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KFP	Definition	Core Strategies					Additional Strategies	Quick Wins	
 Secure Base	Knowing yourself: enhancing emotional literacy as a leadership trait.	Check your inner chimp: supporting and modelling emotion regulation	Availability of support	Agile working	Fostering a sense of belonging	Building team resilience	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 🧘 Mindful listening 🧘 Appreciative Enquiry 📄 One-page profiles 💖 CBT 🗣️ Peer coaching 🌍 World Cafe 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Quick wins ✓ Managing Anger ✓ Breathing Exercises for reducing stress ✓ Open door policies: making them work ✓ Checking in using technology ✓ Making hot desking work ✓ Building social connectedness using Fika 	
 Sense of Appreciation	Fostering a sense of appreciation at work	Mindful listening	Appreciative Inquiry	One page profiles	Sparkling moments	Being grateful	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 🏠 Fostering a sense of belonging 🏠 Fika 🗣️ Serious success reviews 🗣️ Working with strengths 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Walking the floor ✓ Give SMART feedback ✓ Celebrating success in team meetings ✓ Ways to show your gratitude 	
 Learning Organisation	Reflective Leadership	Serious Success Reviews	Schwartz rounds	Learning from critical incidents and managing organisational shock	Peer coaching	Working with strengths	Using action learning sets for group learning	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 🧘 Sparkling moments 🧘 Appreciative Enquiry 🗣️ Tell me 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Creating your own Personal Board of directors ✓ Strength spotting ✓ Spotting character strengths in meetings and to improve relationships
 Mission and Vision	Managing change effectively	Coproducing and communicating organisational direction and the importance of clear communication	Succession planning	Culturally competent leadership	Pay attention to your shadow side and use 360 degree feedback	Organisational justice	Staying on track	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 🏠 Fika 🧘 Appreciative Enquiry 🧘 Mindful listening 🏠 Fostering a sense of belonging 💖 Managing conflict 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Achieving effective change ✓ Pay attention to the fish tank not just the fish ✓ World Café ✓ Tell me ✓ I did lists ✓ Kanban
 Well-being	Using the HSE resources	Enhancing management competencies	Managing conflict	Promoting a healthy working environment: mental first aid and wellbeing champions	Work life balance	Managing email	Developing an individual toolbox of wellbeing: Self-compassion; CBT; Mindfulness; selfcare for managers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 🧘 Appreciative Enquiry 🏠 Fika 🧘 Sparkling moments 🗣️ Peer coaching 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Six steps to manage conflict ✓ Tips to improve work-life balance ✓ How to be e-resilient ✓ Encourage expressive writing ✓ Individual and strategic mindfulness