PRECEPTORSHIP IS LEADERHSHIP

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Agenda

- **What is a preceptor?**
- **First Impressions and Perceptions**
- **Grammar and Syntax**
- **Professionalism?**
- **Networking, Networking, Networking!**

What is a preceptor?

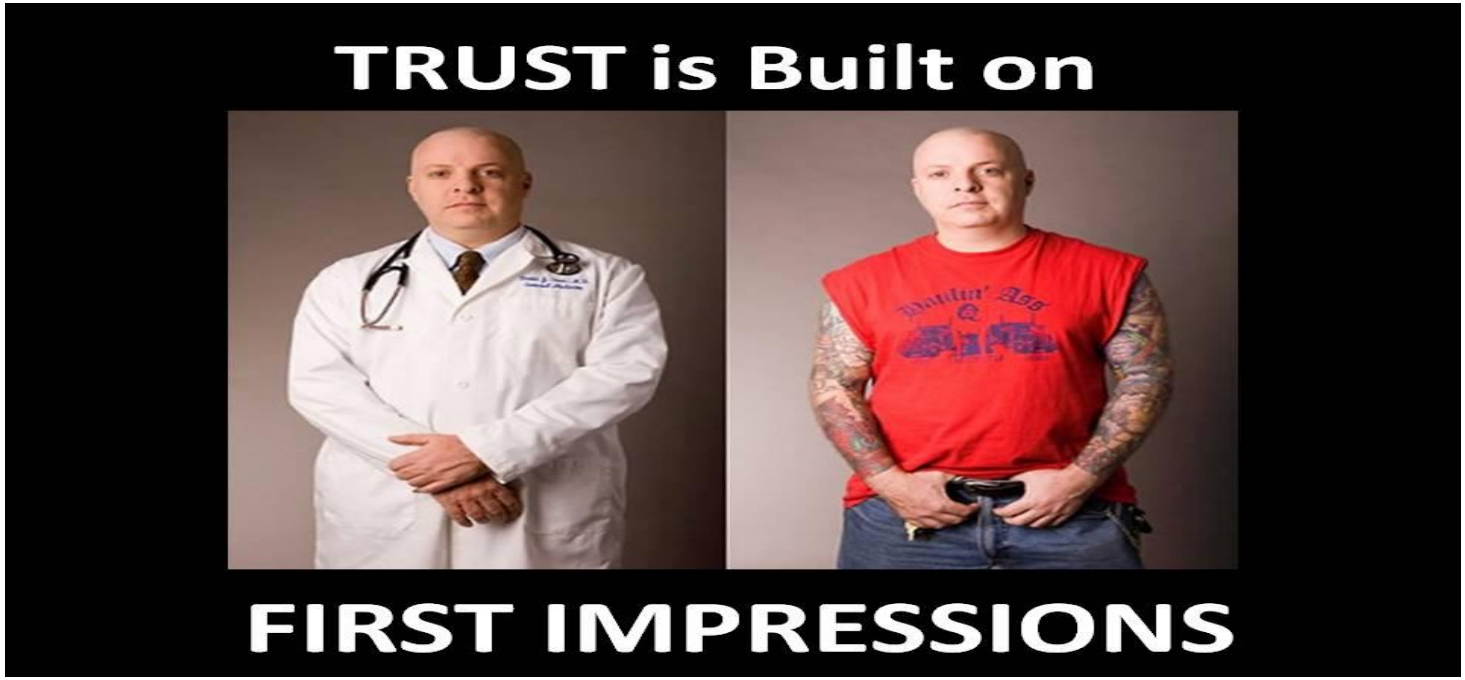
- **A chief executive officer, other executive leader, or senior manager who provides overall supervision of the student during a field placement.**
- **What does it mean to the leader? What does it mean to the student?**

Preceptortous?

- **A preceptor should be like a raptor, inspiring the student to learn, work, and achieve (or else).**

First Impressions

- **Healthcare Leader vs. Student?**
- **Valid impressions today?**
- **Generational?**

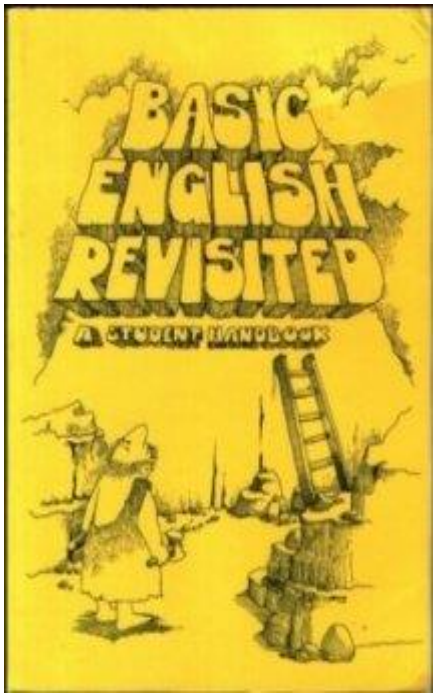


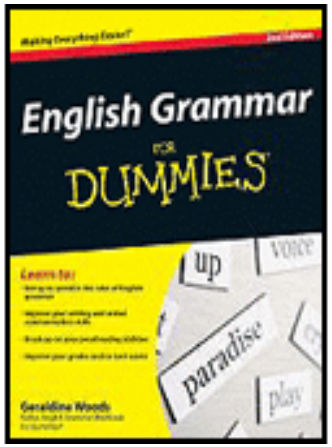
First Impressions

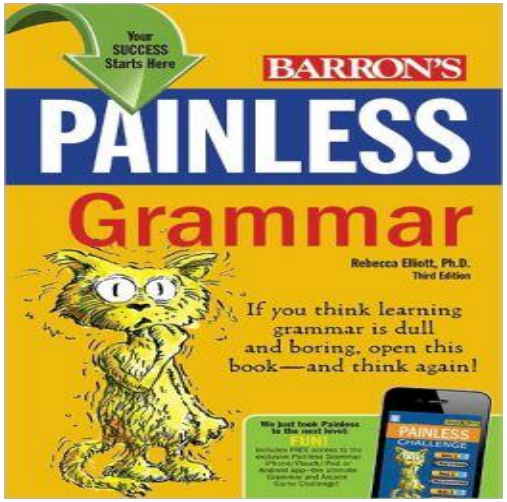
Perceptions

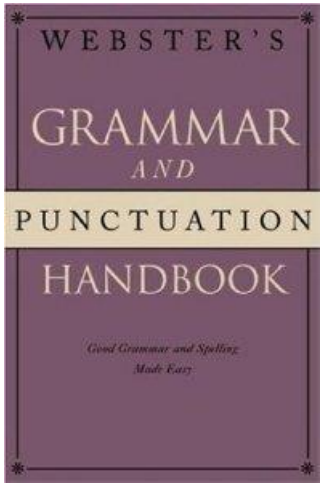
- What does the leader see?
- What does the student see?
- What do the coworkers see?

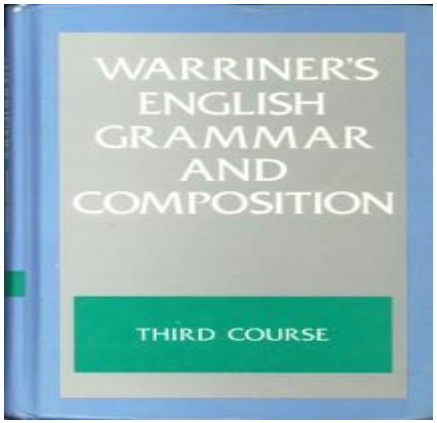
Grammar and Syntax

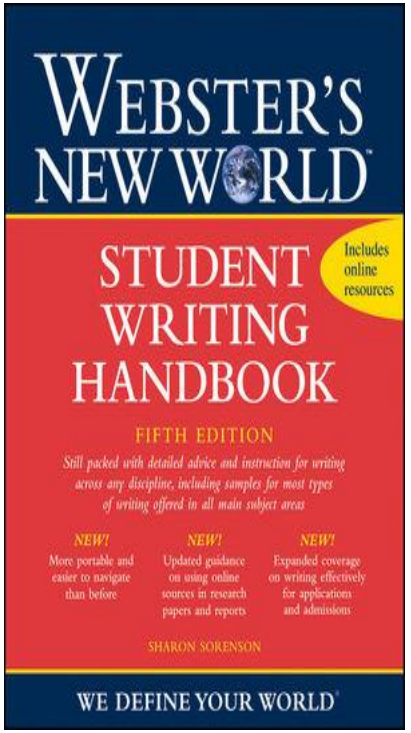












- **Person 1:** ***I just received word from the hospital.***
- **Person 2:** ***What is it?***
- **Person 1:** ***A big building with medical personnel in it, but that is not important right now.***

"Shirley you cannot be serious?"

Professionalism

- **What is it?**
- **Do you know it when you see it?**
- **Taught? Learned? Cultural? Generational?**

Not Professional

Golden Rule?

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Networking

- **Get outside your comfort zone.**
- **It is not a negative concept.**
- **It something that should be second nature to successful leaders in healthcare and in life in general.**

Networking

- **Wear a pin.**
- **Wear a nametag.**
- **Smile.**
- **Be positive.**
- **Tell a story.**

Final Thoughts?