

Managing Conflict



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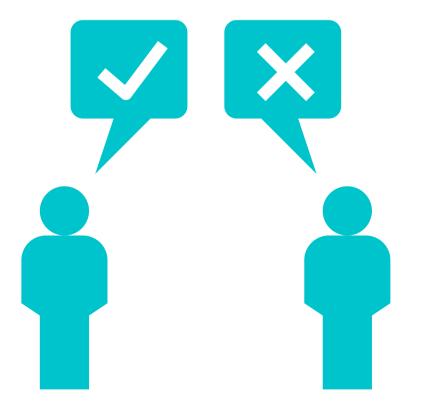


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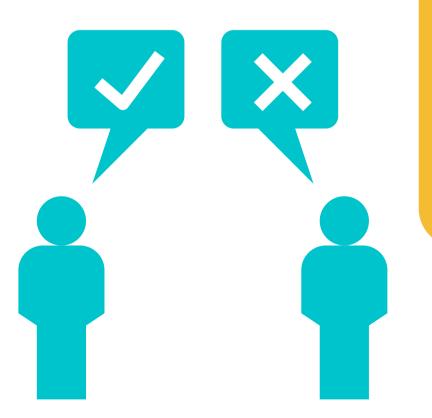


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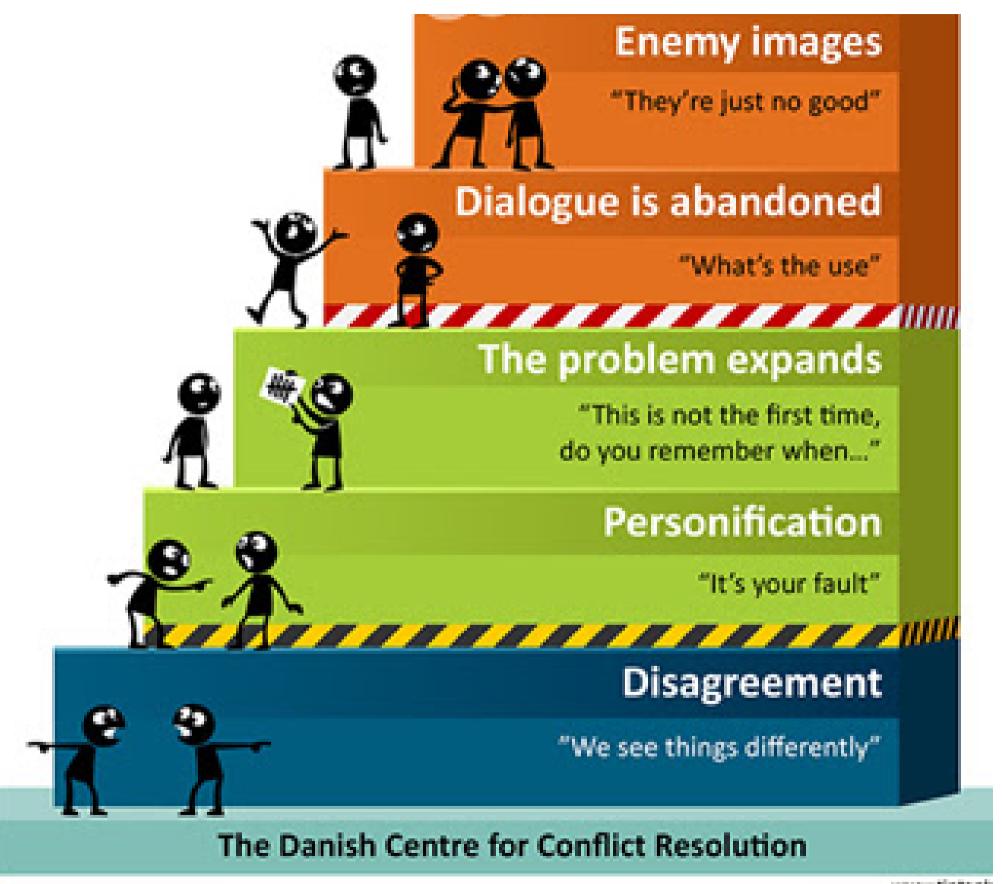
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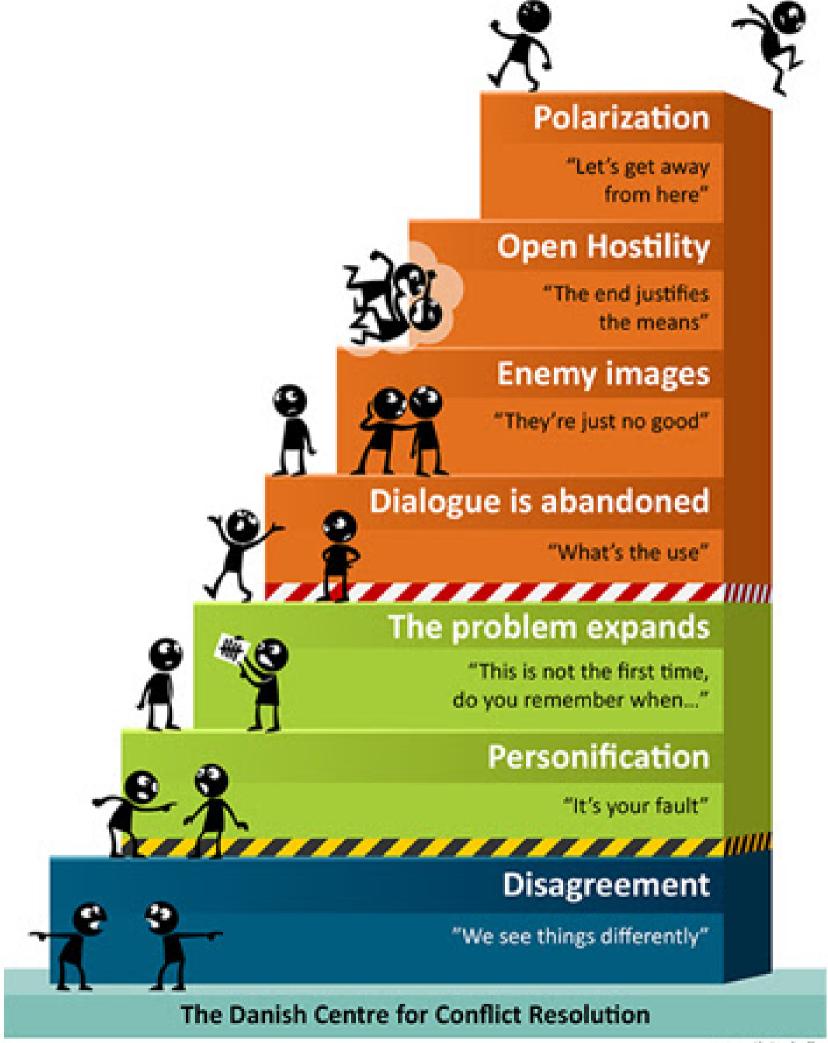
This leads to a **lower tolerance** for issues and **increased dissatisfaction**

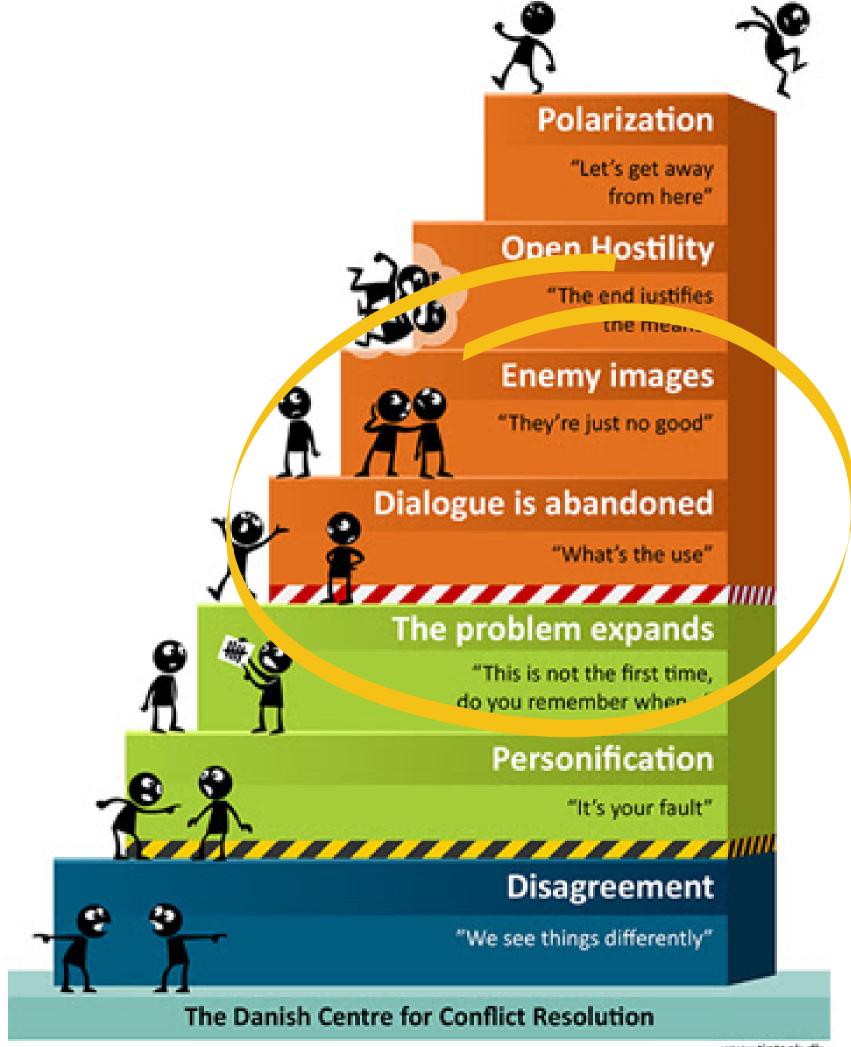


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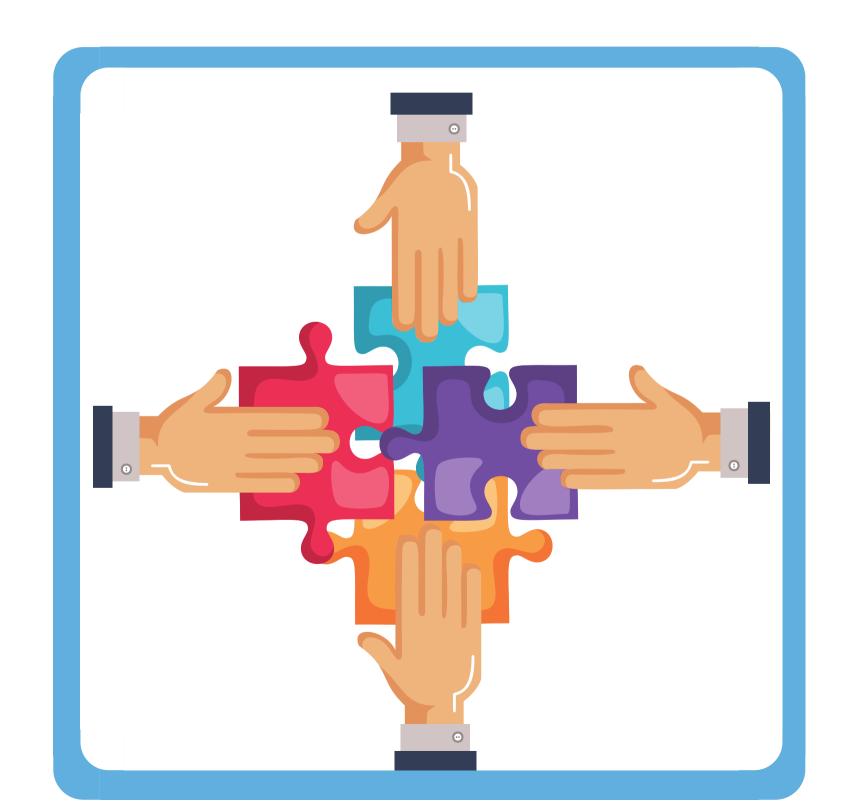
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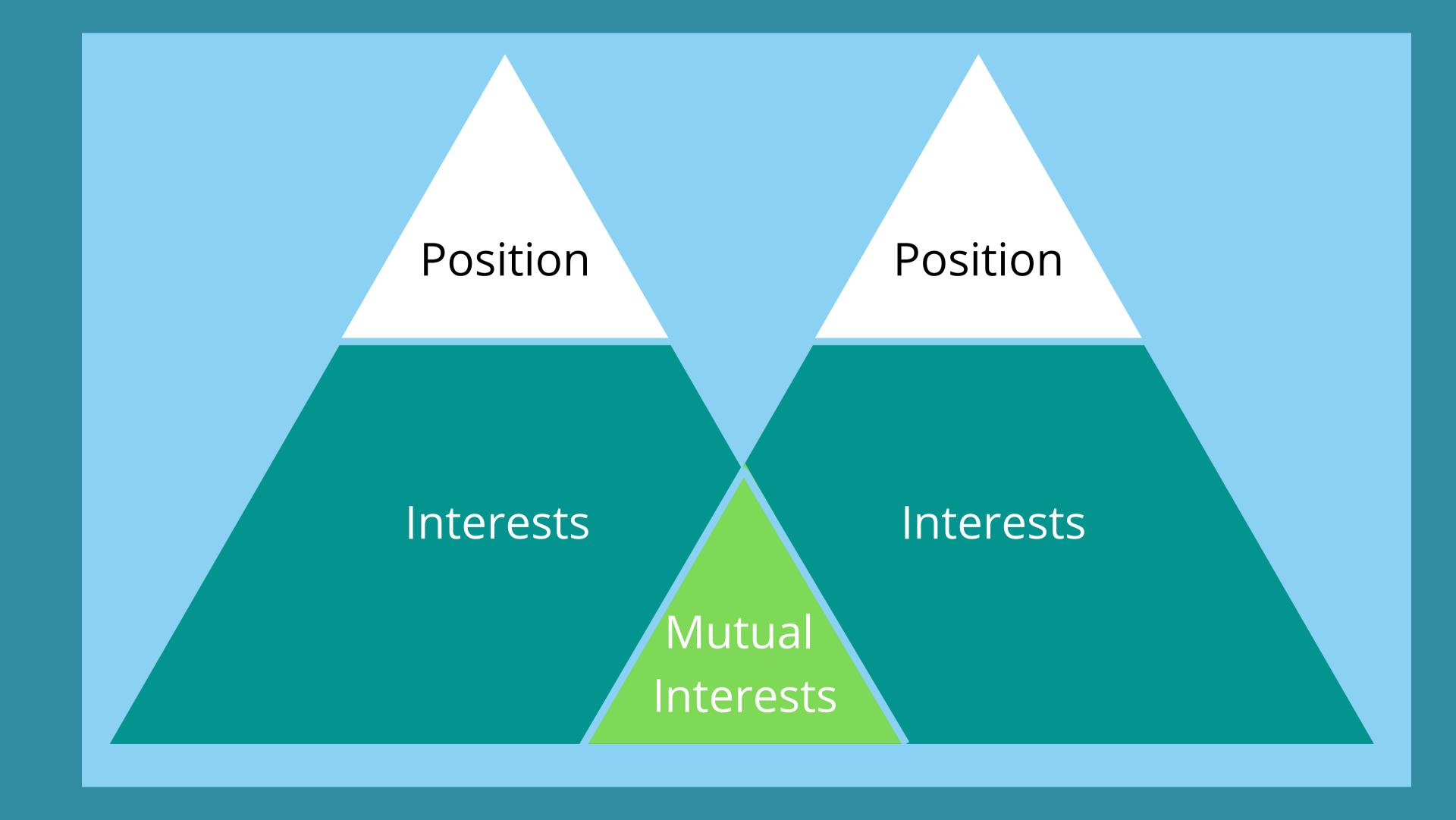


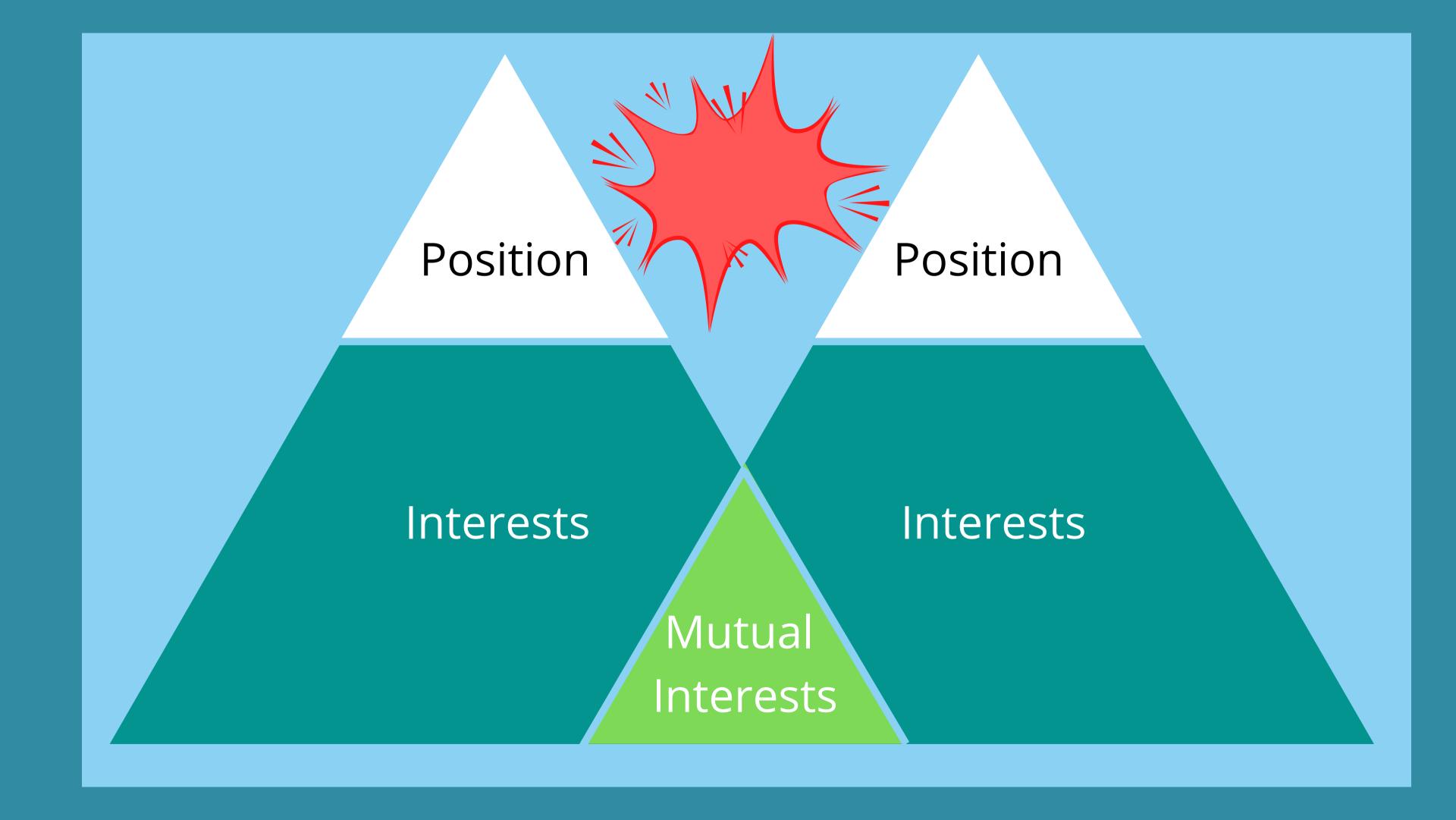


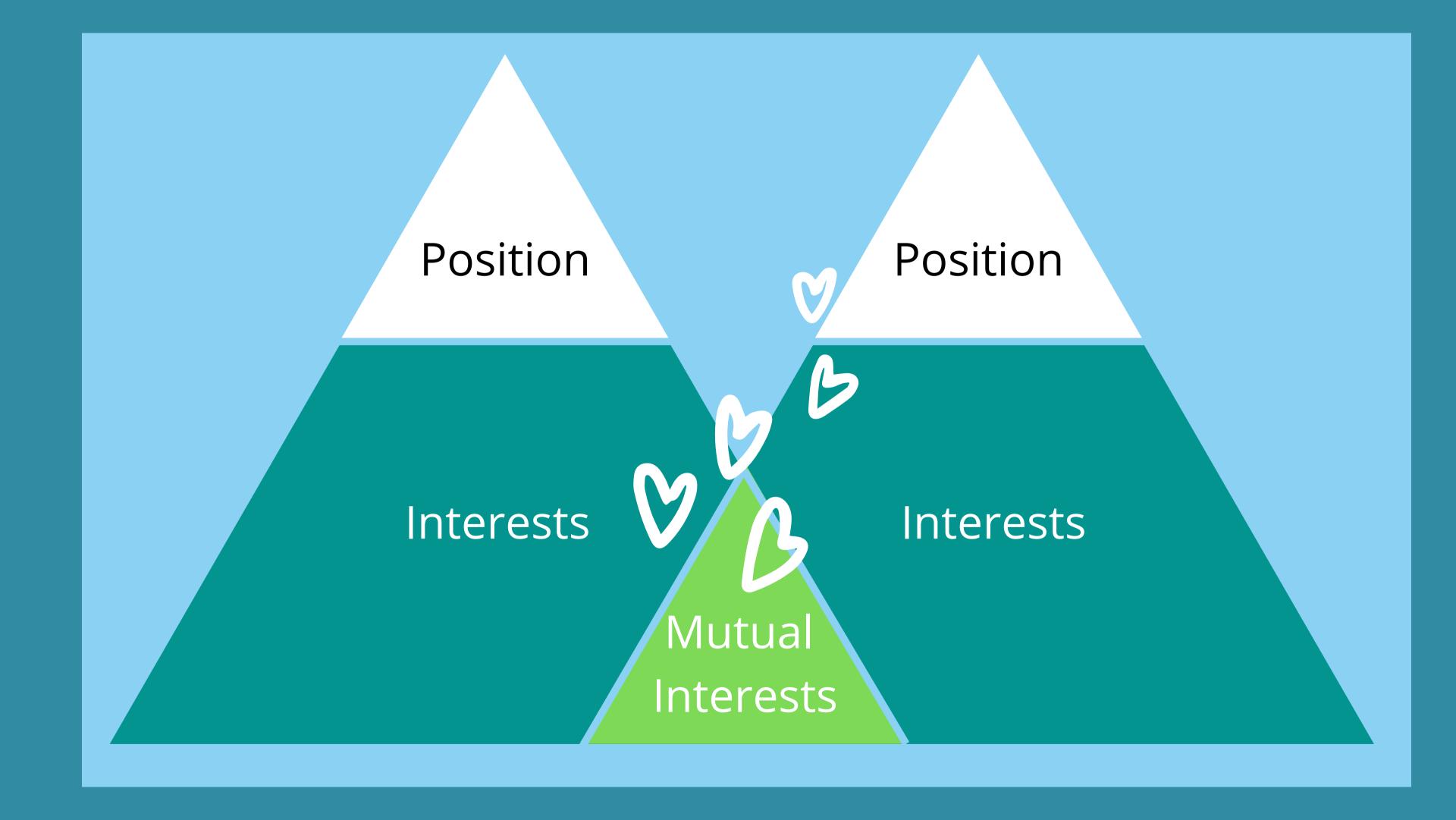
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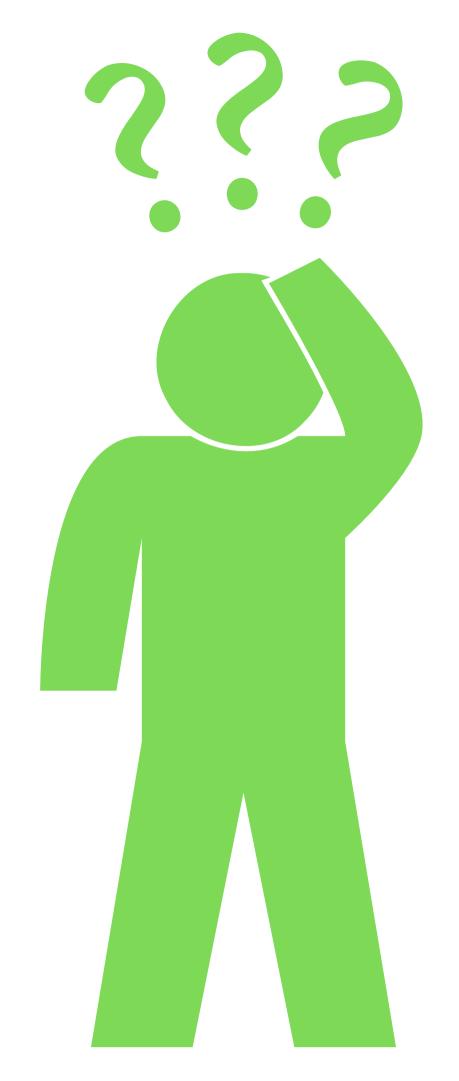
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Icebergs are large pieces of ice found floating in the open This is how anger works. ocean. What you can see Often when we are angry, from the surface can be misleading. Most of the iceberg hidden under the surface. is hidden below the water. Angry grief scared embarrassed overwhelmed tricked shame disgusted depressed distrustful stressed grumpy attacked rejected helpless trapped guilt nervous anxious trauma annoyed exhausted envious disrespected unsure disappointed offended uncomfortable insecure worried

regret

hurt

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