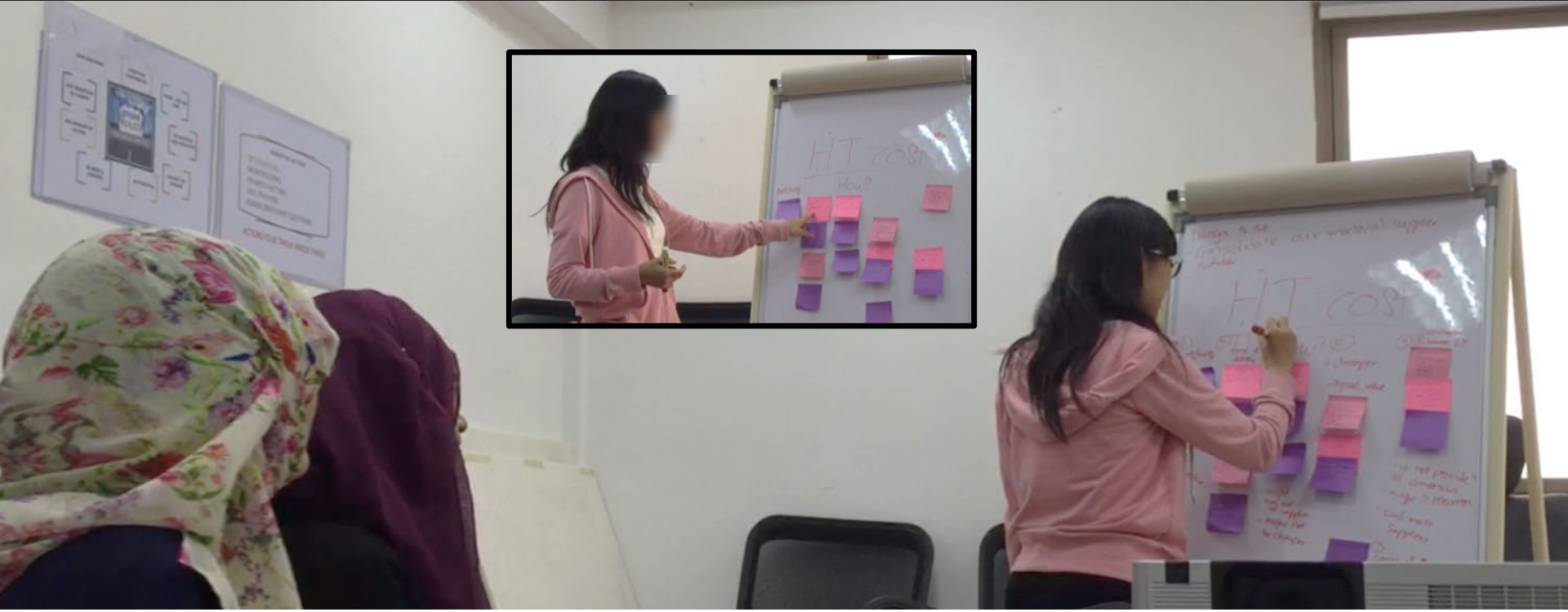
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Implementation - Facilitation Techniques Shared



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Implementation - Discussion Guide, Facilitation Techniques Applied



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Challenges



**Mindset of
Management**

**Protected
Time**

Delays

**High turnover; Generally
Young and Inexperienced Staff**

10 Key Success Factors

Interventions: variety of forms and scale

Capable project champion

Personal bias

Good starting point

Be meticulous in findings

Frequent validation

Be adaptable and open

Leverage on new technologies

Clear project timeline, follow up

Have fun!

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