

Office Hours



Welcome to Office Hours

- A relaxed, informal mentoring program
- Held every Monday at Noon Pacific Time
- All recordings, slides, and exercises are archived in our member's area
- All recordings are available on my YouTube channel:

www.YouTube.com/user/PaulHoyt



The Reasons

- Being a successful small business owner can be a great experience!
- But it's tough you need Education, Training,
 Tools, and Team to be successful
- I want you to get to know me



The Reasons

- First and most importantly, I want you to know that I care about you.
- I want you to succeed in every area of your life, whatever that means to you.
- I want you to find the greatness, the happiness, the divinity within yourself, and then remember it, embrace it, and live it every day.

My Vision...

... To help millions of CEOs and Entrepreneurs accelerate their business growth and enjoy greater harmony and balance in their lives



Office Hours Agenda

- In depth discussion of a business success principle
- Closing remarks, special offers, and invitation for next weeks session
- Open Q&A and coaching



Join Us!

- Brilliant Business Groups on Facebook and LinkedIn
 - https://www.facebook.com/groups/
 BrilliantBusiness/
 - http://bit.ly/BrilliantBusinessGroup
- Energy of the Day and Business
 Success Principle of the Day postings
- Make comments, ask questions, share insights and "takeaways"
- "Like" my business page on Facebook



Today's Topic:

The Vital Signs of Business



The Key Performance Areas

MARKETING

PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT OPERATIONS & ADMINISTRATION

FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT

SALES

SERVICE & DELIVERY

LEADERSHIP



The Key Performance Areas



Agenda

- At the Doctor
- The Vital Signs Questions
 - Public Questions
 - Partner Questions
 - Advisor Questions
 - Executive Questions
 - Coaching and Therapy Questions
- The Bottom Line



Doctor Level One

- Blood Pressure
- Pulse / Heart Rate
- Weight
- Height
- Age
- Considered to be The Vital Signs



Doctor Level Two

- What's the purpose of your visit today?
- What medications are you on?
- How much do you smoke? Drink?
- Do you exercise?
- Are you sleeping OK? What is your energy level?



Doctor Level Two

- Any physical challenges?
- Are you in any pain?
- Had any major surgeries or recent visits to the hospital?
- What is your family history?



Doctor Level Three

- Worries, anxieties, stress levels
- Relationship and family issues
- Addictions
- Intimacy issues
- Non-prescribed medications



Imagine...

- Walking into the doctor's office and being prescribed without diagnosis
- "Prescription without diagnosis is malpractice"



The Vital Signs Questions

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Level One: Public

- What business are you in?
 - What products and services do you sell?
 - What industry are in?
 - What markets do you serve?
 - Who's an ideal client for you?
- How long have you been in business?
- What sets you apart?



Level Two: Partners, Major Suppliers and Large Customers

- Size of company?
- Planned size in 12 months; 36 months?
- Number of employees, size of team?
- How many customers do you have?
- Stage of growth?
- Can you supply any references?
- Future product / service plans?



Level Three: Advisors and Investors

- Current goals and growth initiatives?
- Major prospects, large pending deals?
- Major challenges and obstacles?
- What's working? What's Not?
- Income statement month by month for last 12 months?
- Current balance sheet?
- Largest customers?
- Funding / capitalization strategies?



Level Four: Senior Executives

- Cash in Bank?
- Accounts Receivable balance?
- Accounts Payable balance? Other debt?
- Anticipated cash balance / cash forecast?
- Size of payroll?
- Major financial or legal issues?
- Size of pipeline?
- Problems with employees, contractors, investors, etc.?



Level Five: Coaches and Therapists

- What are your biggest fears?
- What are your blocks?
- Do you have any health issues?
- Do you have any family issues?
- Are you sleeping well?
- When was the last time you took some time off?



The Vital Signs Questions

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The Focused Sales Professional

- Have you heard about our products and services... well let me tell you!
- You have to make a decision right now!
 - We only have a few left
 - This is a once in a lifetime opportunity
 - The special goes away at the end of the day
- Just charge it on your credit card!

The Advising Sales Professional

- What stage of business are you in?
- Do you have a budget for our type of products and services?
- What is it you really want to accomplish?
- And if it is a major expenditure:
 - Think it over and consult your advisors –
 I want you to feel very confident in making such a large decision

The Vital Signs of Business

Physical	Business	
Height	Revenues	
Heart Rate	Cash Flow	
Weight	Debt Load / Overhead	
Blood Pressure	Stress Level	
Age	Time in Business / Stage of Business	
Energy Level	Resources	
Family Relationships	Team	



The Bottom Line

- Don't confuse focused sales professionals with trusted advisors
- Sales professionals are needed and they are OK – you will want some of them to work for you!
- Those who are really interested in your long-term success will ask you questions at all of the levels

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Homework / Exercises

- Make a list of your trusted advisors
- If you don't have a trusted advisor on your team, get one (or two!)
- Get coaching and support to accelerate your growth and progress



Open Q & A and Coaching – in a minute

- Comments and questions on the topic of the day
- Any other issues
- Tell me what your biggest "take-aways" are and what insights you gained from this presentation
- Tell me what you are going to focus on



My Distinctions

- I focus on the "whole person"
- I don't want a lot of your money. I just want you to get the support you want, need, can use, and can afford
- I want you to learn to swim before you jump into the deep end
- I believe that Belief and Persistence are necessary, but not sufficient – you also need a viable business model and a lot of support

Our Support Services

- Education
- Training
- Consulting
- Coaching
- Growth Management
 - A "Do it With You" service!



Our Support Services

Service	Teach You	Do It With You	Do it For You
Education	Х		
Training	Х		
Coaching	Х		
Advising / Mentoring	X	X	
Consulting		Х	Х
Growth Management		X	X



Sign up for our Business Growth Acceleration Kit

- www.PaulHoyt.com/CEOBonus
- "Five Choices of Winning CEOs"
- Article on "10 Things You Should Know about Raising Capital"
- Samples of inspirational works
- Free Business Clarity Session
- Surprise bonuses
- The value is enormous!



Purchase My CEO Training Program

- www.BeyondBusinessSurvival.com
- "What You Need to Know When You're the CEO!"
- "This program is worth at list 20 times more than the current price. I finally understood what I need to do to succeed."

Nick Catricala



Next Office Hours: Jan. 12th

- Topic is: **TBD**.
- Let me know what topics you would like for me to address: www.PaulsSurvey.com
- Do your homework!



Open Q & A and Coaching

- Comments & questions on the topic of the day
- Any other issues
- Your take-aways and insights
- Survey: www.PaulsSurvey.com

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