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overview

1. Satisfaction?

2. Satisfaction measurement & management

3. Tools and techniques

4. Some questions to ask

5. European collaboration

Satisfaction

The Service Quality Gap

What the customer expects from the service



The service quality gap



What the customer thinks they have received



Satisfaction management

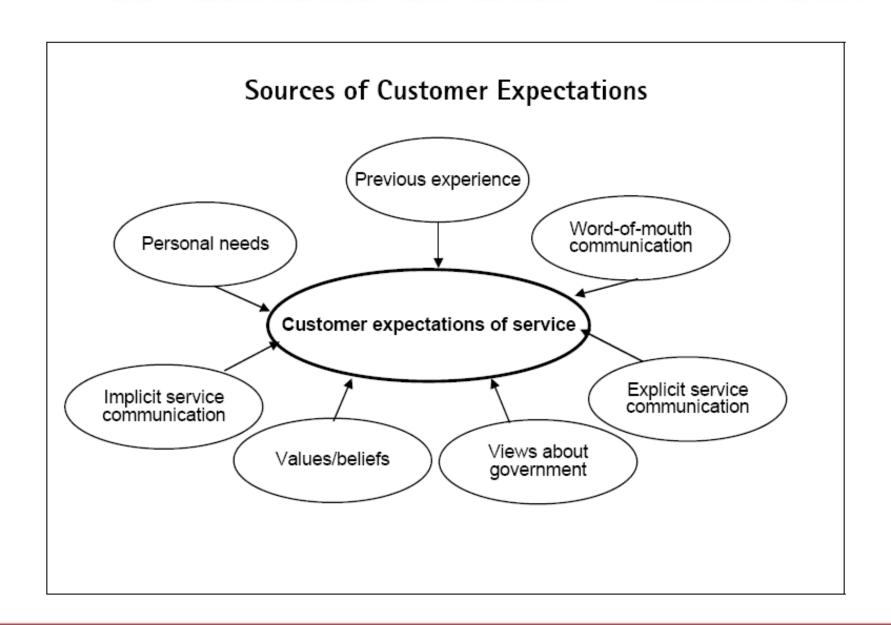
Quality / service management

Perception management

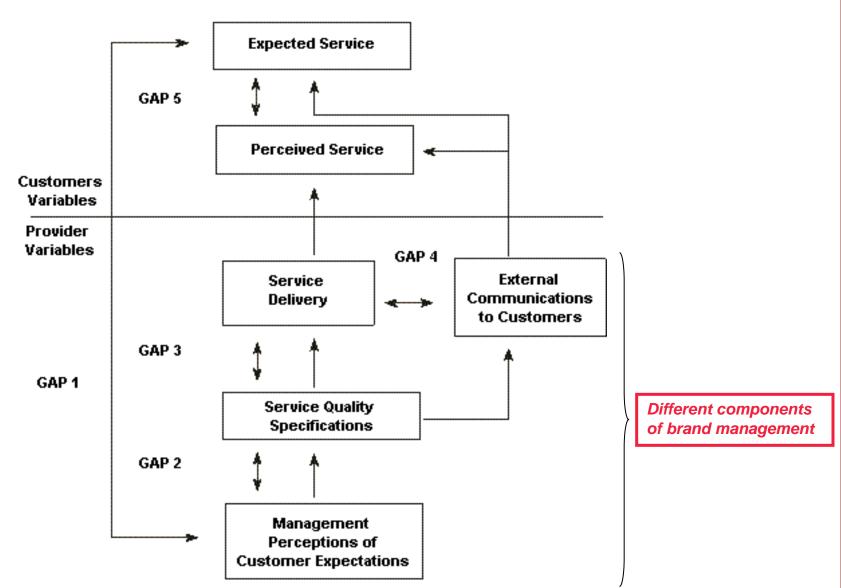
Expectation / management

Satisfaction

Where do expectations come from?



Servqual: Theoretical model

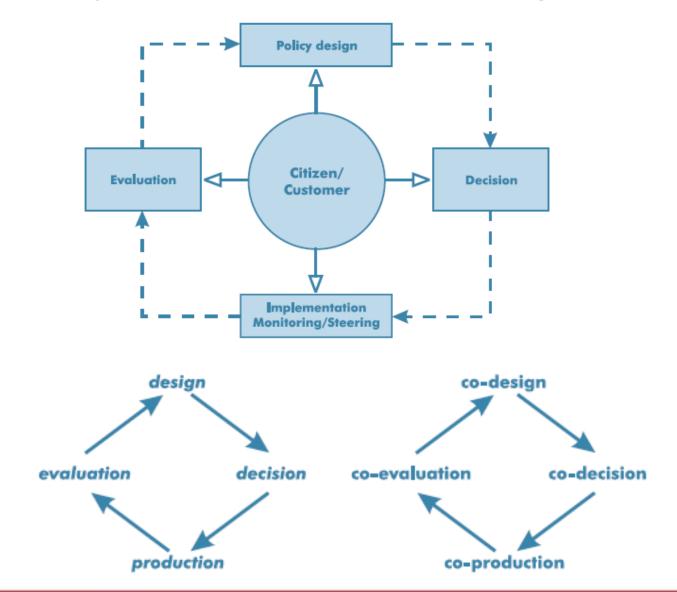


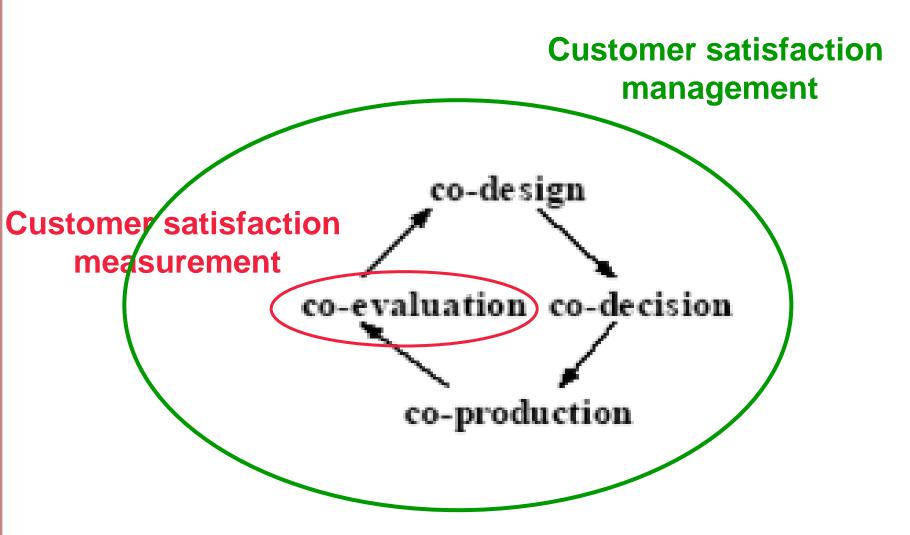
(Servqual- Zeithaml et al.1990)

Servqual - gaps

- Gap 1: Discrepancy between actual customer expectations and management perceptions of those expectations.
- Gap 2: Discrepancy between management perceptions of customer expectations and service-quality specifications.
- Gap 3: Discrepancy between service quality and service actually delivered.
- Gap 4: Discrepancy between service actually delivered and what is communicated about the service to customers.
- **Gap 5:** Discrepancy between customer's expectations of the service provider and their perceptions of provider delivery.

General idea: "from measurement to management"





Changing place and role of the citizen/customer!

Techniques and tools

- 1. Satisfaction Surveys
- 2. Front line staff information of citizen/customer insight
- 3. Customer journey mapping / Process analysis
- 4. Citizen/customer panels
- 5. Group interviews and Focus groups
- 6. Mystery shopping
- 7. Using Comments, Compliments and Complaints

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The right instrument

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	Identifying potential for concrete improvements	Knowing customer desires and preferences	Representa- tivity	User participation	Price
Customer survey	+/-	+	+	+	

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Mystery shopping

Complaint analysis

Focus group

Staff survey

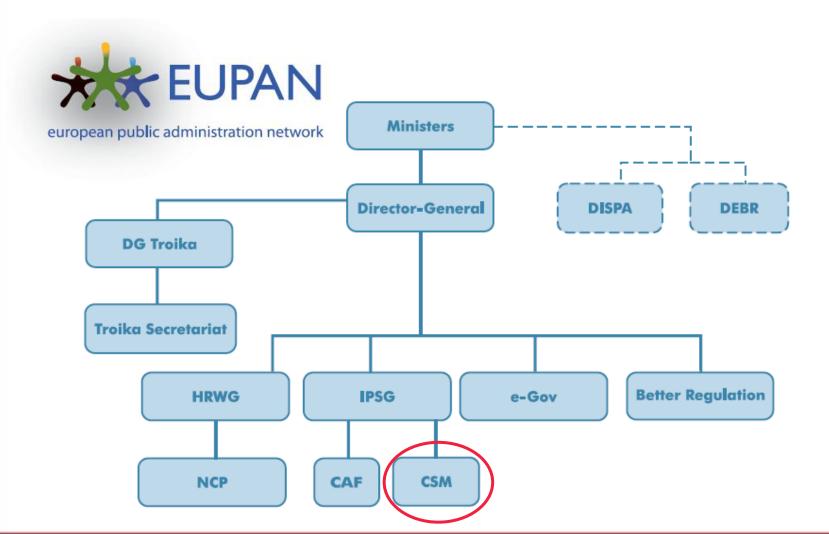
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Some questions to ask

Do we need the research?

- What do you want to find out? What are the objectives of your study? Do you have a clear focus?
- How will the results be used? Will they actually be used?
- What do we know already?
- Better ways to get the information
- Cost-benefit analysis

European Collaboration in the field of Public Administration



CSM Learning team

=> European Primer (Eng/FR) distributed at 5th European Quality Conference (Paris 2008)







Ambitions / objectives of this EU Primer

"...by this publication the place and the role of citizens/customers in customer satisfaction management is more clear, and public service organisations all over Europe have some practical guidelines on the way to Customer Satisfaction Management."

Combination of strategical and operational level – theory and practice

Bringing in practical cases from all over Europe

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