

Week 6 - 6.2 Leadership Skills Questionnaire Results

Edrico K. Wallace

Ls 600 Introduction to Leadership

Professor Dr. Chere' Brown

September 30, 2017

This Leadership Style Questionnaire helps incoming leaders understand their preferred leadership skills. The questionnaire provides three categories of leadership skills (Administrative, Interpersonal, and Conceptual) which are determined by our cumulative score. Additional descriptions of each style were included in the questionnaire that provides further insight into each style. There are different leadership styles, each of which can be appropriate and effective in different situations. Most of us, if we find ourselves in a leadership role, have a preference for a particular style. This was a great exercise and helped me identify my leadership style.

I would definitely identify my strengths of leadership skills fall in the interpersonal category. I feel as though I am an avid problem solving. I like to think things through and come to the most logical solution before proceeding with a project. I also think that I have a good handle on my emotional intelligence. Over the past 8 years, I feel as though this is the one skill I have improved tremendously. I am more aware of my emotions and how others are affected by my emotions, as well as more aware of the emotions of others to help determine what move is best. I think that the skills I have impact me as a leader by determining what tasks I feel most comfortable carrying out as a leader or delegating to others. For example, anything that would use my interpersonal skills, I would probably feel most comfortable or natural doing. If something required administrative skills, such as managing resources, I may feel comfortable, but could use some assistance since it is not one of my strengths. If sometime required conceptual skills, such as strategic planning, I would seek out others' assistance to perform the task.