

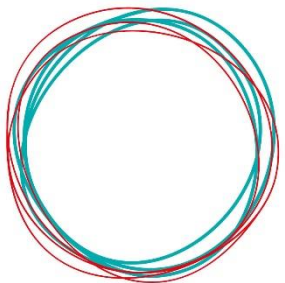
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# Community engagement

Oradea, 24 November 2023

# Back to the roots!

- Indigenous people? Maori, New Zealand? The good old days?
- “It takes a village to raise a child.” (proverb from African cultures)
- What if the baker gets locked up?
- Community – *communis* (Lat.) – what we have in common – where do we belong?
  - ➡ Class group, team, neighbourhood, family, ...

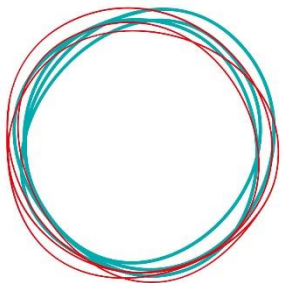


# A healthy community (1/3)

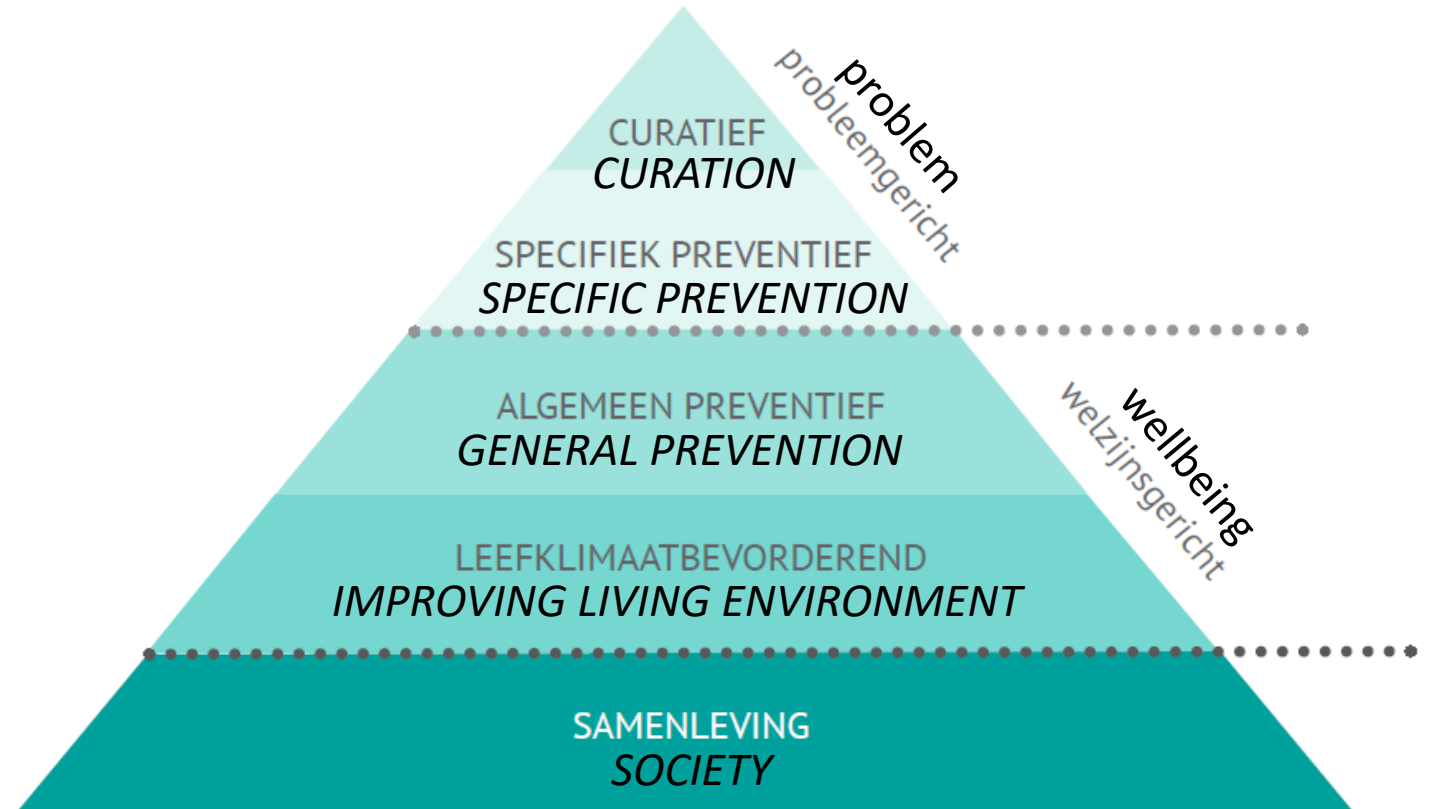
## Prevention pyramid

(dr. Johan Deklerck)

- An integral approach
- 80% proactive vs 20% responsive

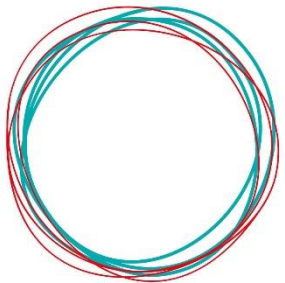


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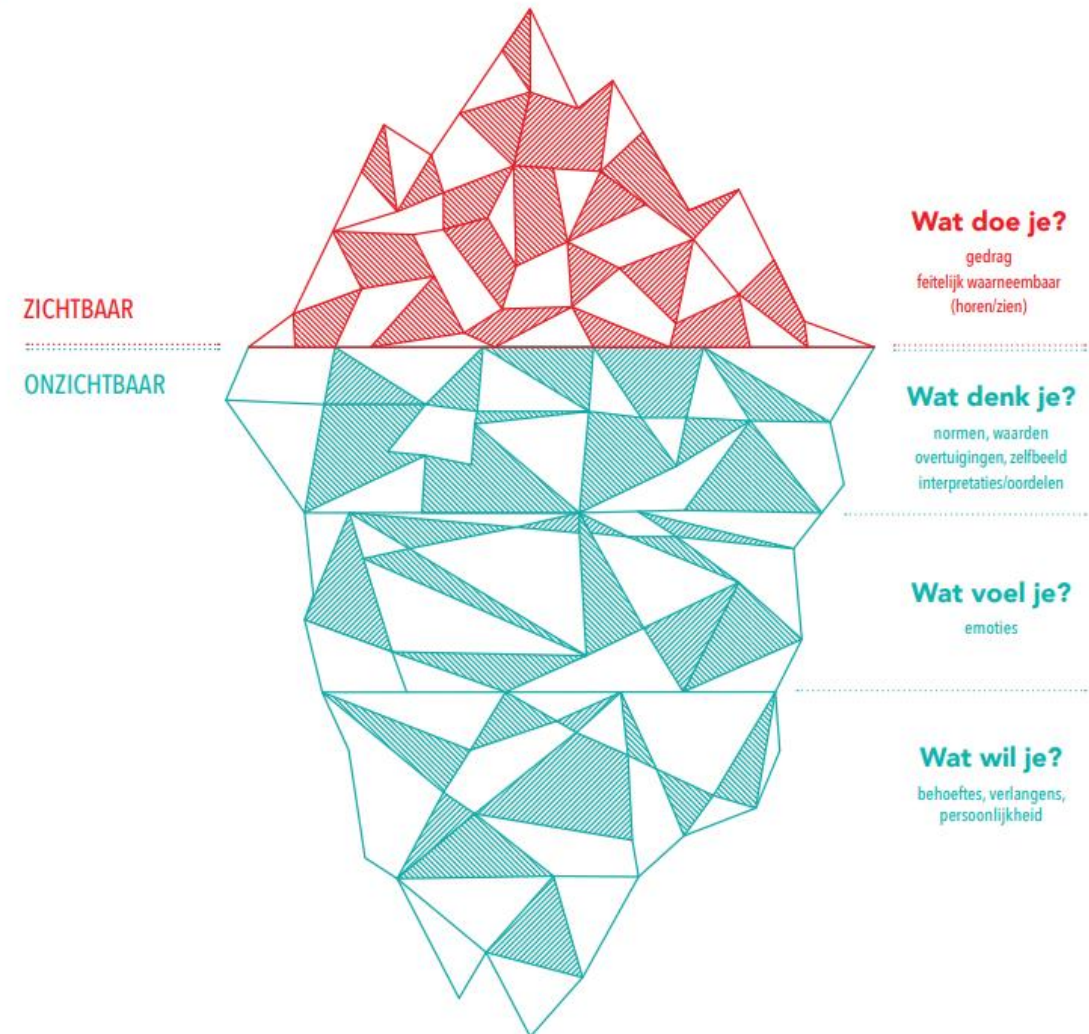


# A healthy community (2/3) – iceberg of McClelland

Free expression of thoughts,  
emotions, needs, beliefs and  
deep longings

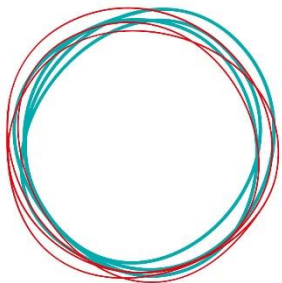


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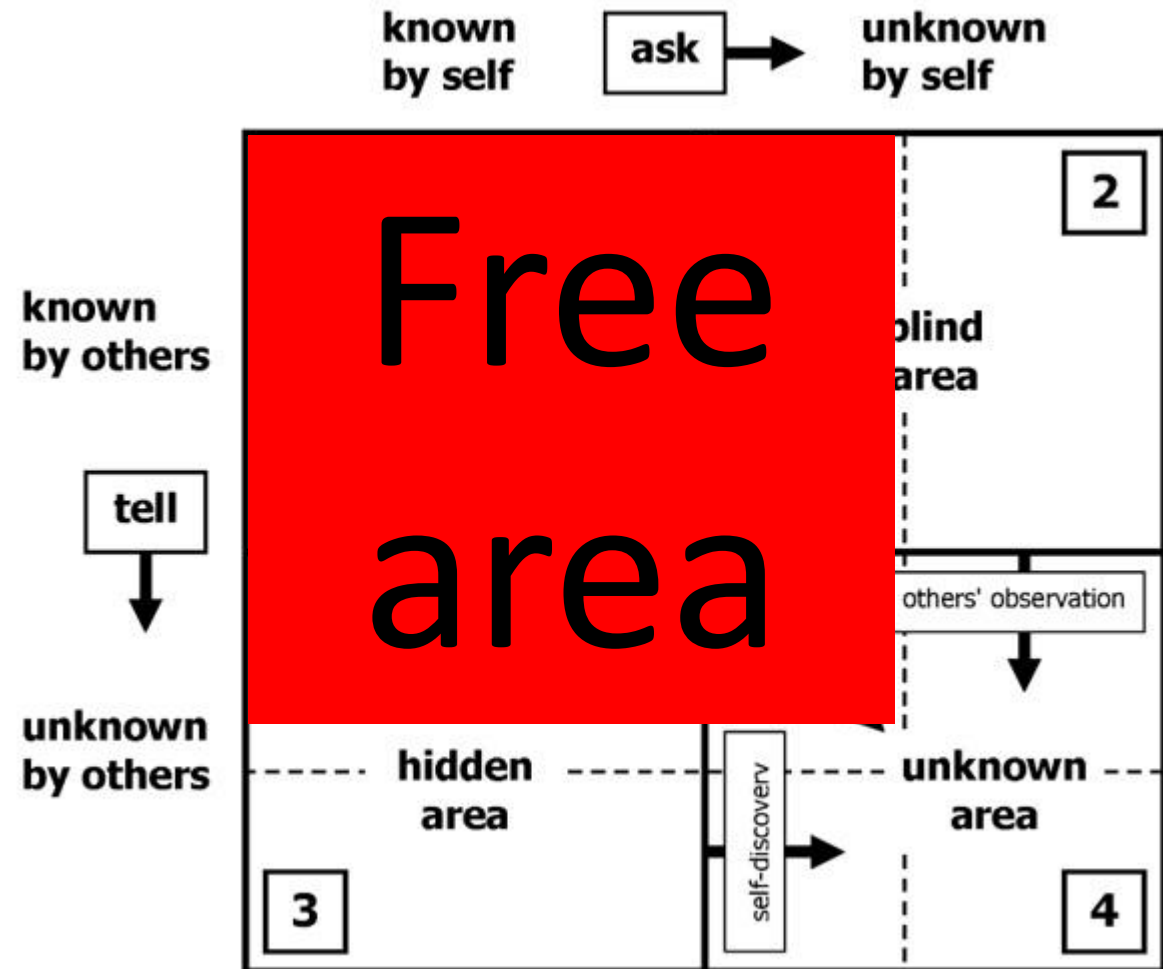


# A healthy community (3/3) – JOHARI WINDOW

- Transparency generates trust
- Trust is a condition for growth
- More voice and choice in exchange for responsibility



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# PRACTICE: the six conversations (Peter Block)

“If you want to change the nature of your community, you need to change the nature of the conversation.” <https://www.peterblock.com/the-six-conversations/>

## **The Invitation Conversation**

e.g. What made you come to this conference? Which sacrifices did you make?

## **The Possibility Conversation**

e.g. Which possibilities do you envision in your school, organisation, community regarding RP?

## **The Ownership Conversation**

e.g. How important is this to you? How are you willing to contribute?

## **The Dissent Conversation**

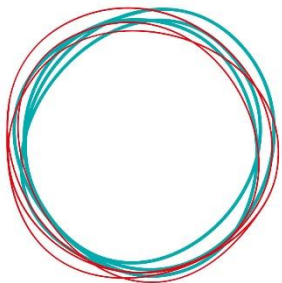
e.g. What reservations do you want to make? Which doubts do you have?

## **The Commitment Conversation**

e.g. What promise are you willing to make?

## **The Gifts Conversation**

e.g. What are you grateful for? What gifts have you received?



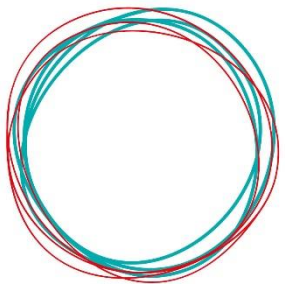
# The conversation that matters: advice from Peter

How?

One room at a time.

Where to begin?

The room you are in!



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# Questions?



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