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Essential steps to **EXPECTATION SETTING**



MANAGERS GUIDE

- As a manager, you will drive the expectation setting process.
- Make all goals SMART.
- Align team member's goals with organizational goals.
- Periodically communicate the status of high-level goals to the team.
- Regularly review, revise and update team member's goals.

1.

MANAGER DEFINES EXPECTATIONS (GOALS)

Manager determines team member's performance expectations (competencies, goals, and responsibilities) for the upcoming plan year.

2.

TEAM MEMBER
PROVIDES INPUT TO
EXPECTATIONS

Team member provides an **input to the performance expectations** (competencies, goals, and responsibilities) shared by the manager.

3.

MANAGER AND TEAM MEMBER DISCUSS EXPECTATIONS

Manager and team member discuss performance plan for the year. Clarify expectations and define development areas.

4.

MANAGER FINALIZES EXPECTATIONS

Manager saves and completes team member's plan in ePerformance.