

INTRODUCTION TO COLLABORATIVE PRACTICE

WEEK ONE





WELCOME!

WHO ARE WE?









The background is a complex, abstract painting on a wooden surface. It features a variety of bold colors: bright yellow, red, magenta, teal, and dark blue. The brushstrokes are thick and expressive, creating a sense of movement and depth. There are large, irregular shapes and patterns, including a prominent magenta shape with white lines on the right side. The overall composition is dynamic and visually striking.

AND WHO ARE YOU?

The image features a dark wood-grain background. A thick layer of teal paint is applied to the top half, with several thick drips running down the surface. The text 'WHAT TO EXPECT?' is centered in the teal area.

WHAT TO EXPECT?



SO WHY?



Hi Clarissa,

I hope you are doing well.

I don't think I ever really thanked you enough for what you did for me (and Jane and our family). I actually watched 'Marriage Story' today. Don't know why I did it, but wow - how much more painful things could have been!

It's been 4 years since everything changed, but for quite some time now, life has been good. We are still a family and Jane and I can still have a laugh and talk about the good things we shared together. The kids are growing up and I'm confident that they are happy and healthy with the way family life is.

I hope you are well and are carving out time for yourself and your family amongst all the energy and wisdom you put into your business and share with people like me.

If you ever catch up with Kobi, please say hi for me.

Thank you again



**SO WHAT IS
COLLABORATIVE PRACTICE**

**Collaborative Practice is
a legal process that calls
upon the skills of lawyers
and allied professionals to
create an environment where
our clients have the best
opportunity to solve the legal
(& sometimes non-legal)
challenges with the assistance of
a bespoke team of professionals.**



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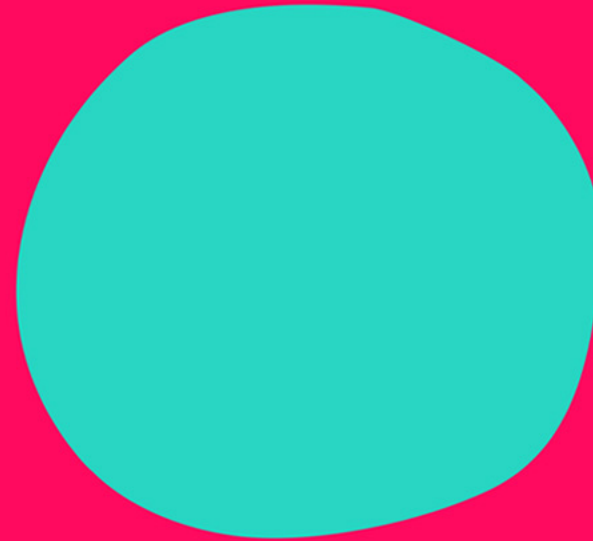
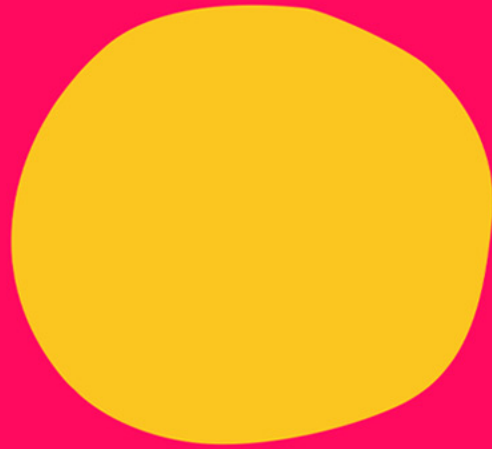


A Jason Reitman Film

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Due This Holiday Season

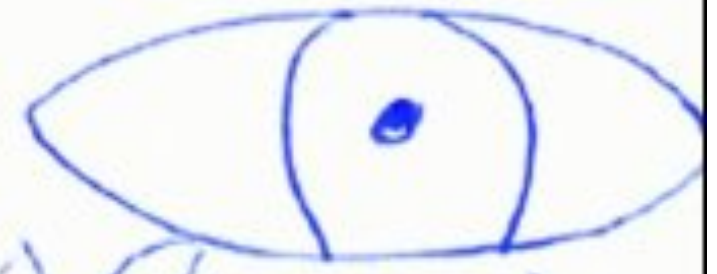
WHAT DO WE KNOW ABOUT DIVORCE?



All of these images were created by Children aged between 10-12

I'm sad because my dad isn't
allowed to come to my

BIG



Birthday



PARTY



Dad says mom is mean

I Feel cut in HALF

Mom says dad

IS STUPID



DIVORCE SUCKS!!!





You're Both
too Busy
~~Hating~~ Each
Other So
I Have to
Do it
Alone...

I

WANT

MY

old

Life

BACK

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Please



just

STOP!

A teal corrugated metal wall with a white question about social stereotypes. The wall has a vertical seam and some small holes. The text is centered and reads:

**WHAT ARE THE
SOCIAL STEREOTYPES?**



Consider the Legal Environment that Collaborative Practice has emerged into

1. Modern focus on alternative dispute resolution
2. High cost of traditional divorce process (financial and emotional)
3. Increasing divorce and separation rates
4. We live in an information age- clients are seeking more than a lawyer who is the holder of legal knowledge
5. Modern world focus on 'work life balance'- the profession is seeking 'better ways' to practice



**SO WHY DO YOU THINK
COLLABORATIVE HAS EMERGED?**

WHERE DID IT COME FROM?



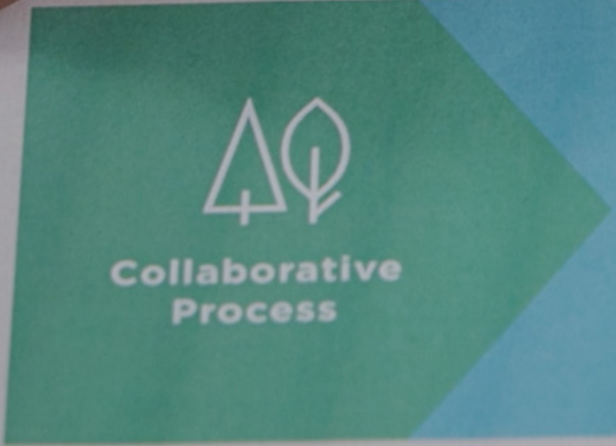
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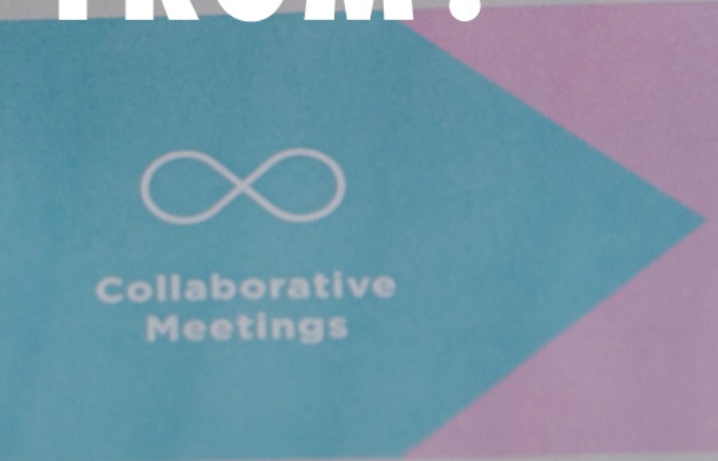
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Practice



Collaborative
Process



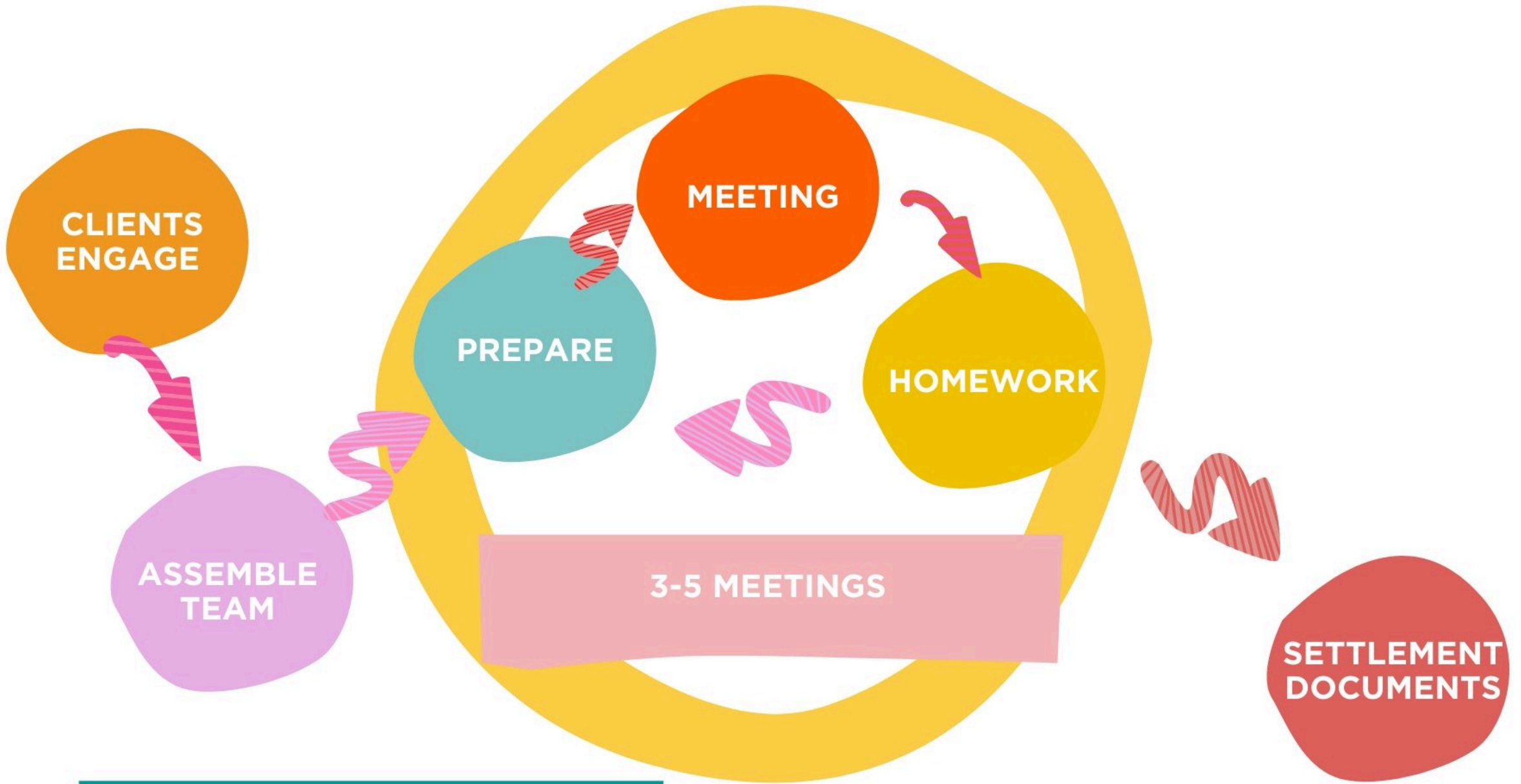
Collaborative
Meetings



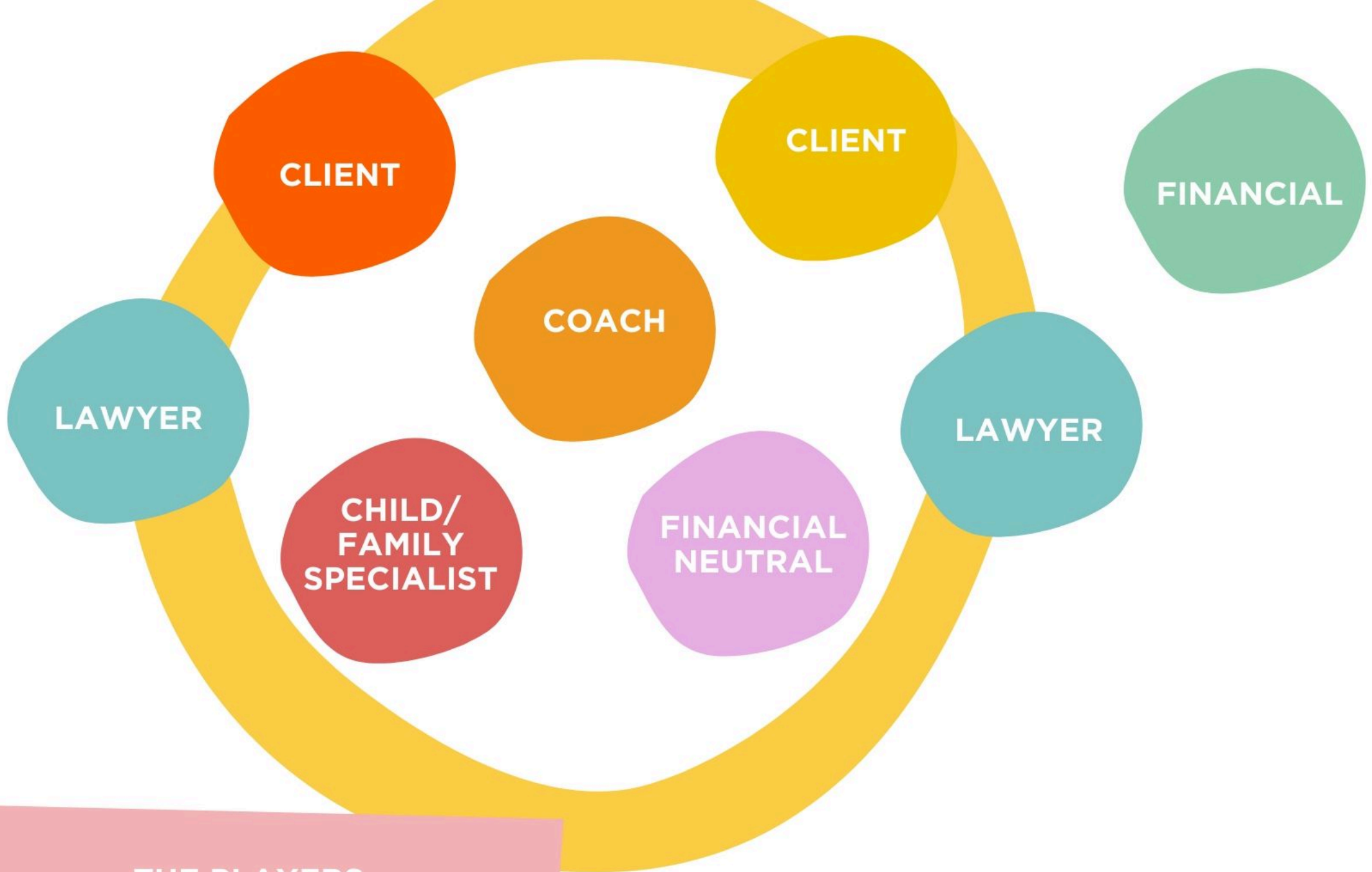
WHAT IS COLLABORATIVE PRACTICE?

The Collaborative Negotiation Workbook

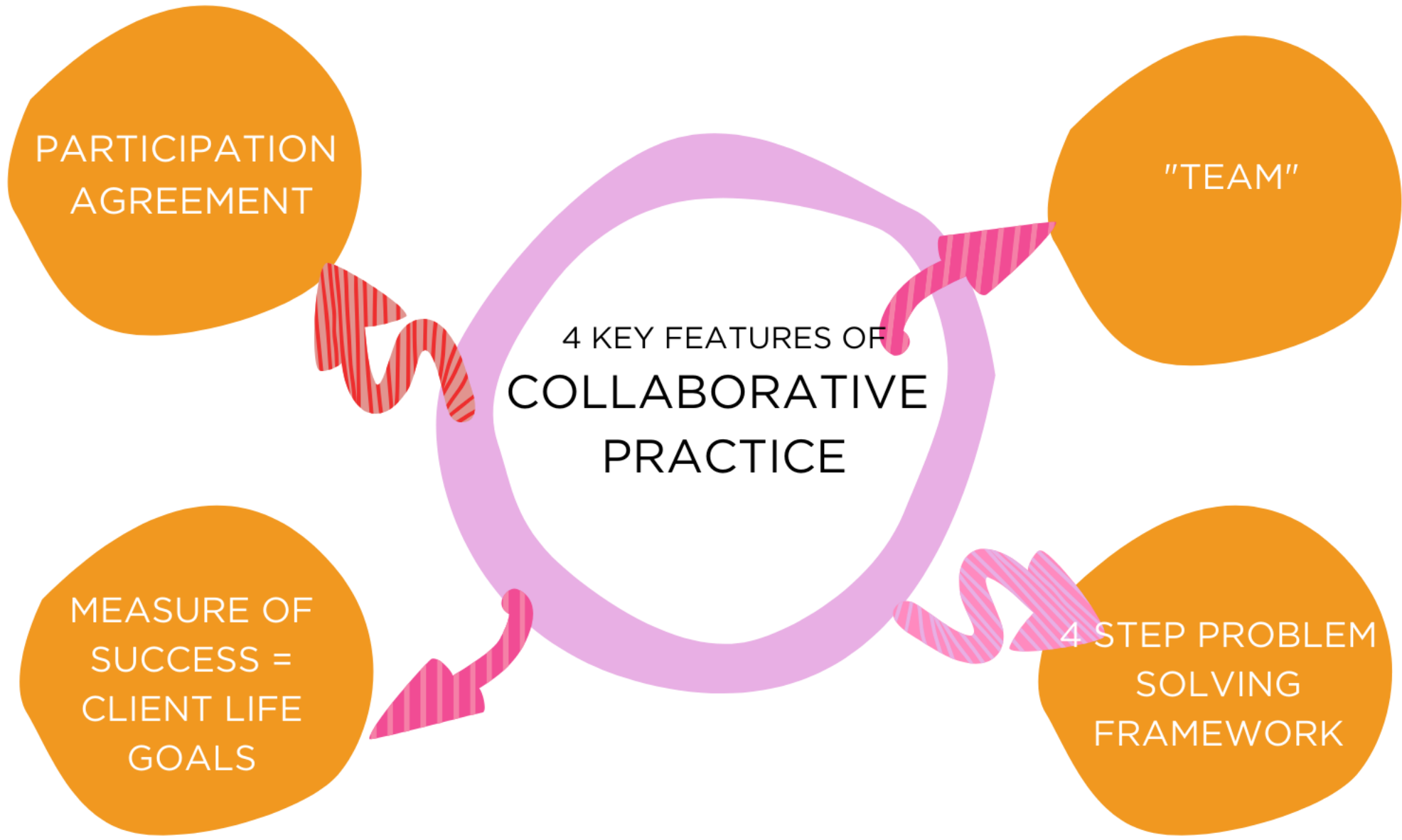




THE MODEL



THE PLAYERS





COMMUNICATION

PROBLEM
SOLVING

LISTENING

TEAM WORK

A hand with pink nail polish holds a white sign in the foreground. In the background, a person in a pink athletic outfit is blurred, appearing to be in motion. The background is a bright blue wall with vertical lines.

**YOUR CHALLENGE
THIS WEEK...**



*HAPPY LAWYER
HAPPY LIFE*

THANK YOU!

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