Pattern of Trust Assessment Activity

Building trust requires a pattern of behavior. Your responses to the following questions will help you determine whether you're taking steps to build that pattern of behavior.

PART 1: ARE YOU TAKING STEPS TO BUILD TRUST?

Reflect on how often you take the following actions.

Question	Rarely	Sometimes	Usually
Do you delegate work to subordinates?			
Have you met the goals that you and your superiors have set for yourself and your team in the past?			
Do you ask for and seek out input from peers, subordinates, and senior leaders?			
When you are absent from the unit, do things still get done?			
Do you acknowledge your own mistakes?			
Do you follow through on the actions or ideas that you suggest?			
Do you seek out information about your subordinates' personal goals and basic details about their lives and act on that information?			

PART 2: DO OTHERS RECOGNIZE YOU AS TRUSTWORTHY?

Reflect on how often the following actions occur.

Question	Rarely	Sometimes	Usually
Do subordinates and peers come to you with their personal issues?			
Do leaders assign you work that they need completed quickly and thoroughly?			
Do subordinates or peers ask you to resolve conflict?			
Do subordinates willingly go above and beyond the work you assign?			
Do subordinates and peers seek out opportunities to work with you?			
Do peers, subordinates, and superiors encourage you to seek their input when you need it?			
Do senior leaders seek or rely on your input?			