Build better teams and improve performance through insight into interpersonal needs and behavior.

The Fundamental Interpersonal Relations Orientation–Behavior™ (FIRO-B®) suite of assessment products helps people understand their interpersonal needs (grouped into three categories—Inclusion, Control, and Affection) and how those needs influence their communication, problem-solving, and decision-making styles as well as other aspects of their behavior. For more than 50 years, the FIRO-B tool has provided in-depth descriptions of how people behave, how they affect and are affected by others, and how they can be more effective.

As a result, the assessment has become a valuable tool for increasing organizational performance. It reveals how interpersonal needs drive people’s behavior and can shape people’s ability to build trust, influence others, and create productive relationships.

Since team performance is central to organizational effectiveness, the FIRO-B assessment is frequently used to facilitate the formation of teams, as well as to help groups become more effective by addressing any problematic interpersonal dynamics. And, by identifying leadership style, the tool provides insight into how managers can become more effective by helping meet the interpersonal needs of members of their team or group. Similarly, it can improve people’s understanding of how interpersonal needs can help form positive team and individual working relationships—by highlighting perceptual gaps that may lead them to inadvertently derail relationships and limit their ability to influence others.

But no matter what your particular organizational needs are, the FIRO-B tool can help your people become more self-aware—and understand how they may need to change their behavior to interact with others in a more emotionally intelligent manner.
MEETING YOUR NEEDS
Because the FRCO-B tool is even more powerful when used in combination with other assessments—such as the Myers-Briggs®, TKI, and CPI 260® assessments—it is ideal as an integral part of your team and leadership development initiatives, as well as personal coaching efforts. It can help people in several areas:

+ Team building—build more effective teams with insights into interpersonal communication needs
+ Leadership and coaching—help leaders understand their communication style and behavior to improve performance
+ Conflict management—help individuals better understand interactions with others and reduce conflict

CERTIFICATION PROGRAM
CPP’s FRCO® Certification Program teaches you how to professionally and ethically use the FRCO-B and FRCO Business® assessments and grants participants access to purchase the assessments and reports. CPP provides convenient on-site training for five or more people, with topics including the design and theory of the instruments and key applications such as team building, leadership, and individual development.

ESSENTIAL PRODUCTS
- FRCO-B® Profile
  (Product code: 220160)
- FRCO-B® Interpretive Report for Organizations
  (Product code: 210255)
- Leadership Report Using the FRCO-B® and MBTI® Instruments
  (Product code: 210256)
- Introduction to the FRCO-B® Instrument client booklet
  (Product code: 2209)

Your Guide to Performance
At CPP, our only job is to help you be a better people development professional and, in turn, help every employee flourish. While we’re best known for our products like the Myers-Briggs Type Indicator® assessment, CPP is also a group of people who can offer you the information, guidance, and support you need. We offer solutions to help you improve organizational performance and address whatever challenges you face—from team building, leadership and coaching, and conflict management to career development, selection, and retention. Perhaps that’s why millions of people in more than 100 countries use our products each year. They include people at Fortune 500 companies and businesses of all sizes, as well as educators, government agencies, and training and development consultants.

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