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## The Environment of Marketing for Library and Information Services









## What does marketing mean to you?

• Write several words, concepts or phrases that describe "marketing"



The Answers Comprise the Mission Statement

- 1. What is your organization's reason for being?
- 2. Who are your customers?
- 3. What does your organization offer to customers?
- 4. How?



Understanding the relationship of the Mission, Goals and Objectives

- 1. Write a 2 sentence mission statement.
- 2. List a major goal for your organization.
- 3. List one or more objectives to support that goal.
- 4. Identify the general market (or customers) to be served.

# The 4-Step Marketing Model



## The Marketing Model?





### Describe Your Information Organization's Relevant External Environment

- Demographic
- Economic
- Social/Cultural
- Public Policy
- Technological
- Competitive
- Other





Another way to identify needed data sources

- What is your market area(s)?
- What is your desired market area(s)?
- Who are your *actual* customers within this area?
- Who are your *potential* customers?
- What products and services are you delivering?
- What (products) services and materials do they want and need?
- How and when are you delivering these materials and services?
- When do they want these services and materials?



#### Data You Have, Data You Need

• Now review the customer data you already have "inside-yourorganization" and then list the customer data you would like to *have* "inside-your-organization," as data collection and data organization is \$\$





Low



## **Exercise 8** Market Segments

- Geographic:
- Population Characteristics::
- Psychographic/Lifestyle:
- Uses for Services:
- Volume or Rate of Use:
- Benefits Sought:
- Combination(s):





# **Exercise 9** Stakeholders

- Potential Organization's Suppliers:
- Administration:
- Community Members:
- Financial Community:
- Public Policy Agencies:
- Other Stakeholders:





Stakeholders	Stakeholders' Interest	Potential Conflict with Organization's Interest







### Your Organization's Environment

• Write a 100-200 word hypothetical narrative describing your Organization's Environment.



### Market Mix (The 4 P's) Product, Price, Place, and Promotion

Place

Each Product (service or material)

- ... has a Price (cost of user's time or a fee)
- . . . must be distributed at some Place
- ... and you have to Promote the product to each of your groups (segments)

Product <u>Price</u>

#### **Promotion**



Marketing Strategy for A Customer Market

#### **Describe Your Approach**

• Target Market: • Goal: • Objective: • Strategy: • Actions:

Task Planning Phase	Lead	Due Date
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		



# **Exercise 14** Marketing Evaluation

- 1. Is my research adequate ?
- 2. Have I prioritized my segments the way I should?
- 3. Is my product what they want and need ?
- 4. How's the price ?
- 5. Is it being distributed for easy access?
- 6. Am I communicating so my segment can hear?

## How About The Marketing Model?





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