

# Empathy Mapping to build your 'tribe'

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# Today...

1. **Donor Love:** The Why of Engagement and Loyalty
2. **Audience:** Who, What, Where of Digital ([Thanks Fi McFee](#))
3. **Tribes:** How to build them
4. **Empathy:** Understand their world
5. **Journeys:** Identify the moments that matter
6. **Case studies:** Bringing it all together



# Sharing the love

People love  
giving




# Donor Love - protect your base in Covid

**Wellbeing** involves three essential characteristics:

- **autonomy** – a sense of control
- **connectedness** – the quantity and quality of relationships
- **competence** – effectiveness

*“The more autonomous, connected, and competent people feel, the greater sense of personal wellbeing they will feel. Conversely, when people feel those qualities eroding, they will feel a decline in wellbeing”*



“It is 3x more expensive to acquire a new donor than it is to retain an existing one”

**Fiona  
McPhee**

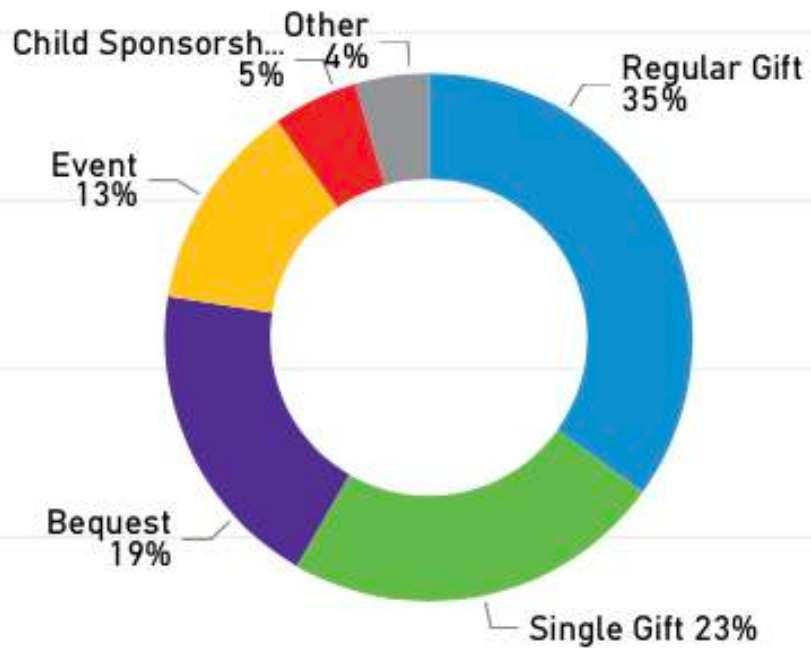
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FUNDRAISING  
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& COACH

# Your Potential Online Audience

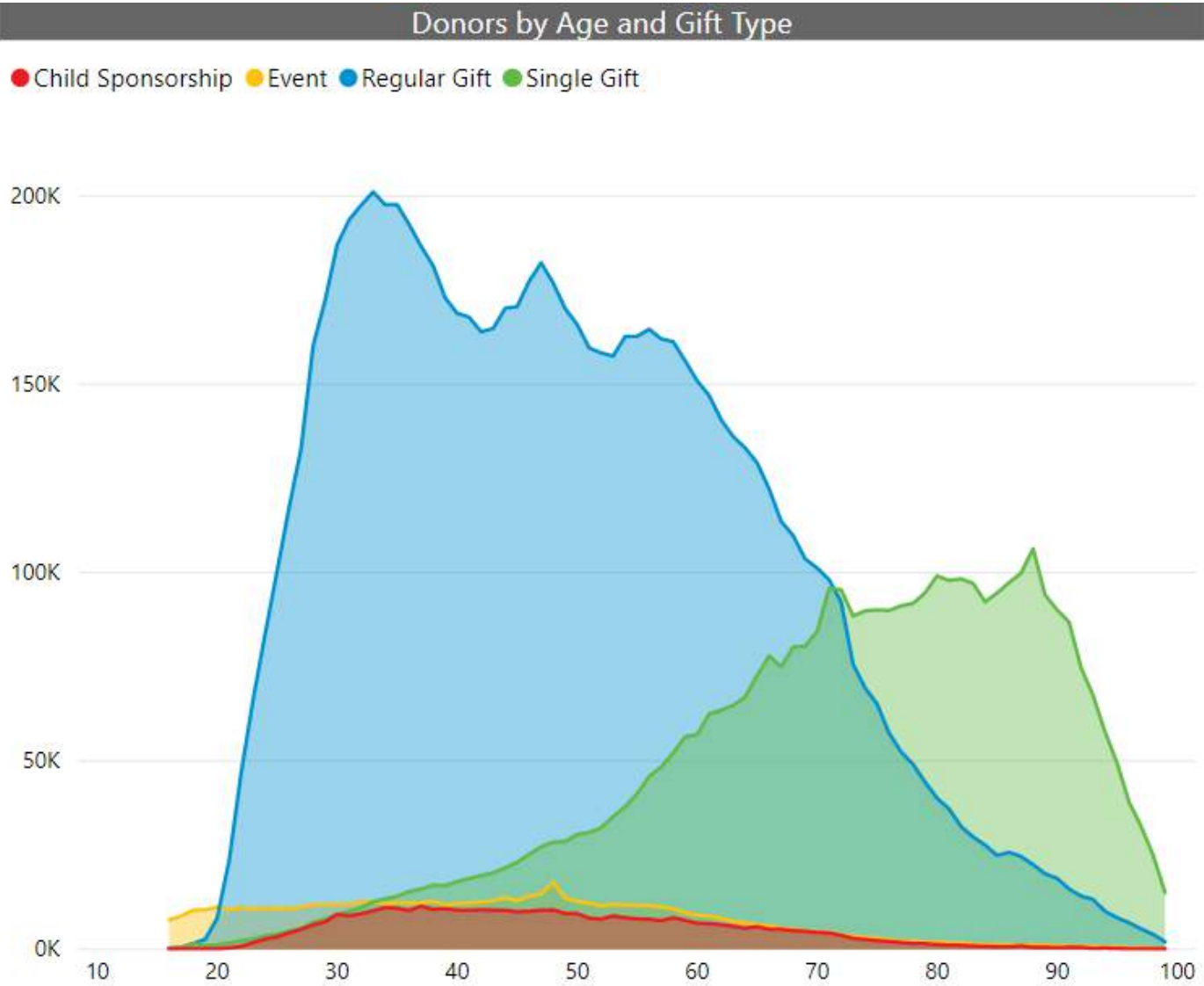
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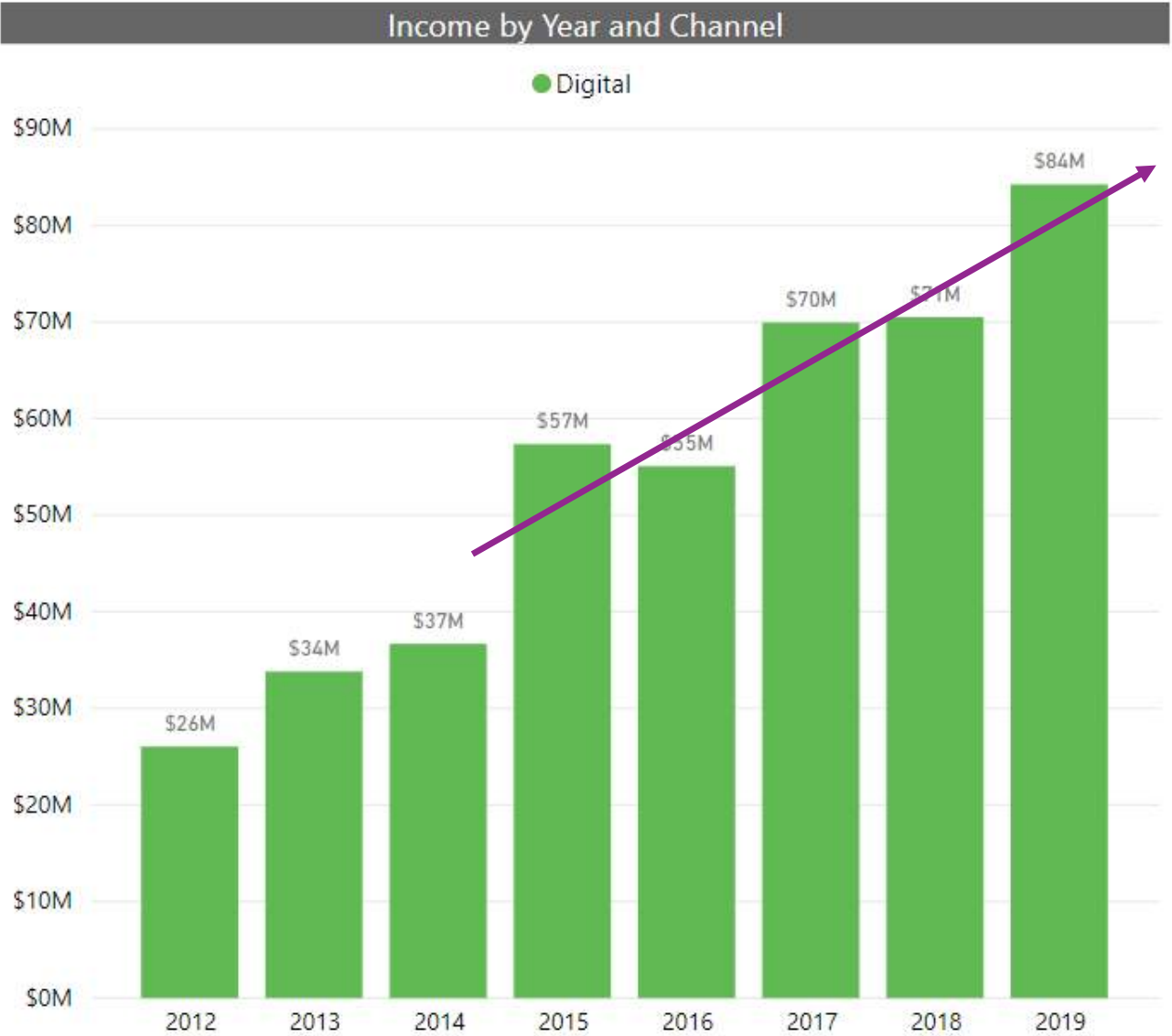
MYTHS AND TRUTHS ABOUT WHO GIVES AND WHO INTERACTS  
WITH CHARITIES ONLINE

# Benchmarking 2020



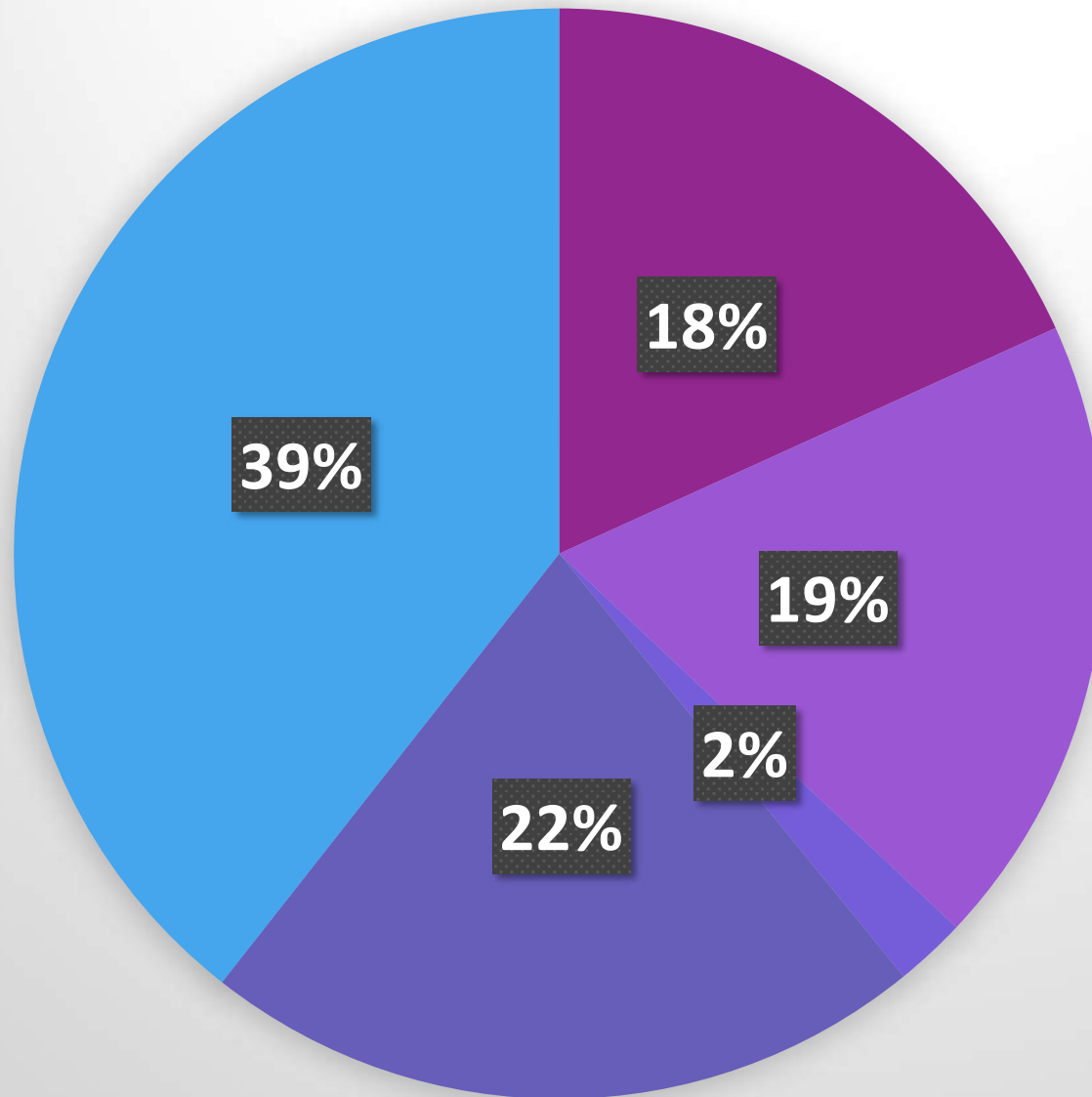
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## Digital Income

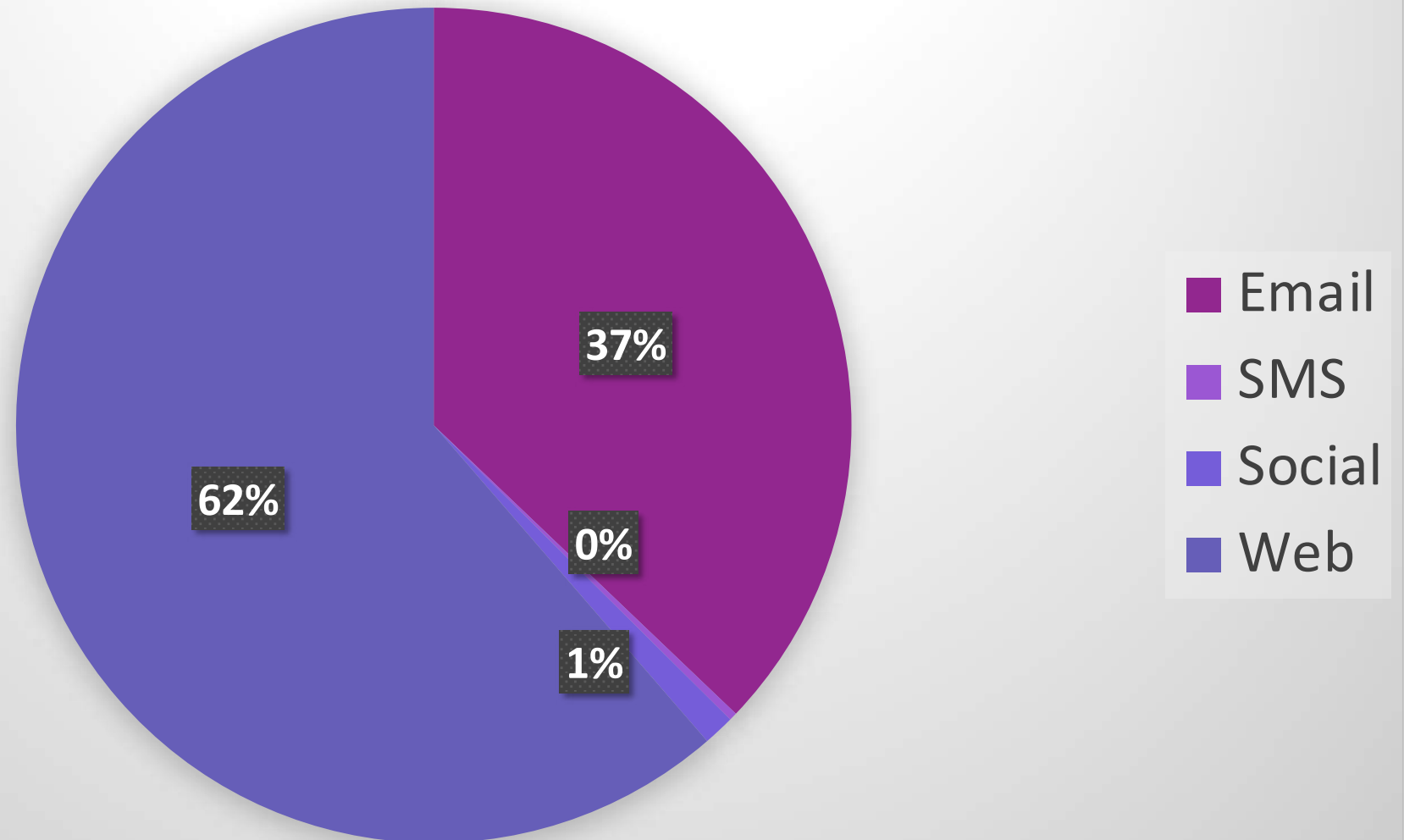
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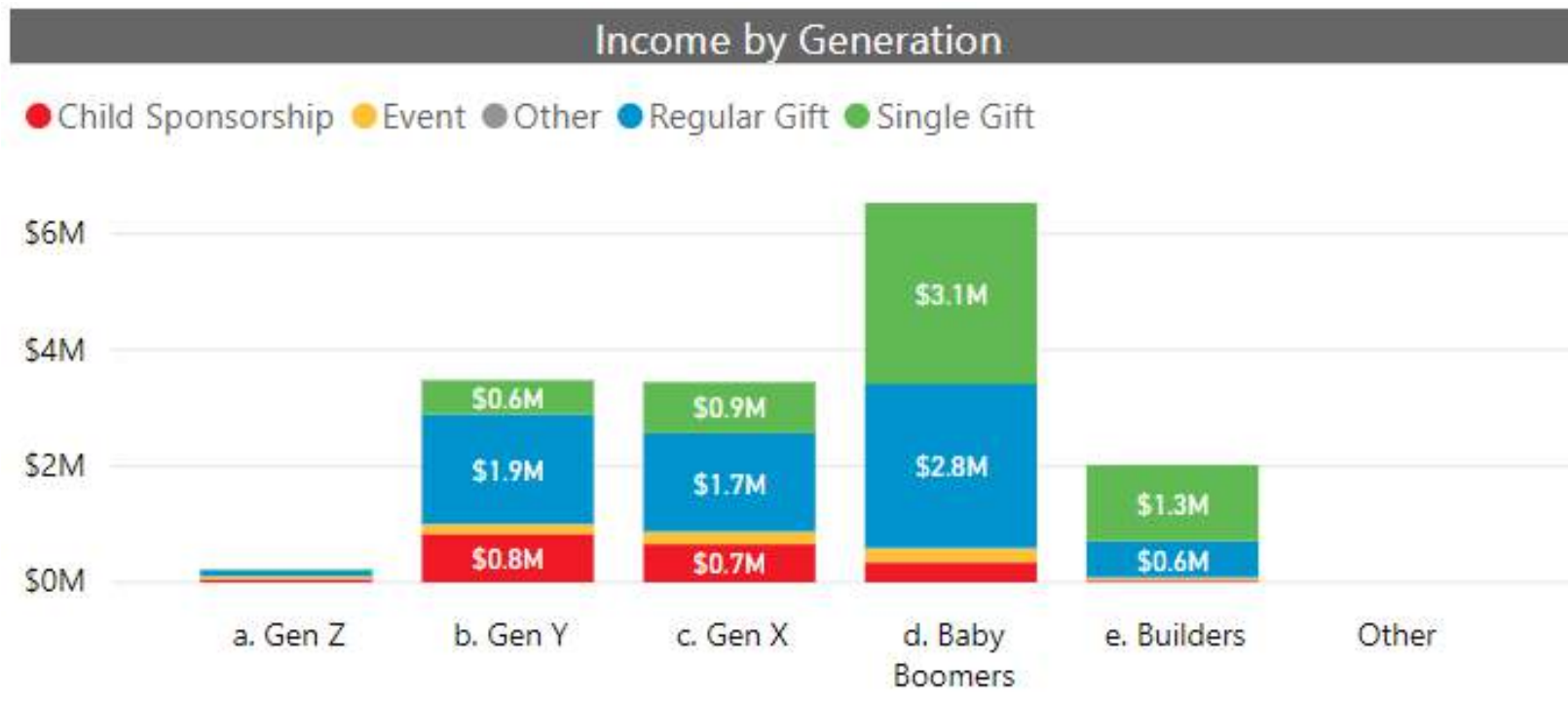
- Child Sponsorship
- Event
- Other
- Regular Gift
- Single Gift

Digital Income by Channel

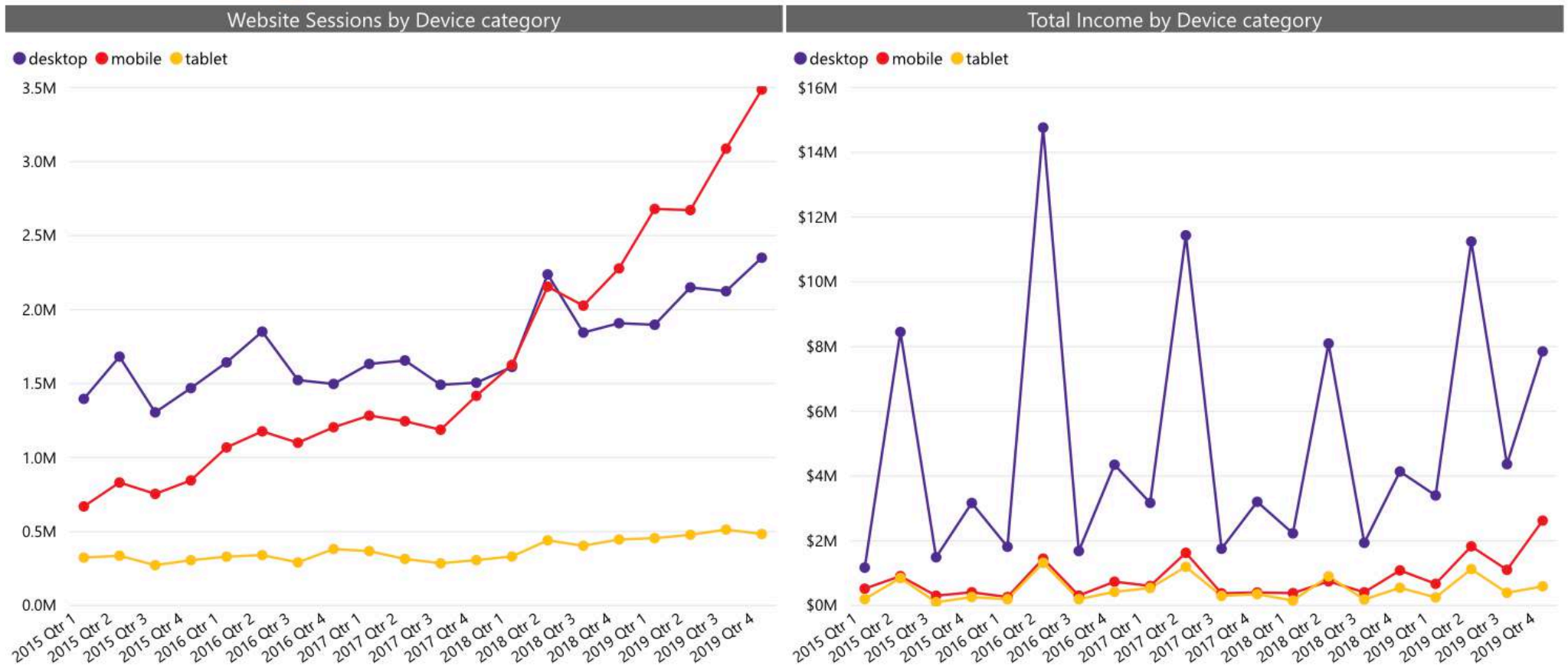
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# Digital Giving by Generation

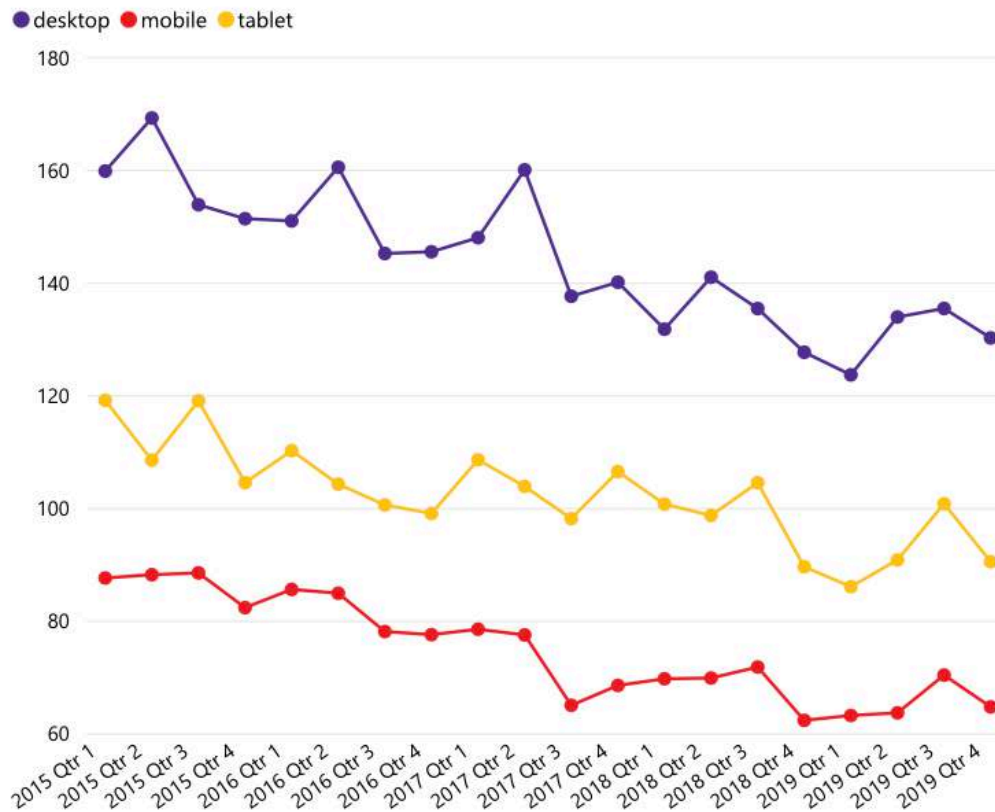


People are going to our sites more  
 They are doing so more on mobile than before  
 Income is being generated along the usual giving lines – tax and Christmas peaks

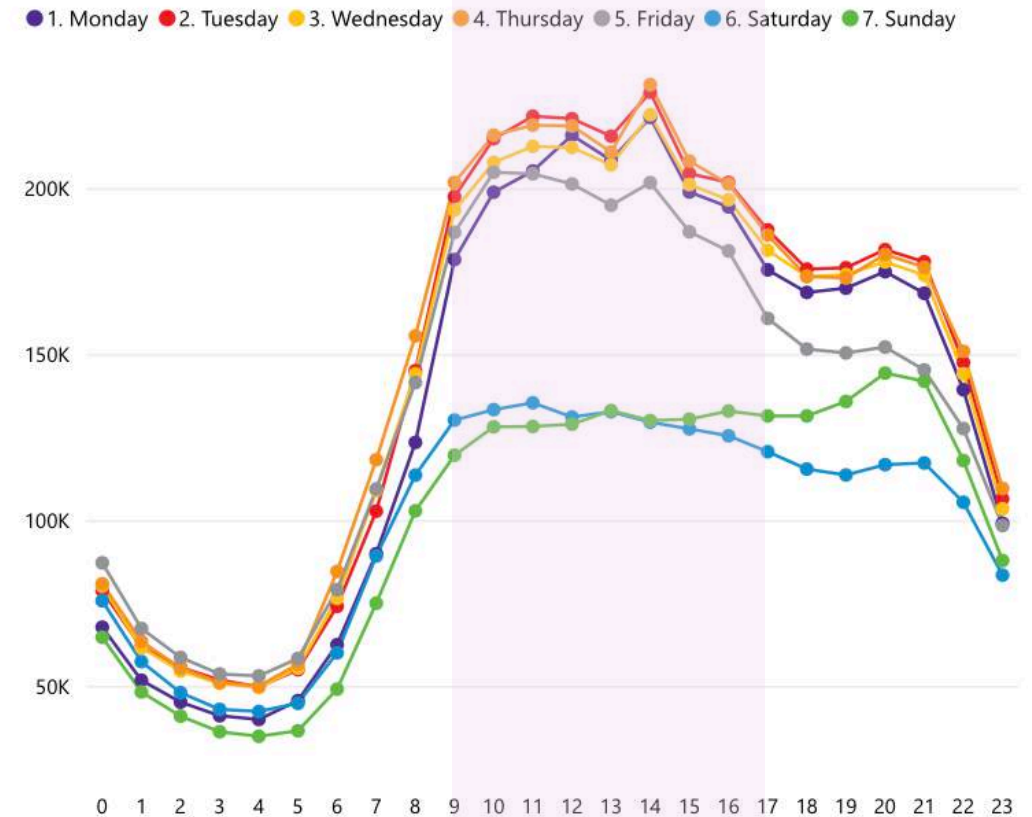


Visitors are spending less than 2 minutes on our sites.  
They do this during the week, in the middle of the day.

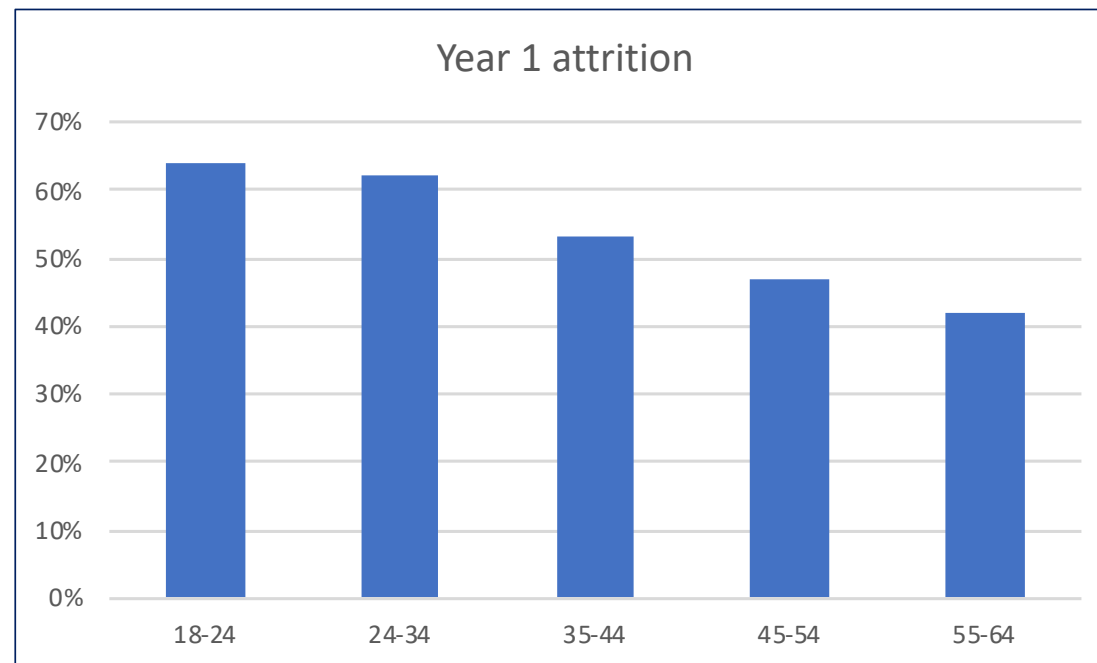
Average Session Duration by Device category



Sessions by Hour and Day



# Younger more vulnerable to declines



Year 1 attrition by age is sharply higher for under 35's

# Online behaviour

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- Whilst mobile has more activity **giving is done on desktops at a higher rate**
- Visitors are spending less than 2 minutes on our sites
- They do this during the week, in the middle of the day
- The younger the visitor the longer they spend on site
- **The older the visitor the more likely they are to give**
- **People give more via desktop**, giving whilst they are at work

# Online Givers are:

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- Women and Men, but more women
- Older, think Gen X and above
- The younger are more likely to be Peer to Peer and campaigners than older donors

# Where the digital giving audiences are

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Social (Facebook) is good for lead generation & conversations

- Remember the audience is in control here not your organisation
- You can set up to receive donations on Facebook but remember it is about:
  - Audience and motivation to give ... are they there to give?
  - Overall revenue contribution is low ... BUT it can be a great lead generator
  - A relationship is unlikely to be sustained through Facebook alone

What about ...

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Ask yourself - do I already have an audience there? Why? And are they a potential giving or lead audience?

If the answer is no – it's a distraction



# Where the digital giving audiences are

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## SMS & Mobile

- SMS can be effective for engagement, and opening up for conversation
- SMS is driving some response, from an engaged audience
- Messenger / What's App groups can help create community and engagement

# Where the digital giving audiences are

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Email can drive donations if:

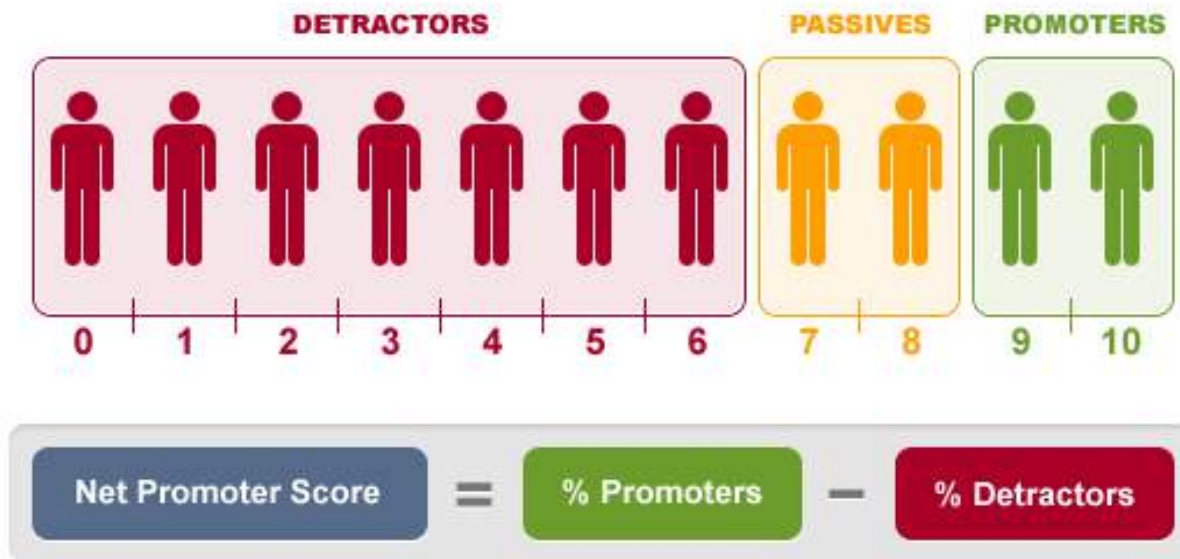
- You have people's email addresses
- You have permission to email them
- People open your emails & they are relevant to them
- Your website / donation environment is good

Emails can help with engagement (help with retention and stewardship) if the same things are true!

# Measuring engagement



# Net Endorser Score (NES)



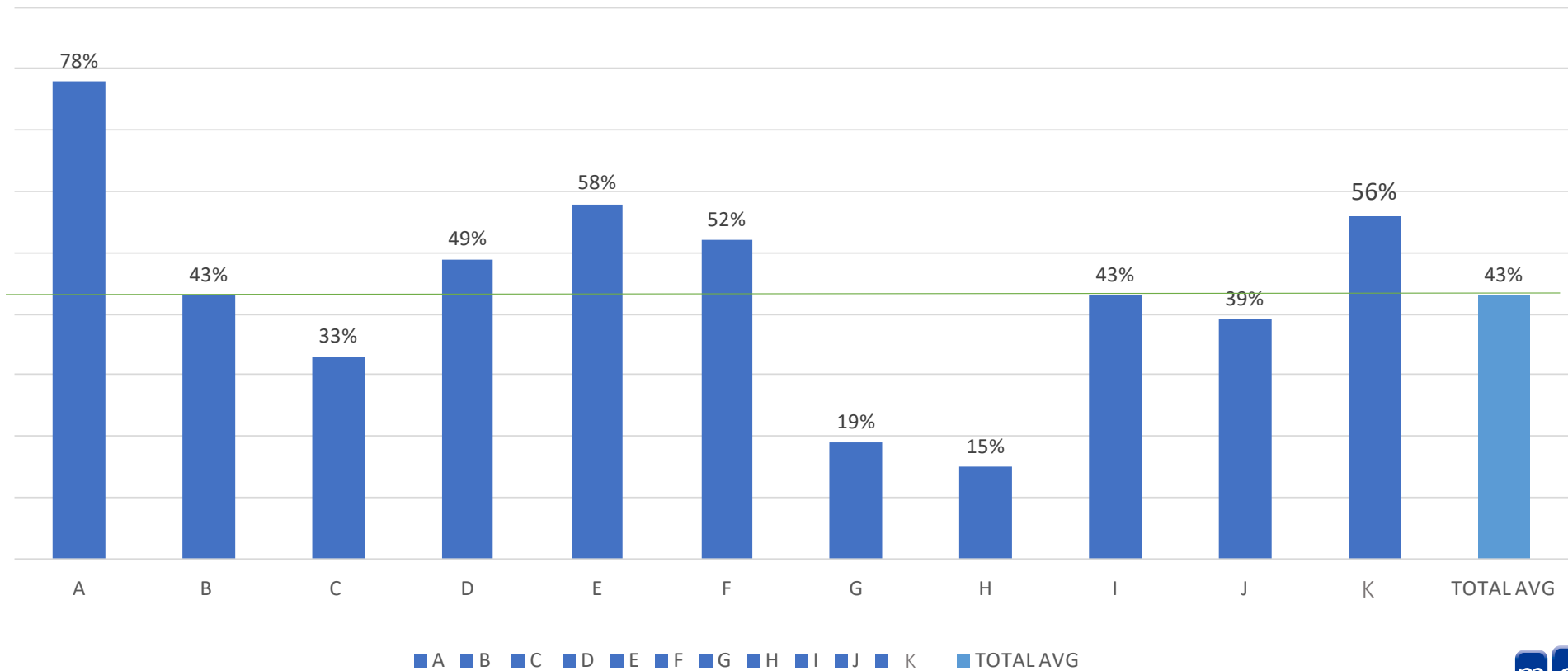
Q2.1: If a friend was looking to make a donation to an organisation and asked for your advice, how likely would you be to recommend XXXX



# NES – relative to other charities

Question: If a friend was looking to make a donation to an organisation and asked for your advice, how likely would you be to recommend A-J?

Comparative NES



## NES – drivers of a high score



They are the  
most important  
cause I support



I am very  
satisfied with  
how they treat  
me

Enjoyable or  
Interesting to  
Read



I make  
decisions with  
my head :  
I make  
decisions with  
my heart



# How can you use this?



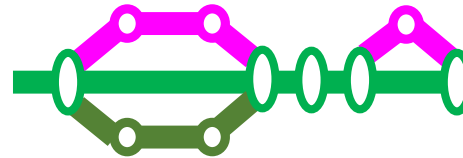
**Step 1**  
Sign up



**Step 2**  
Email



**Step 3**  
Survey



**Step 4**  
Diverge



**Step 5**  
Analyse



Commitment

High

Low

**Greenpeace Disappointed**

Thank you \$jx (First Name) for taking our short survey.

I'm so sorry you had a poor experience but delighted you are so committed to the work for the environment. We will be in touch soon to find out more about what we could have done better. In the meantime, I thought I'd share a video touching on just one of the key actions the movement aims, and actions that Greenpeace supporters look and just.

**2016 - What a Year!**

2016 HAS BEEN TOUGH

Thanks again for joining the movement. We are stronger together.

**Canteen Doubtful**

Hi \$jx (First Name),

Thank you so much for making the generous decision to join Canteen's CanDo Family and for taking the time to complete our survey.

I am sorry to hear you didn't have a great experience when signing up. We would love to hear how you think we can improve to one of our Supporter Canteen will give you a call soon.

You're doing an amazing thing by helping young people feel less alone when cancer crashes into their world.

We'd like you to meet Matt - one of the amazing people you're helping. Matt was just 10 when he lost his dad to cancer. Matt didn't just lose his hero and his best mate - he lost faith that everything in his world would always be okay.

I can't think of a better person than Matt to tell you how your support will change lives.

**Meet Matt**

**Canteen Champion**

Hi \$jx (First Name),

Thanks again for joining Canteen's CanDo Family and taking the time to complete our survey! You're doing an amazing thing in helping young people feel less alone when cancer crashes into their world.

You're giving them a safe and supportive environment where they can learn the skills to cope with the daily struggles of cancer and meet others who truly know what they're going through.

But you already know this. As a champion supporter, we'll love you to share this video so that your friends and family can find out what champions like you are making possible in our communities.

**CanTeen camps**

Hi \$jx (First Name),

We are so sorry to hear about your experience with us. We really do value your support. Without you, so much of our work simply wouldn't happen. We'd like to understand what went wrong, we'll be in touch very soon.

Warm wishes,

The Team at Red Cross

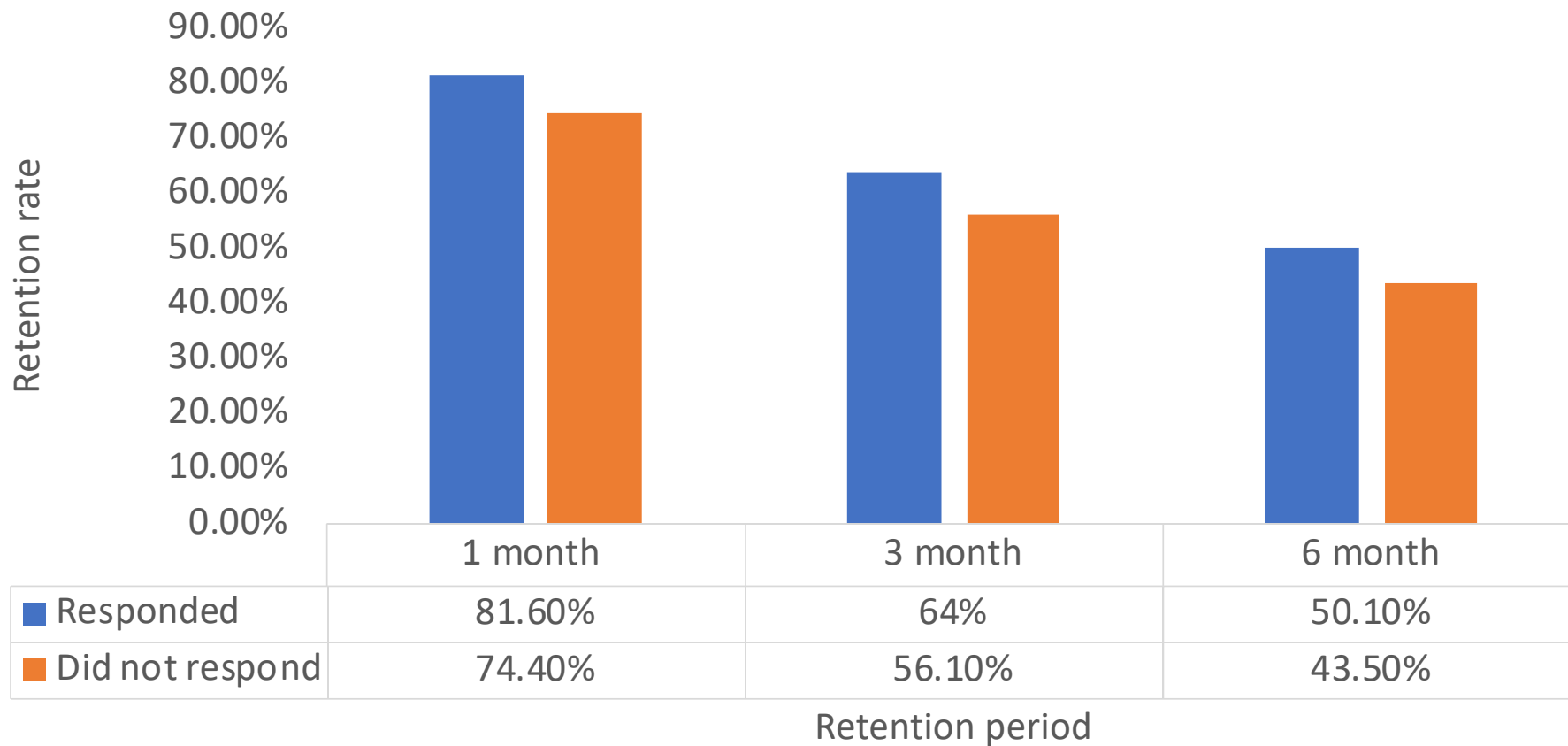
**Drought and hunger can be beaten**

Detractor

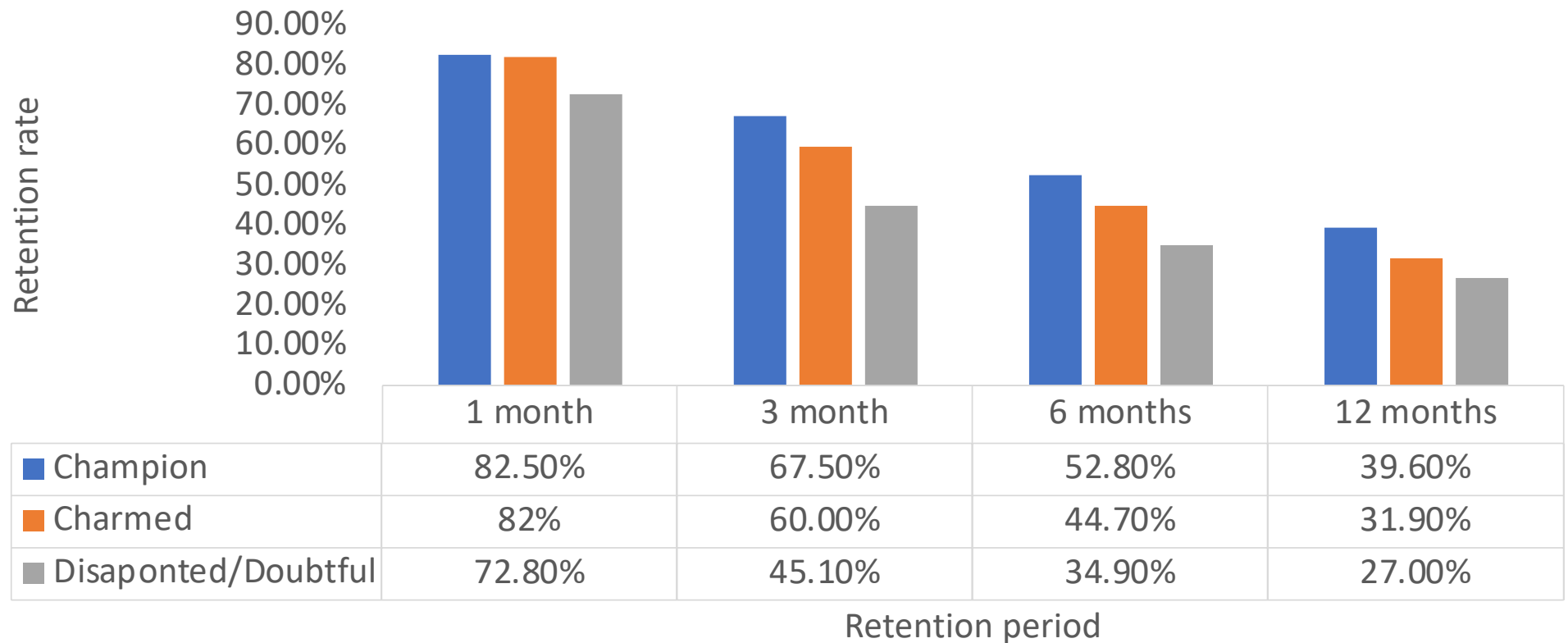
Promoter

Satisfaction (experience)

# Answering the survey shows higher quality



## Segment is highly predictive



# What are the drivers of loyalty and value?

## Commitment



The **passion** that a donor feels for the cause or goal of the charity. To score highly on this they have to know **what your goal is**, they need to be **emotionally connected to it** and it needs to be **a goal that's important to them**.

## Satisfaction



The way of measuring **how they feel that you treat them** as a donor. Do you thank them well, do you speak in a tone of voice that makes them feel valued and do you understand why they give and communicate accordingly?

## Trust



The belief that **you behave in the way that they would expect you to**. In particular, it asks whether they **trust you to spend their money well**.

<https://www.institute-of-fundraising.org.uk/blog/why-supporter-loyalty-matters/>

<https://www.about-loyalty.com>



The principles  
of building your  
'community'  
tribe

# Understand your community characteristics



**DOER** - Raise funds, support through knowledge sharing (existing members and newbies)

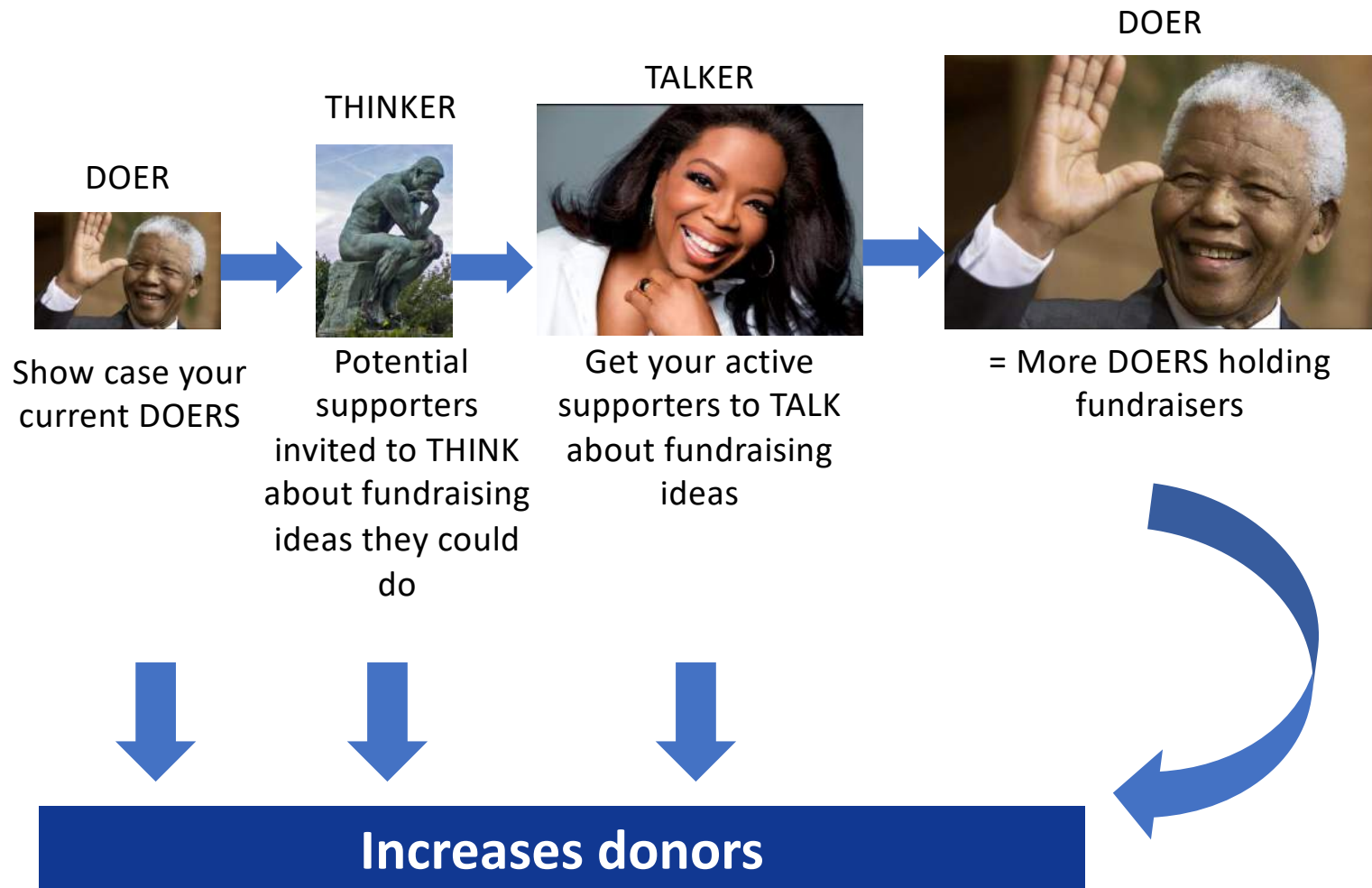


**THINKERS** – Provide fun & a creative input (will contribute new fundraising ideas)

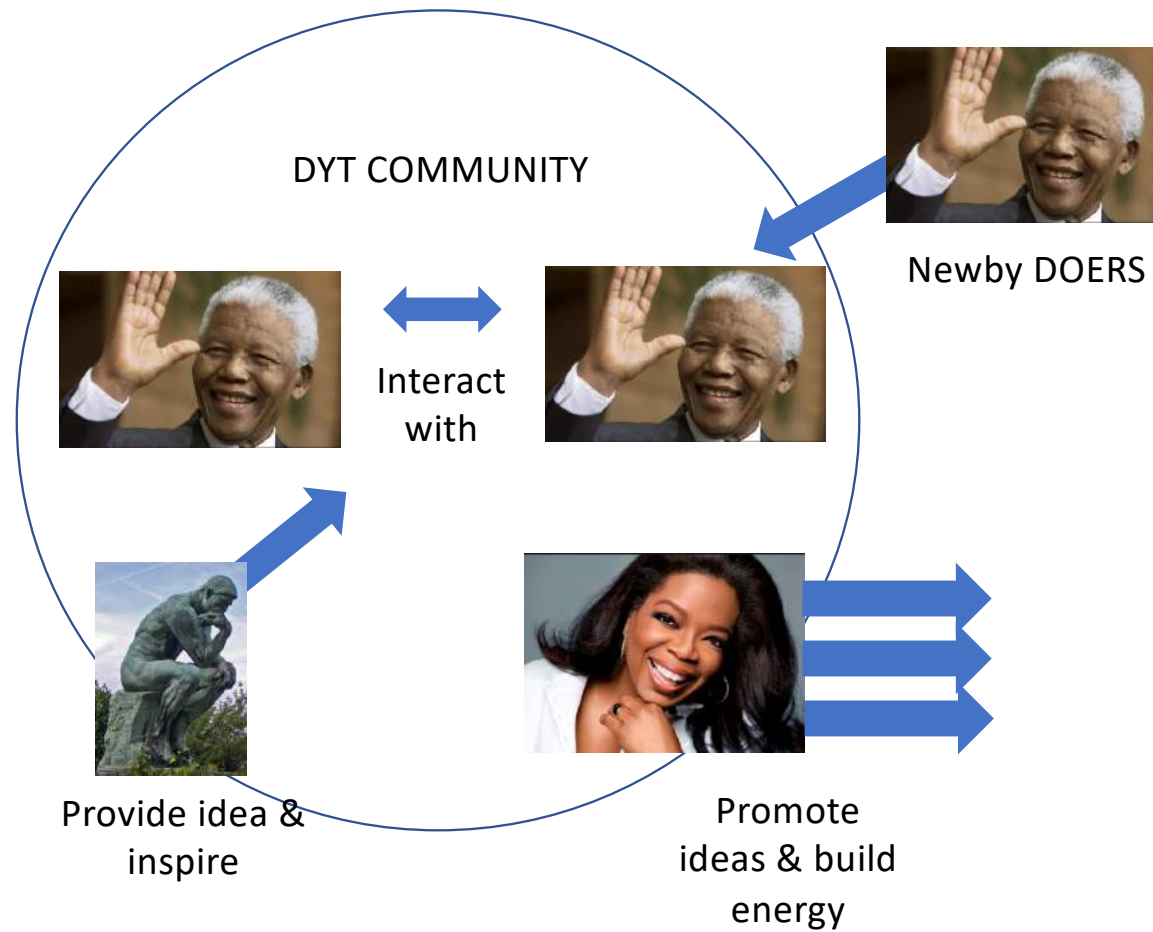


**TALKER** – Share and interact (comment and share)

# Segments for acquisition



# Build your tribe to retain them



## Who to target - the role of empathy





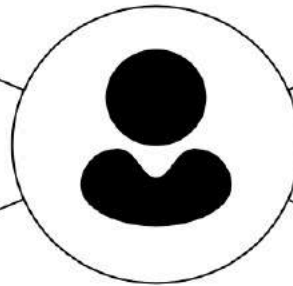
# What can we find out?



- Data analysis - R F V
- Demographics
- Lookalike data from social
- Observe and Listen in
- Mini Survey - in thank you?
- Talk to them (or people you know like them)

*What does he*  
**THINK AND FEEL?**

what really counts  
major preoccupations  
worries & aspirations



*What does he*  
**HEAR?**

what friends say  
what boss say  
what influencers say

*What does he*  
**SEE?**

environment  
friends  
what the market offers

*What does he*  
**SAY AND DO?**

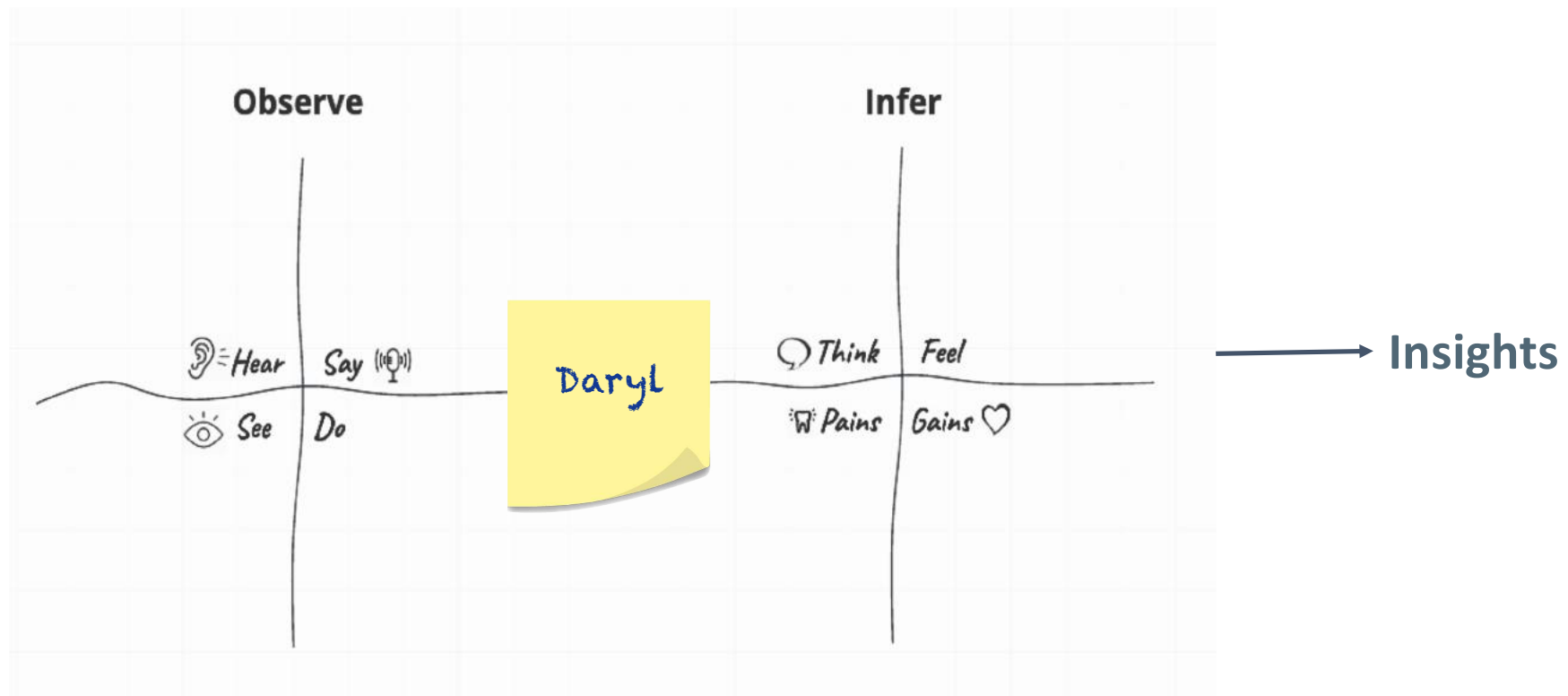
attitude in public  
appearance  
behavior towards others

**PAIN**

fears  
frustrations  
obstacles

**GAIN**

"wants" / needs  
measures of success  
obstacles





## Daryl - young socialite

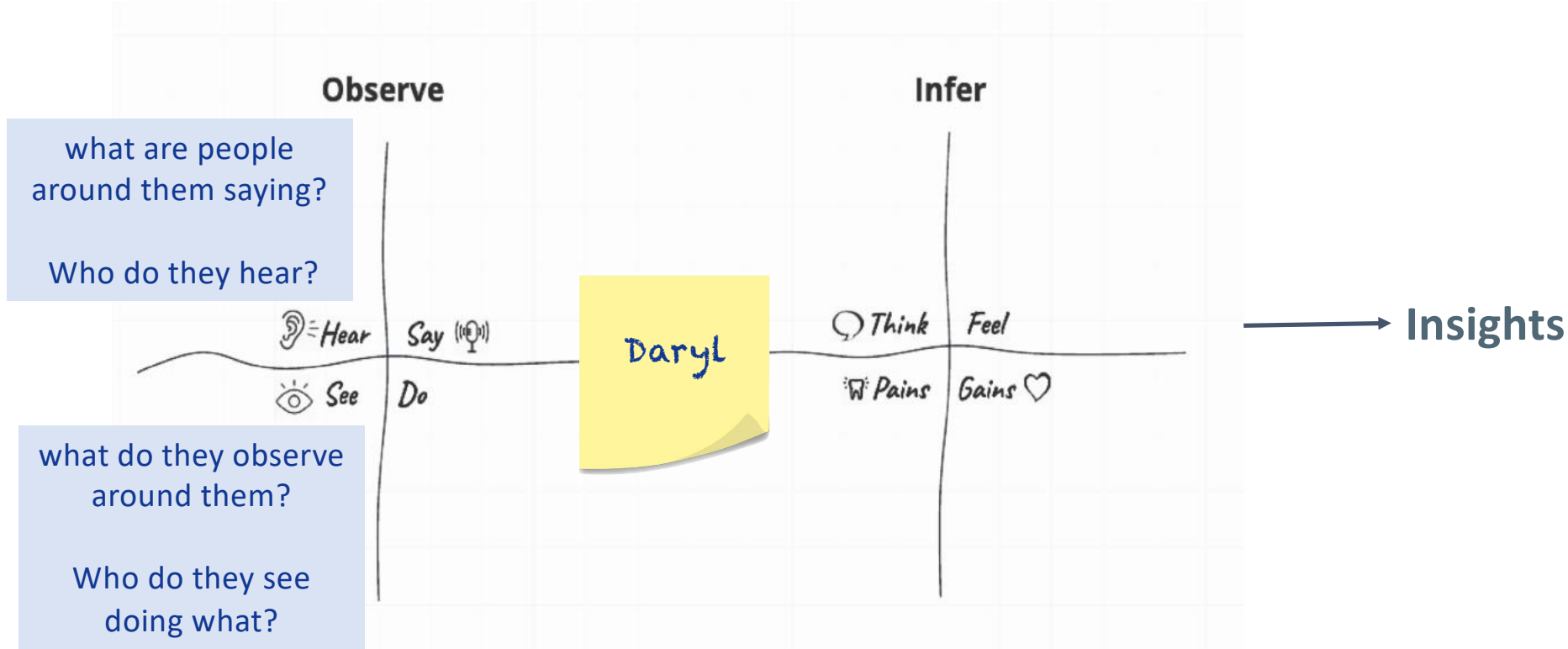


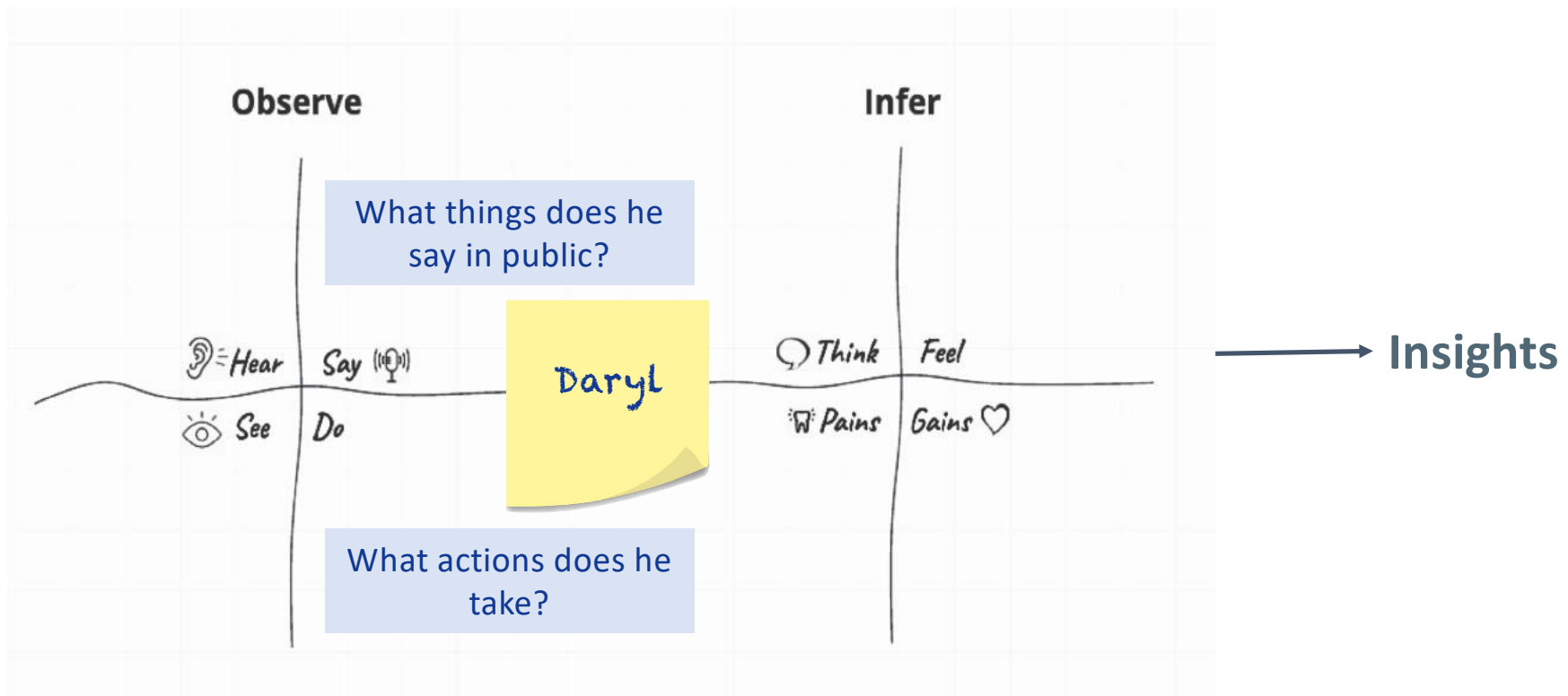
- Age: 24
- Work: First job in an office
- Family: Flat shares and his sister lives nearby
- Education: Grad
- Location: Newtown
- Interests: Gym, sports viewing with mates and going out

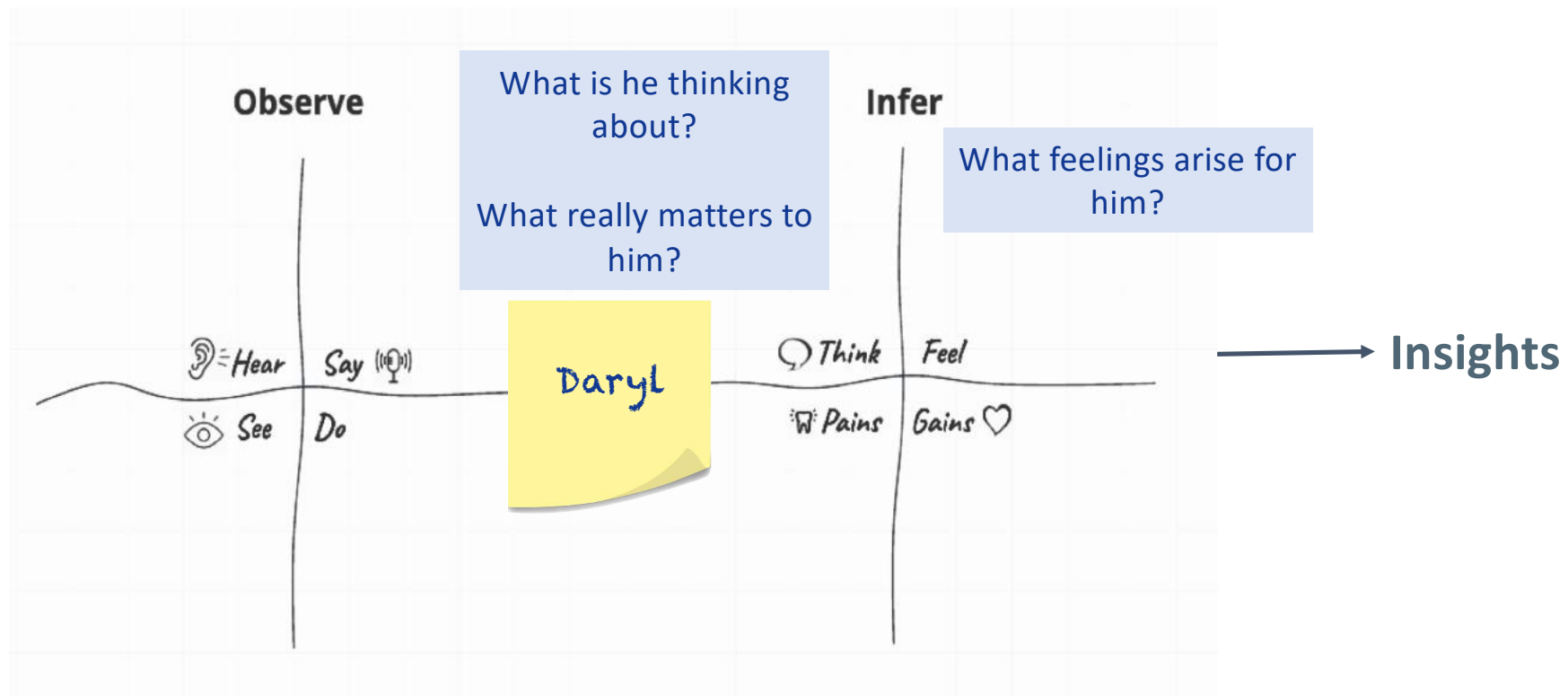
Looking to make a name at work and enjoys socializing – takes part in events such as the City to Surf primarily for fitness and takes part in challenge events for the experience

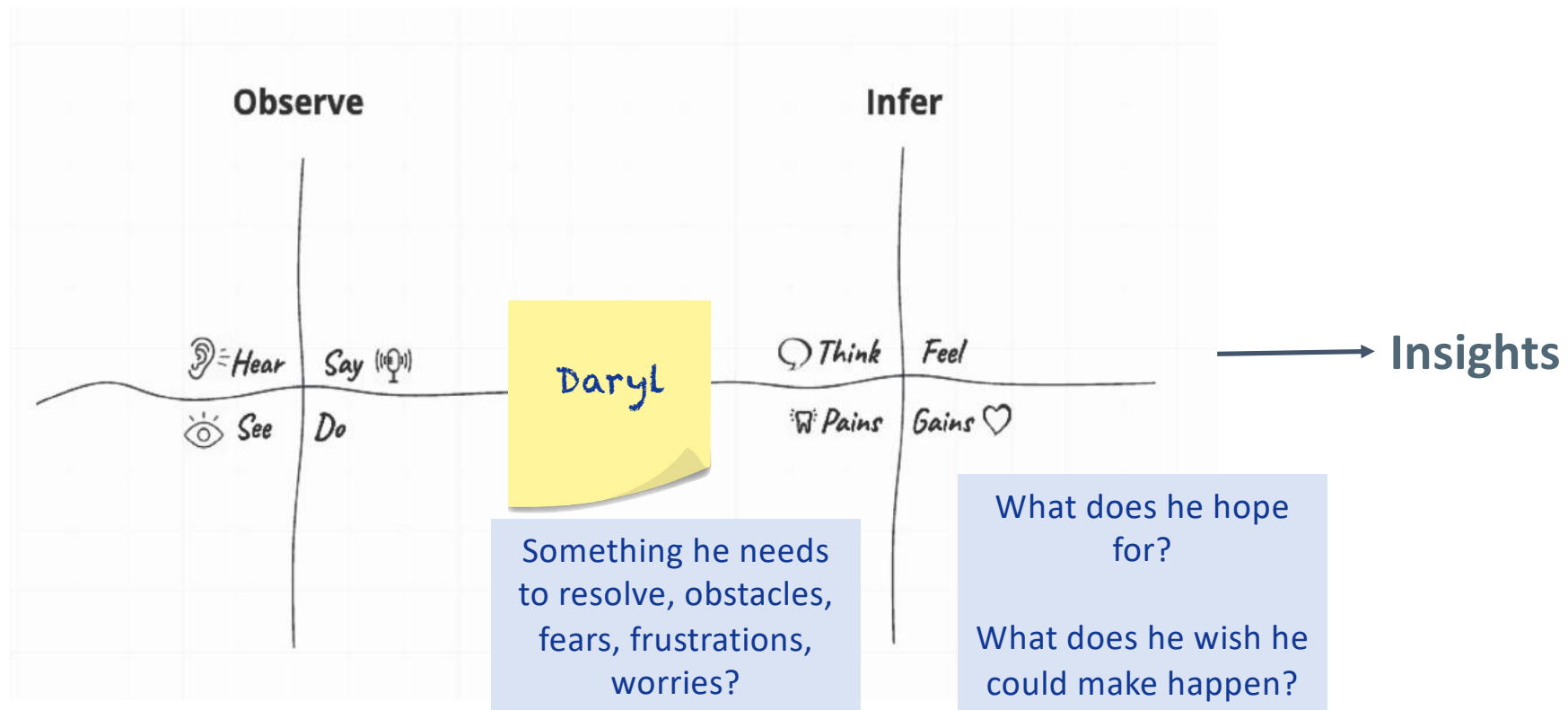
Will support a charity through peer-to-peer as part of that as thinks it is good for his profile.

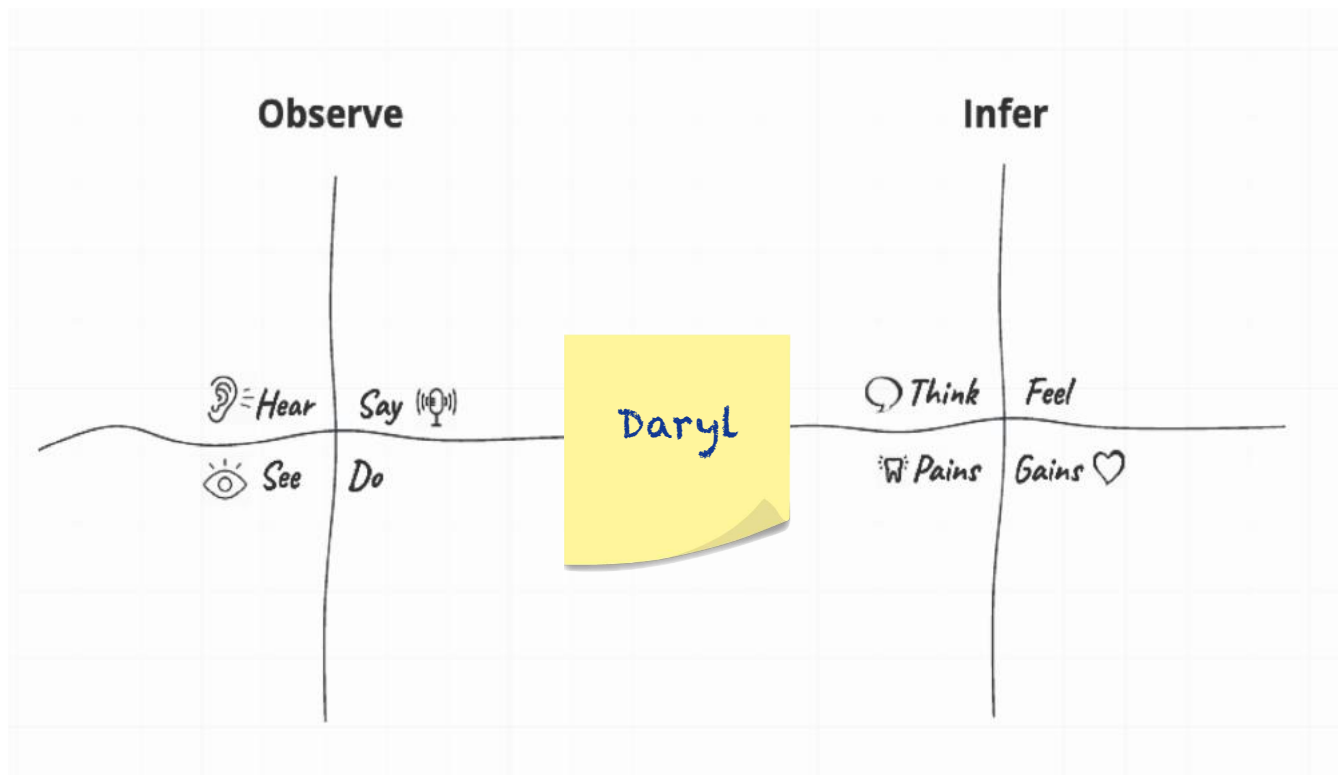
He sees his sister quite frequently, and he isn't convinced about the way her new partner treats her. The other day she explained away some bruising in an odd way - which supports his suspicions. He doesn't know what to do about it.











We can help Daryl if we offer him...

We also need to make it (simple, fun, engaging)

→ **Insights**

# St John NZ personas

We identified 8 different types of personas.

We were then able to overlap RFV onto the personas.



November 2017



Journey map: Identify the moments that matter...



# A great combo



**Sofia**

**Age 6½**



# { The Experience }

Journey Mapping Sofia's Experience



ATTITUDES

BEHAVIOURS

ON STAGE  
EXPERIENCE

PEOPLE

THINGS

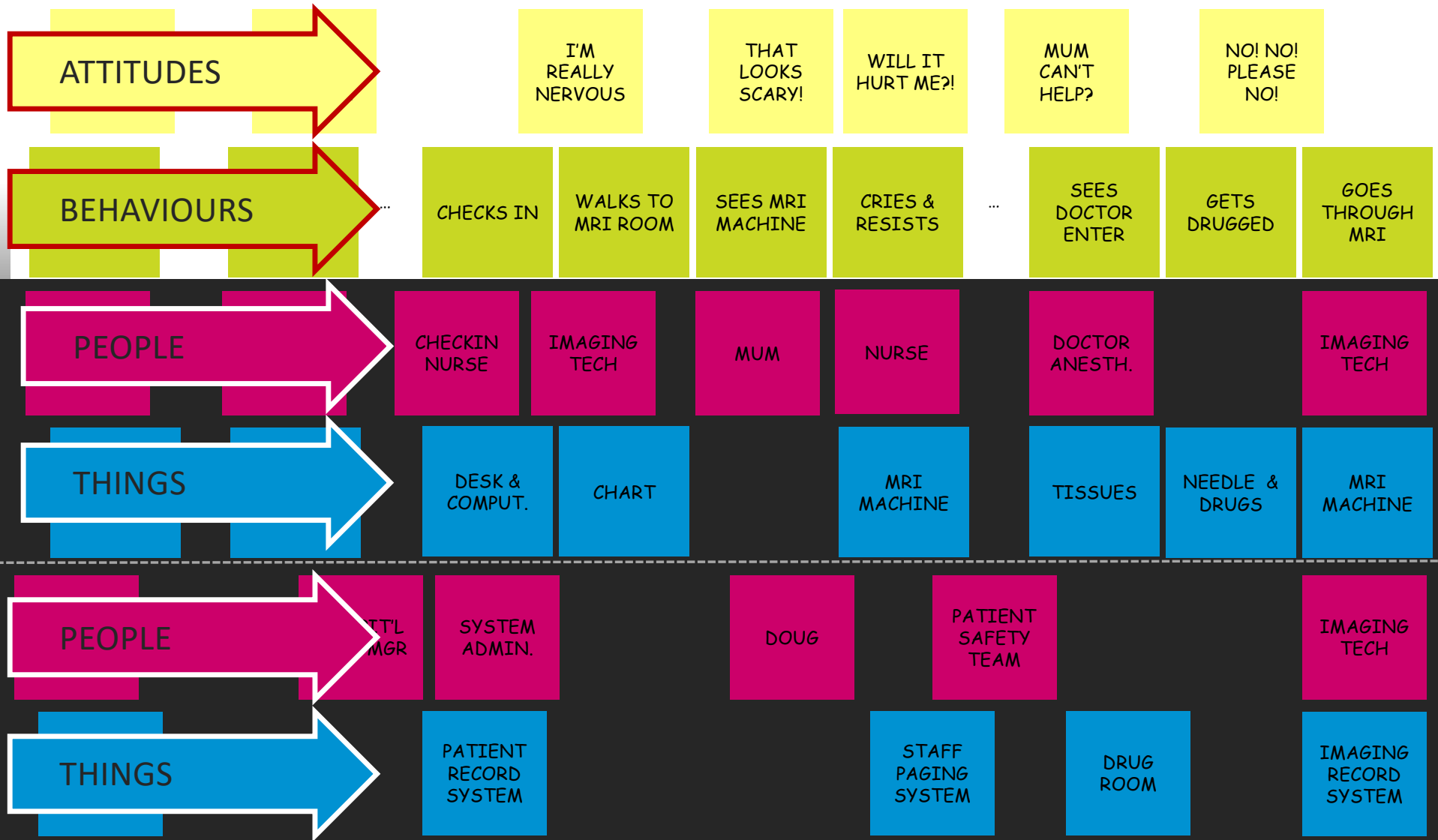
BACK STAGE  
SUPPORT

PEOPLE

THINGS

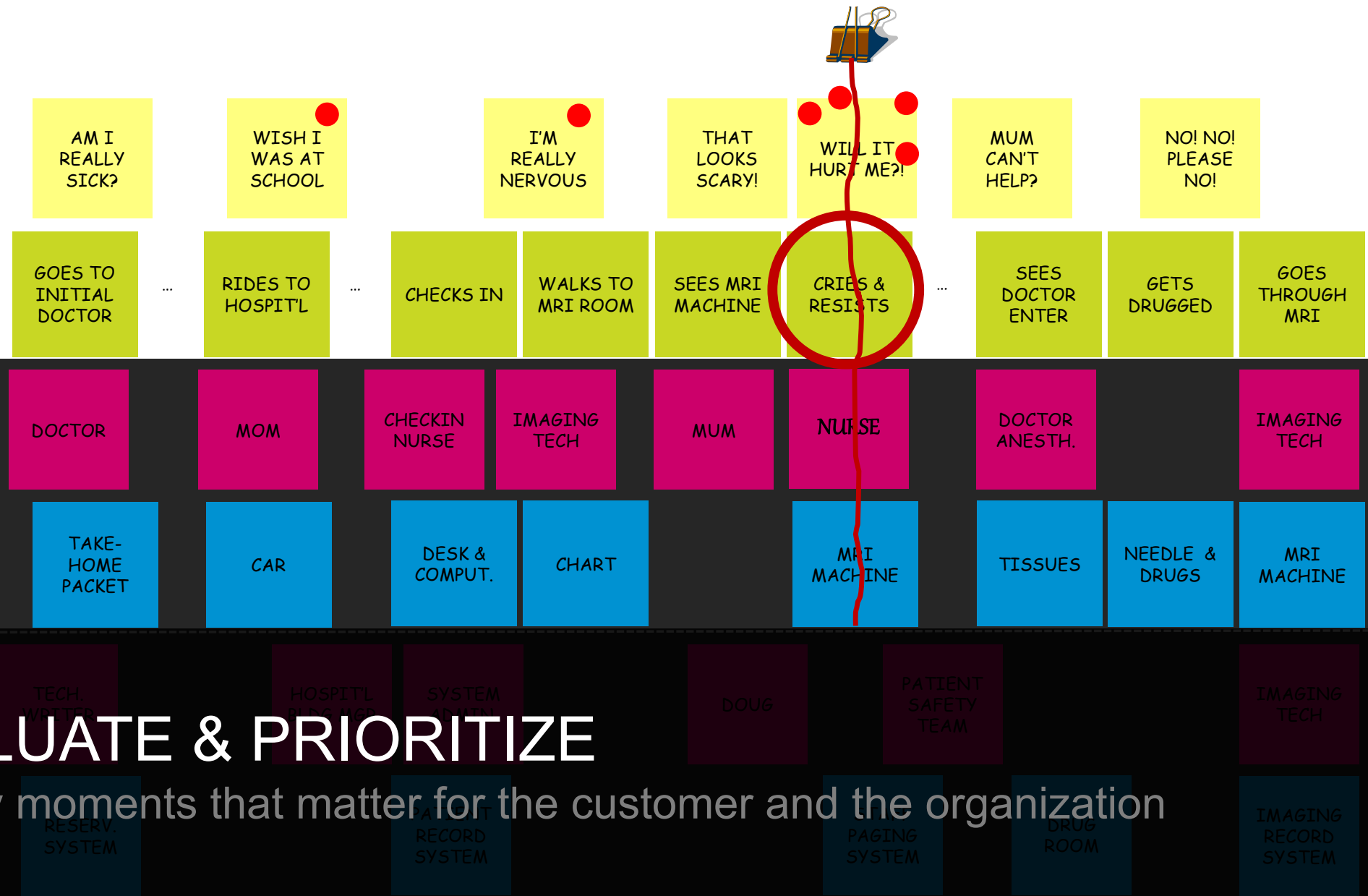


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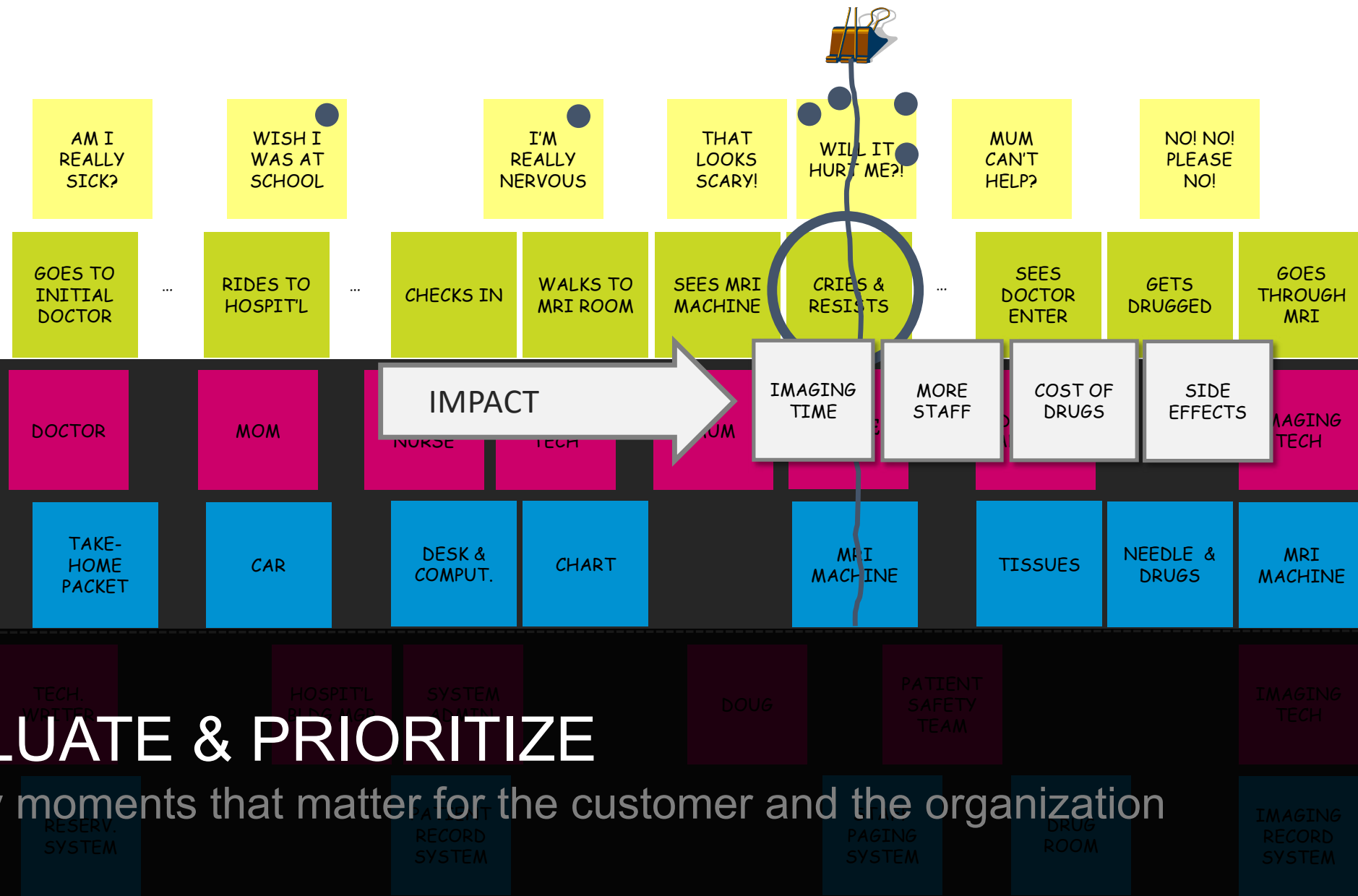


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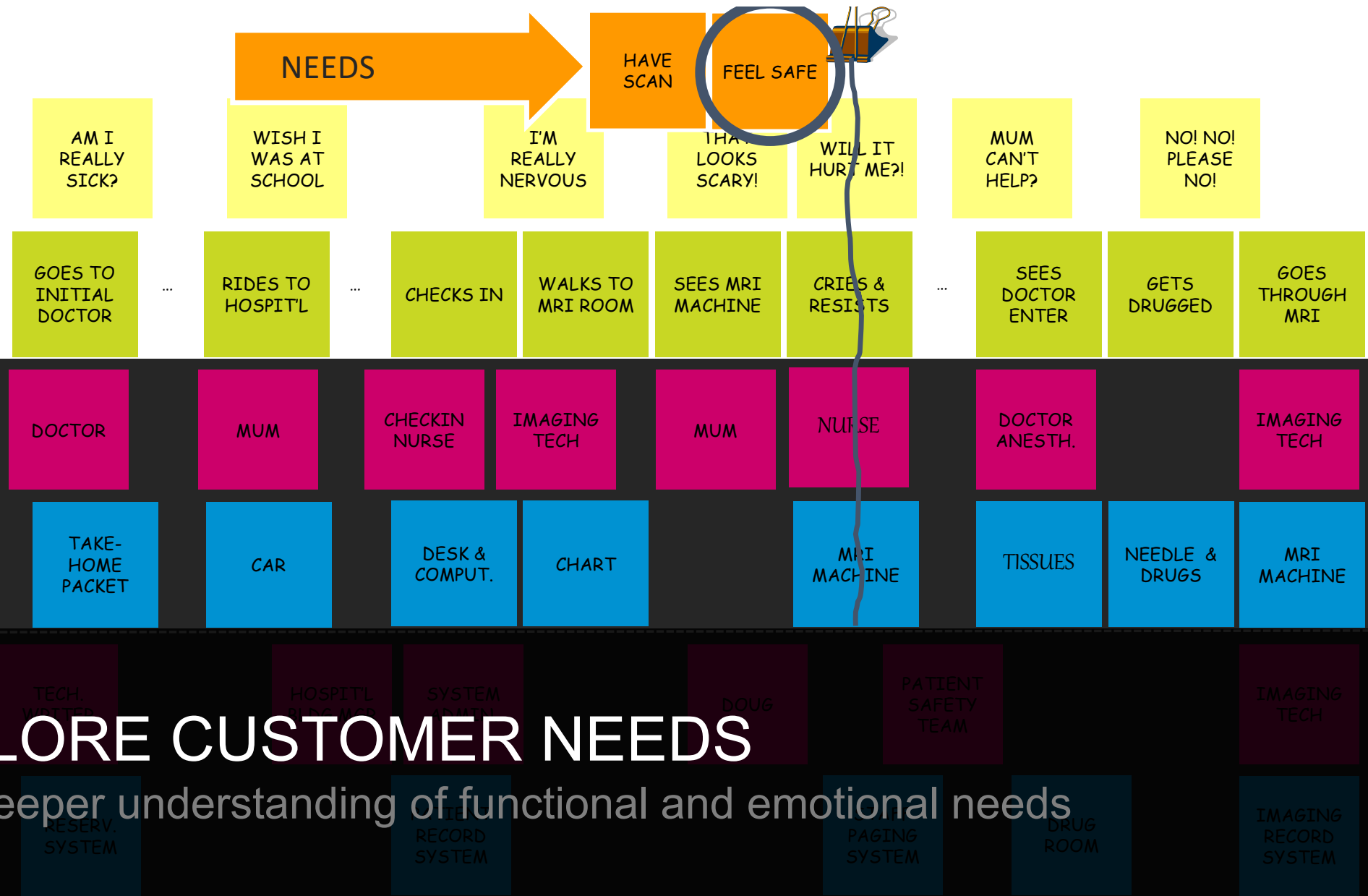
# EVALUATE & PRIORITIZE

Identify moments that matter for the customer and the organization



# EXPLORE CUSTOMER NEEDS

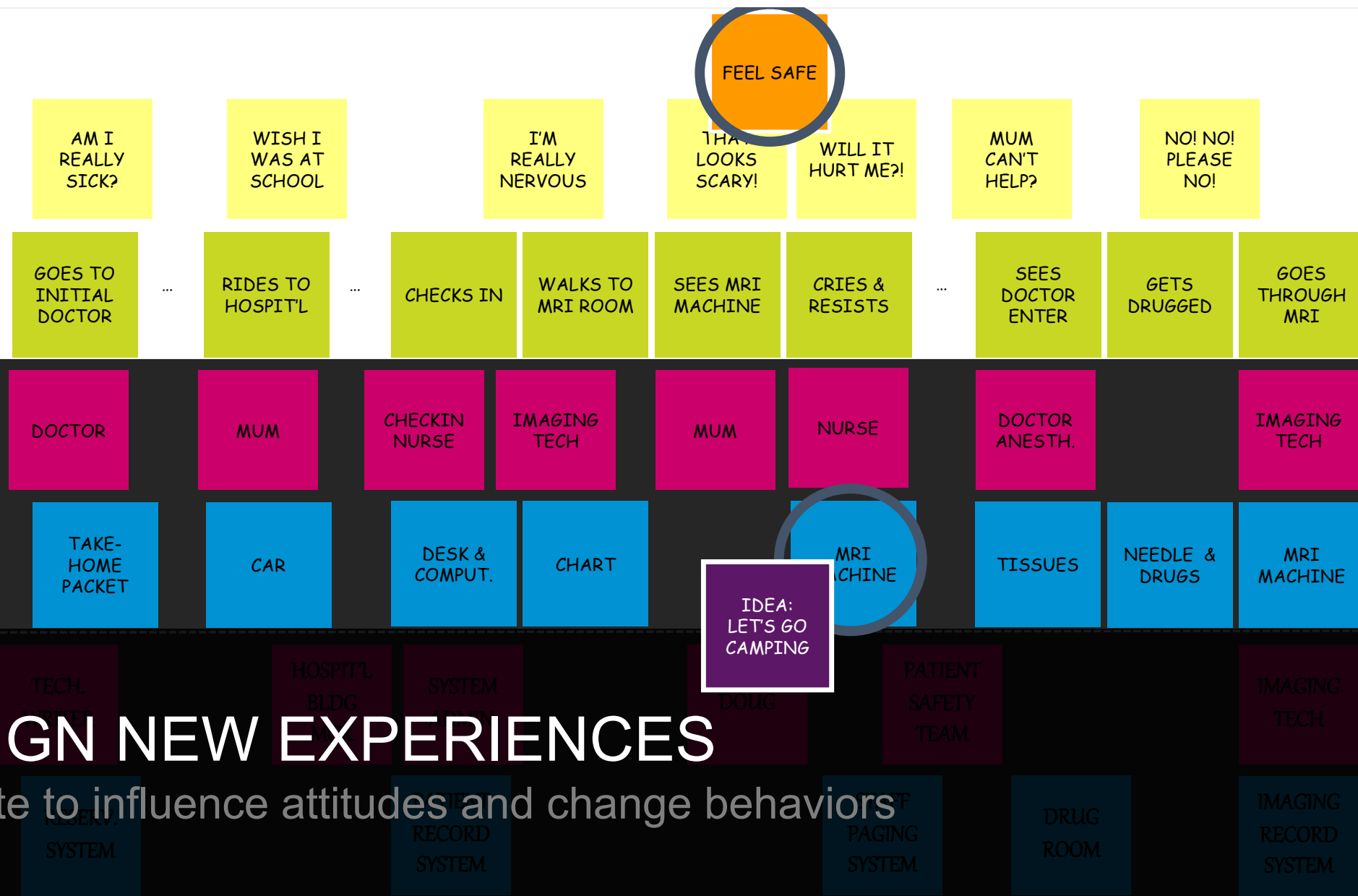
Gain deeper understanding of functional and emotional needs





# EVALUATE & FRAME

Re-examine issue / opportunity based on deep customer understanding



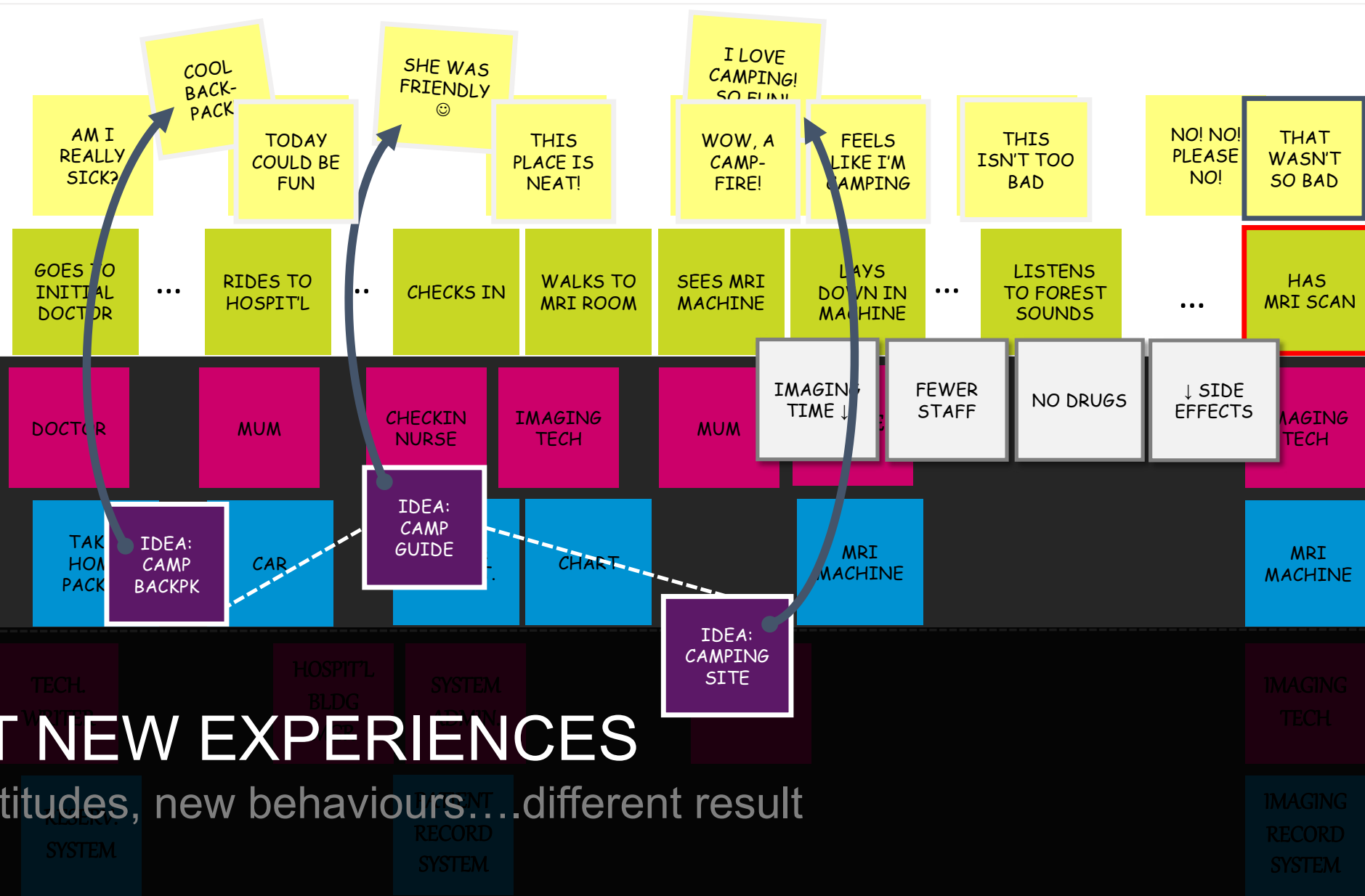
# DESIGN NEW EXPERIENCES

Innovate to influence attitudes and change behaviors





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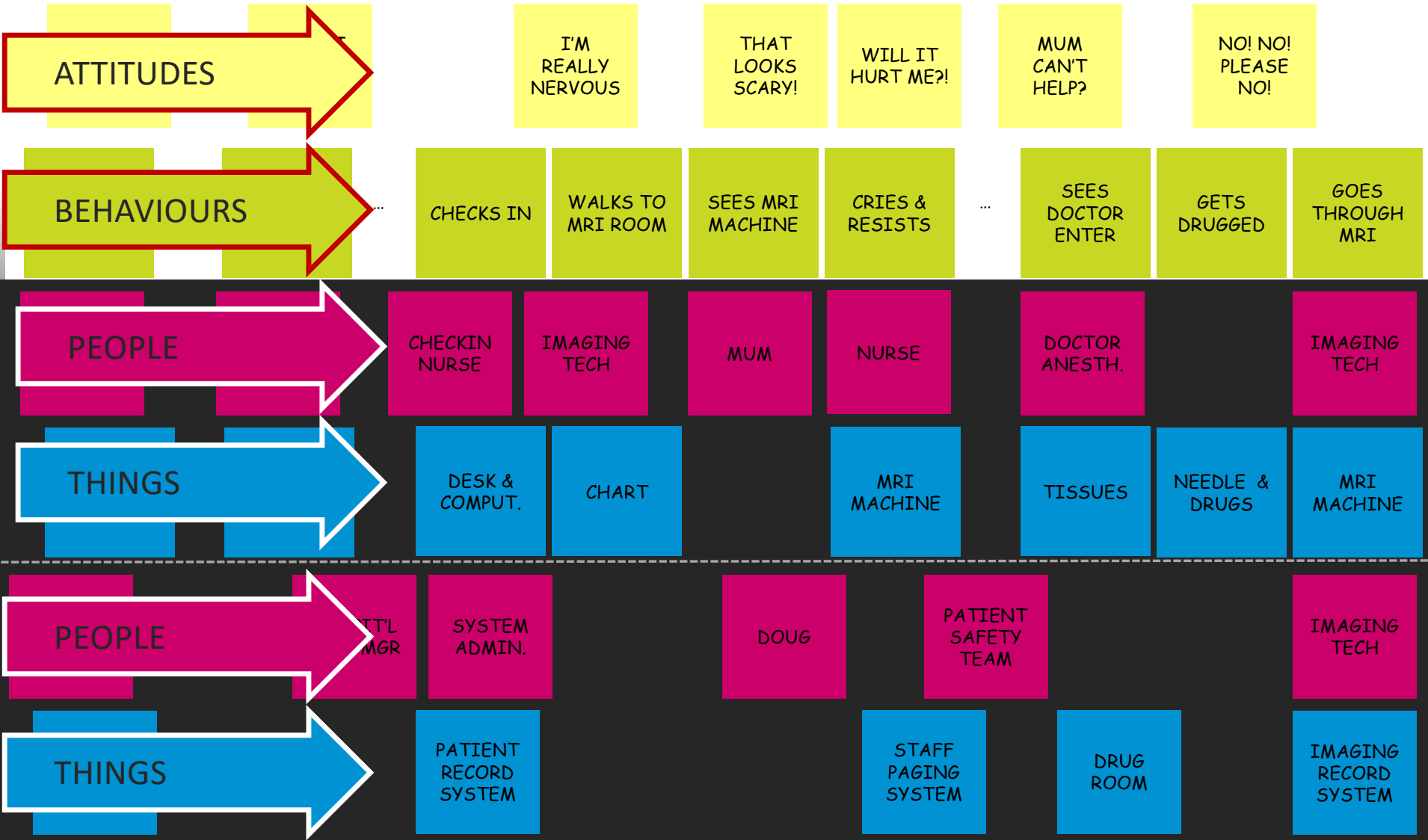


# TEST NEW EXPERIENCES

New attitudes, new behaviours...different result

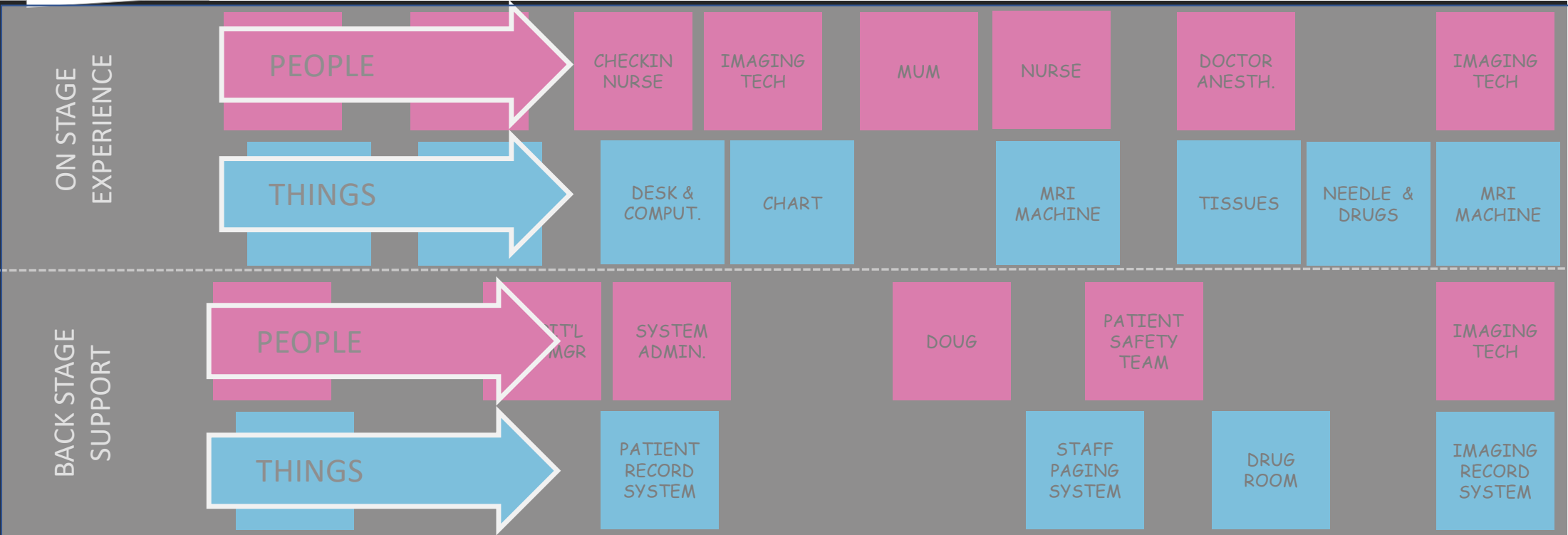


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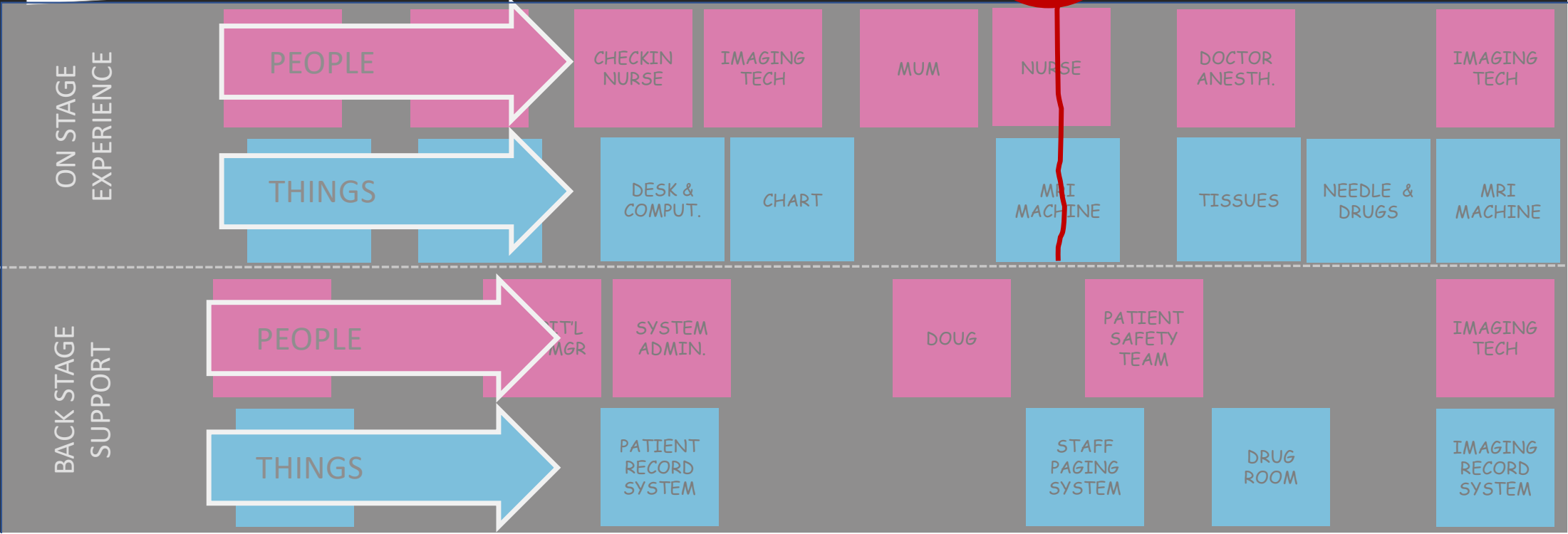


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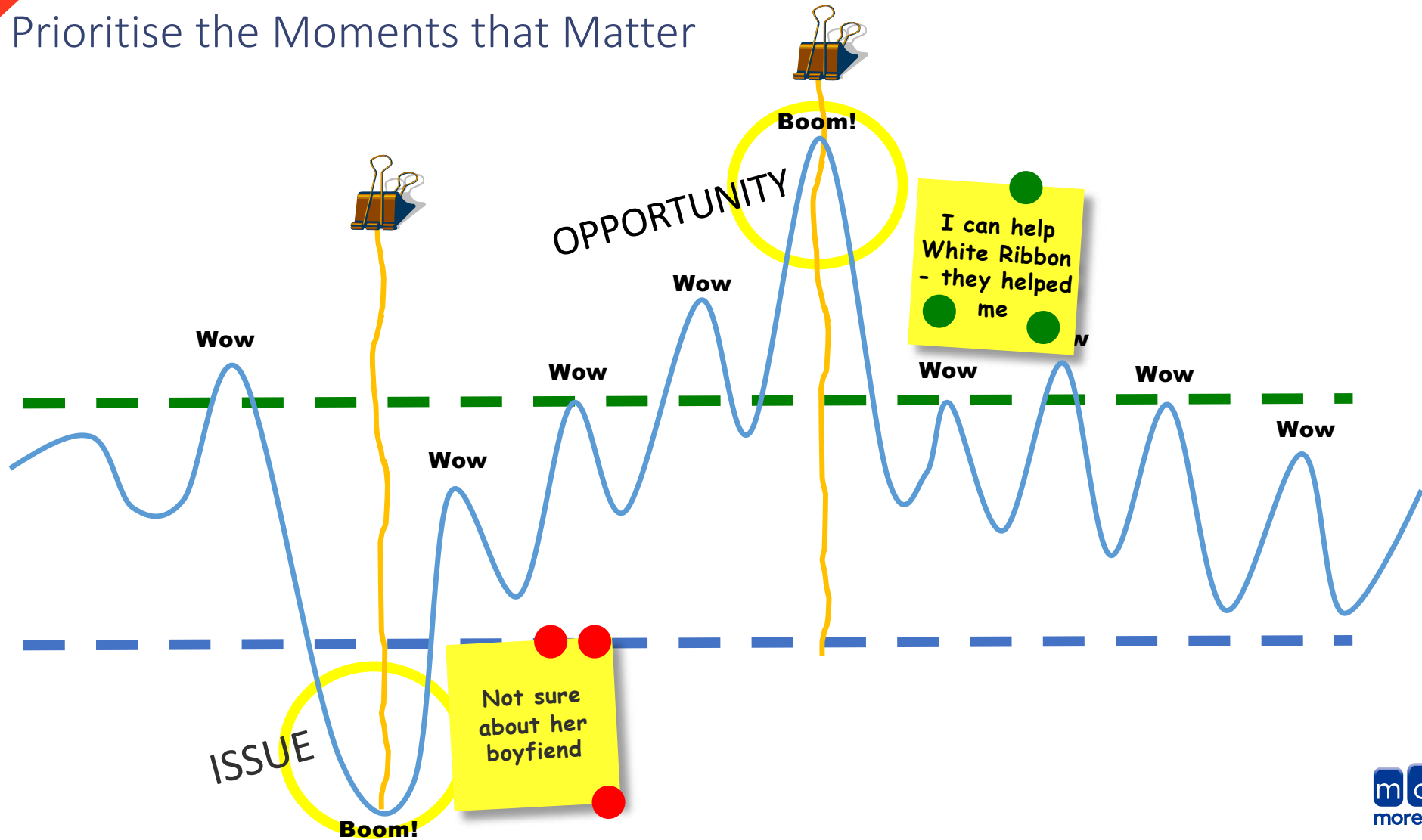


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## Prioritise the Moments that Matter





# Applying Journeys & Personas



# The Challenge



1. Improve completion rate from registration to collection
2. Increase average amount collected
3. Increase retention rate
4. Identify VIPs



## Mapped:

- Doorknock Donors
- Doorknock Volunteers
- Doorknock Zone Directors



## Volunteer Persona: Donna



- **AGE:** 56
- **OCCUPATION:** Business owner – social media
- **STATUS:** Divorced. Kids left home.
- **EDUCATION:** Online courses
- **LOCATION:** Lives in Sydney (Roseville)



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# Moment that matters

I've signed up to Doorknock but I've never done this before. Maybe I just won't do it.

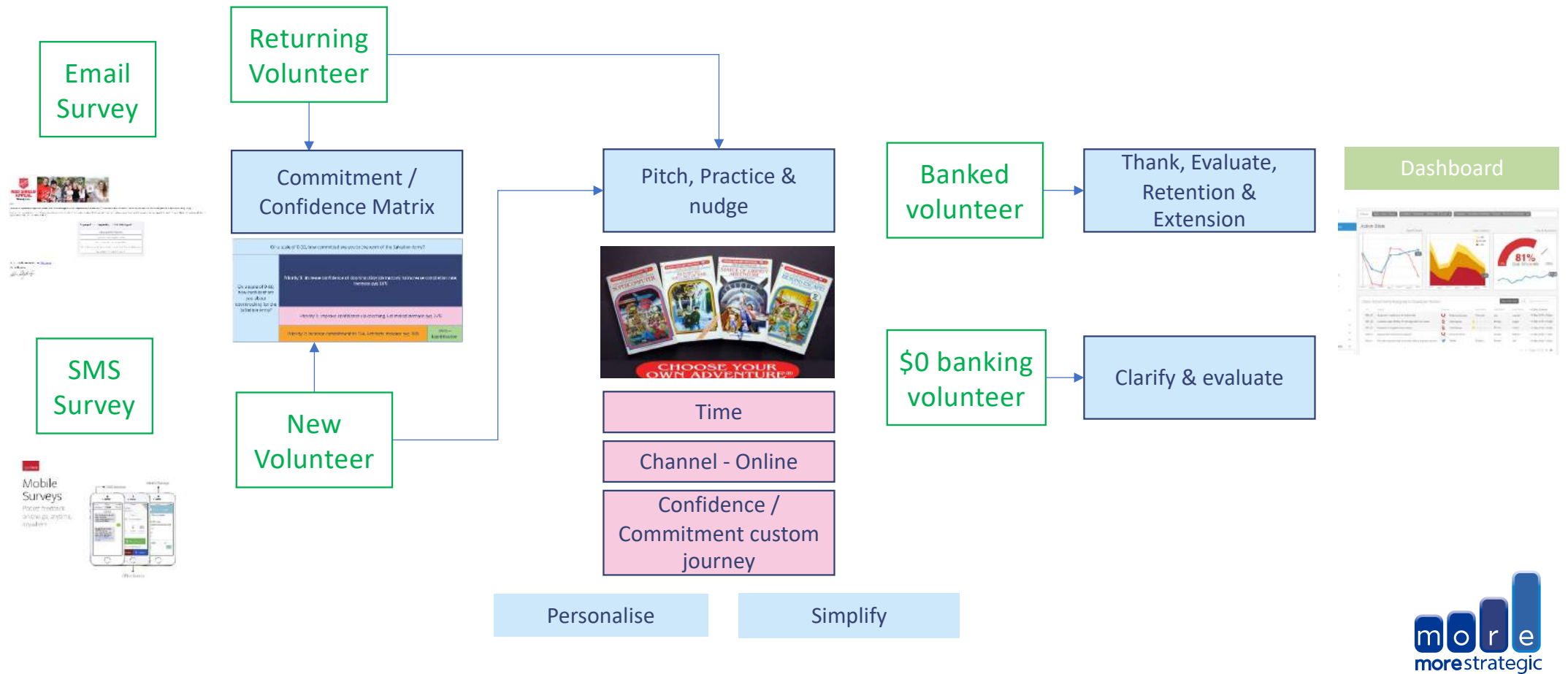


Rational NEED  
I now know:  
Where to go  
What to say  
How much to raise

Emotional  
NEED  
I'll be right.  
I'm ready.  
Let's do it.

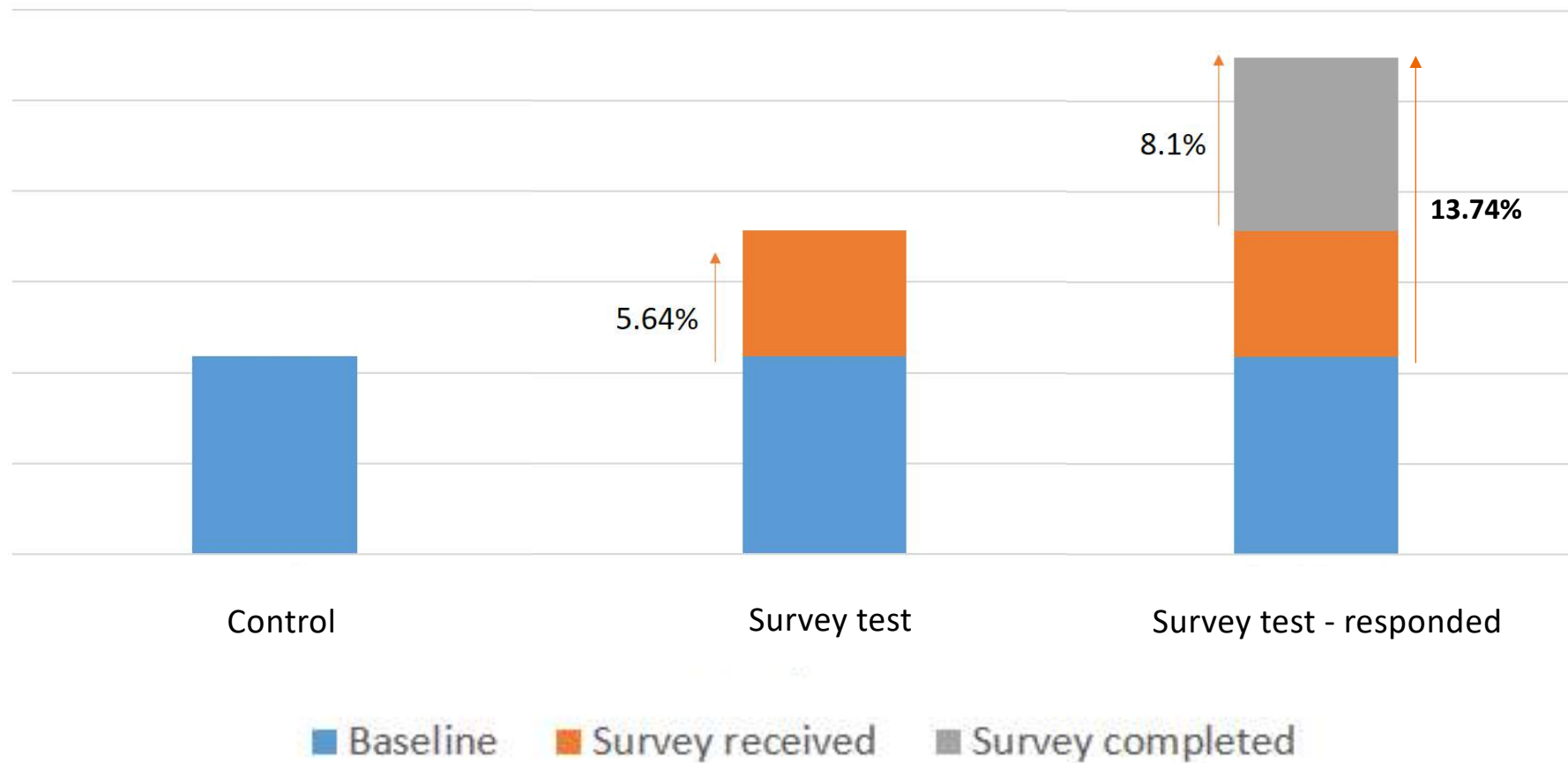
*Note: Data Analytics underpinned this moment*

# The Journey – Volunteers





# Impact of asking



# Increasing value

Established baseline

100%

Please collect from houses on both sides of the street. How long do you estimate it will take you to doorknock your houses?

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Set norm and anchor

100%

**RED SHIELD APPEAL**  
*Be a local champion*

On average each volunteer contributes 2 hours of their time to collect donations for the Salvation Army's Doorknock. Would you be able to spend a little more time to collect from a few more houses?

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NEXT

Asked to pre-commit when

100%

**RED SHIELD APPEAL**  
*Be a local champion*

Thank you for offering to collect from some additional houses. We will be back in touch to discuss a suitable location.

Have you decided when you'll collect donations on your street? You can go any time from the 22nd May until the 4th June. Doorknock weekend is the 27-28 May.

25%



## Results (thanks Karen Armstrong)

### 2016

- Telemarketing recruitment of 20,000 volunteers
- 42% of volunteers complete their doorknocking and bank funds
- Retention rate of volunteers was less than 10%

### 2017

- Reduced volume of recruited volunteers to 14,000
- Increased net return by **5%**
- Increased average raised **15%** comparing control to journey
- Improved completion rates by **14% to 56%** completion
- Increased overall average raised by **21%**
- Increased average raised with 'nudged collectors' by **25%**
- Over **50%** engaged in dialogue
- **ROI 7:1** for coaching journey

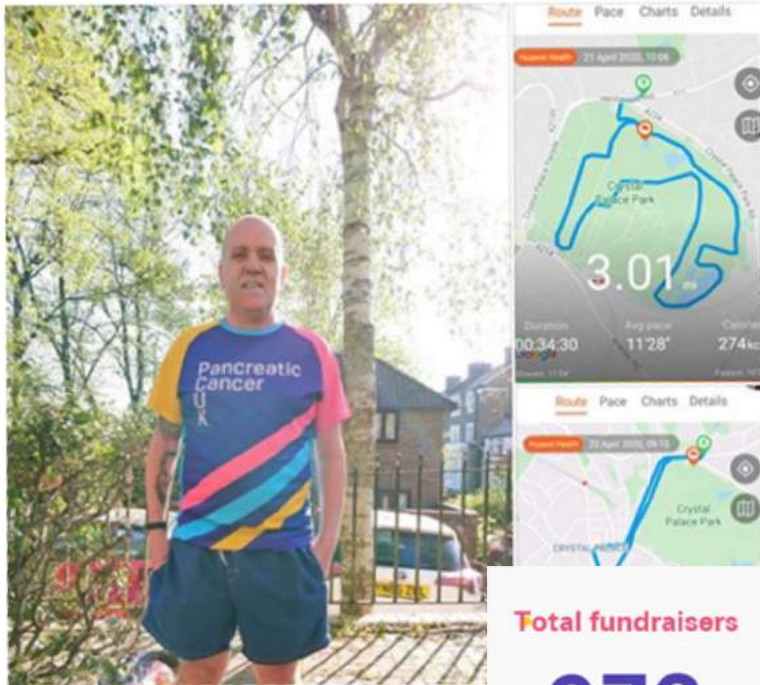


## 7 secrets to crack digital tribes (thanks Julie Roberts)

1. Understand supporters **motivations** and **needs**
2. **Enrich your data** insights and follow trends that are already occurring
3. **Engage** people differently depending on where they are in the registration pipeline (**talkers, thinkers, doers**)
4. Don't overwhelm them with options – **Focus on top 6 ideas**
5. **Inspire** supporters through stories of other fundraisers
6. **Love your tribe** - support & praise them publicly for others to see
7. **Use personas** to build **empathy maps** - stop thinking like you and create memorable experiences

## Looks like: Fundraising Page → Digital Tribe

Day 2 of the 24 day challenge 💜 I have challenged myself to run 3 miles everyday for the next 24 day's 💜 has anyone else taken the 24 day challenge, and if so what are you doing?  
<https://fundraise.pancreaticcancer.org.uk/.../3-miles-per-day...>



Total fundraisers

978

Raised so far

£184,882



Pancreatic Cancer UK

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We've seen some really creative fundraising from our supporters during lockdown. Catherine signed up to Challenge 24 after sadly losing her mum to #PancreaticCancer and raised an incredible £1,466.

"I set myself a challenge of walking 20,000 steps for 24 days, keeping the number 24 at the heart of my challenge.

To top it all off – a wonderful surprise awaited me at the finish, with a running track recreated in my back garden by the most important people in my life. I feel bey... See more





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