



Force Field ANALYSIS

This force field analysis is an effective, structured decision-making tool that can improve the quality of your decisions and move you towards success. This root cause analysis tool can help you take action on identified factors. The analysis is based on the assumption that a situation is the result of forces for and against the current situation. Once these positive/driving forces and negative/restraining forces are identified, this information can be used to develop action items that lead to change and improvement.

? Problem Statement	
+ Driving Forces – Internal Motivators (The benefits to the facility for improvement)	- Restraining Forces – Internal Barriers (The barriers to the facility preventing improvement)
+ Driving Forces – External Motivators (Outside organization benefits to partner for collaborative improvement)	- Restraining Forces – External Barriers (Outside organization barriers preventing collaborative improvement)
✓ ACTION to Reduce the Restraining Forces (What action/changes can result in improvement)	