Score Report Guide

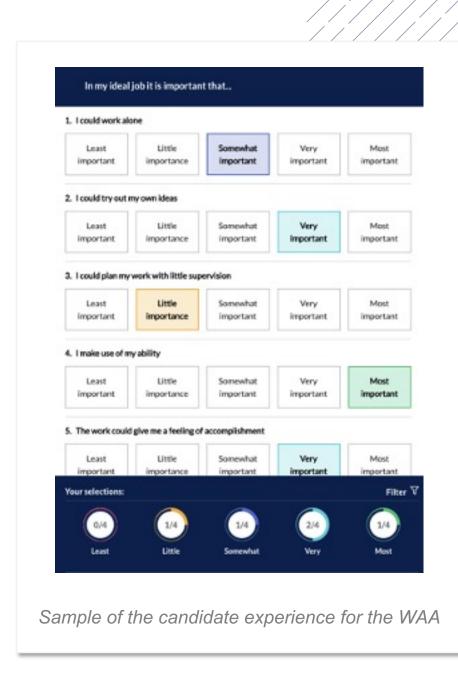
Workplace Alignment Assessment (WAA)



#### AT A GLANCE

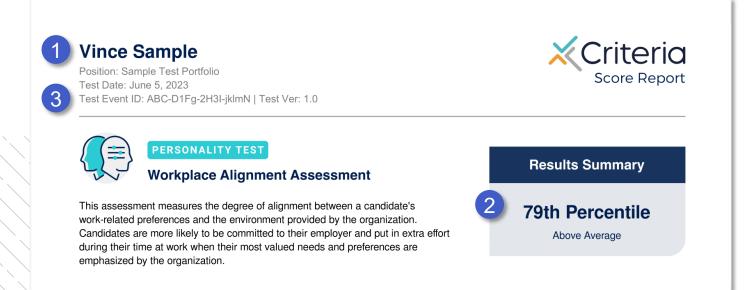
#### Workplace Alignment Assessment

- The Workplace Alignment Assessment (WAA) measures the degree of alignment between a candidate's work-related preferences and the environment provided by the organization.
- Candidates are more likely to feel committed to their employer and put in extra effort at work when their most valued needs and preferences are emphasized by the organization.
- To complete the assessment, someone from your organization with a good knowledge of the position you're recruiting for will complete a Work Factors profile.
- The candidate then ranks 20 work factors in order of their importance to them, Their responses are compared to the Work Factors profile and our global norming group to determine the degree of match.





# Candidate Information and Results Summary



- 1. The top of the first page of every **WAA** score report displays the candidate's information, including the candidate's name, position applied for, the date the candidate took the assessment, and the Test Event ID.
- 2. In the Results Summary box, you can see the percentile match for this candidate, compared to our global norming group. In this example, the candidate scored in the 62<sup>nd</sup> percentile, indicating that they are well aligned with the organization.
- 3. The Test Event ID is given to candidates at the beginning of their assessment and is used if they encounter any issues during the test. They simply return to <u>http://ondemandassessment.com</u>, enter their Event ID, and then they can continue their assessment from where they left off.



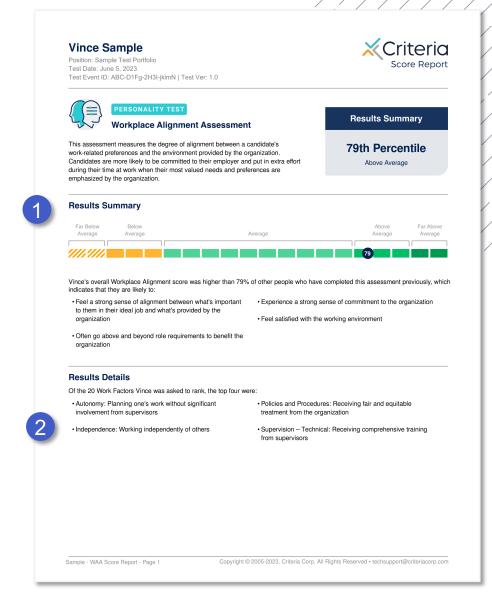
# **Results Explanation**

1. In the **Results Summary** section, you'll see the match score plotted on a scale ranging from Far Below Average to Far Above Average.

We arrive at the score by comparing the candidate's work preferences with the organizational work factors profile, then comparing the results with our global norming group.

The dynamic text below describes the kinds of behaviors the candidate is likely to display at work, based on their match score.

2. In the **Results Details** section, you'll see a list of the work factors that this candidate has rated as most important to them in their ideal workplace. This enables you to see at a glance what this particular candidate values most in terms of their ideal employer.





## **Results Explanation**

- 3. The Work Factors Profile Match section includes a detailed breakdown of the degree of match or alignment across each of the 20 work factors measured in the WAA. The work factors are ranked in order of what is important in the organization.
- 4. The level of importance for each work factor is represented by the length of the bar, with the candidate's work preferences indicated in light blue and the organization's in dark blue.
- 5. If the bars are **similar in length**, this indicates a that there is a high match between the candidate's related preferences and the environment provided by the organization.
- 6. If the bars are **different in length**, this indicates a low match between the candidate's related preferences and the environment provided by the organization.

Work Factors Pro	file Match	Organization     Candidate
Work Factor	Definition	Level of Importance
Ability Utilization	Being able to apply relevant qualities and skills	
Achievement	Gaining a sense of accomplishment from work	
Responsibility	Making decisions on one's own	
Working Conditions	Being provided with satisfactory conditions in which to undertake work	
Autonomy	Planning one's work without significant involvement from supervisors	
Compensation	Receiving remuneration that compares well with that of others	
Creativity	Having the capacity to trial one's own ideas	
Security	Encountering stability of employment	
Activity	Being continually occupied with work tasks	
Authority	Having the capacity to provide direction to others	
Supervision – Relations	Receiving support from supervisors when dealing with management	
Supervision – Technical	Receiving comprehensive training from supervisors	
Co-workers	Experiencing harmonious relationships with colleagues	
Independence	Working independently of others	
Moral Values	Working without pressure to compromise one's moral ideals	
Social Service	Having the ability to provide assistance to others	
Advancement	Having opportunities to advance up the organization's hierarchy	
Policies and Procedures	Receiving fair and equitable treatment from the organization	
Recognition	Being acknowledged and credited for one's achievements	
Variety	Having the capacity to do different things on a daily basis	



#### **General Guide for Interpreting Percentile Match**

The table below describes the meaning of the overall percentile match.

PEOPLE WHO SCORE IN THE BOTTOM RANGE:	PEOPLE WHO SCORE IN THE MIDDLE RANGE:	PEOPLE WHO SCORE IN THE TOP RANGE:
Feel there is misalignment between what's important to them in their ideal job and what's provided by the organization	Feel a sense of alignment between what's important to them in their ideal job and what's provided by the organization	Feel a strong sense of alignment between what's important to them in their ideal job and what's provided by the organization
Make few contributions to the organization over and above role requirements	Generally go above and beyond role requirements to benefit the organization	Frequently go above and beyond role requirements to benefit the organization
Feel less committed to the organization than most others	Experience a sense of commitment to the organization	Experience a strong sense of commitment to the organization
Feel less satisfied with the working environment than most others	Generally feel satisfied with the working environment	Feel satisfied with the working environment
BELOW AVERAGE (0-25%)	AVERAGE (26-74%)	ABOVE AVERAGE (75-100%)



### **Interview Questions**

- The last page of the **WAA** score report provides some suggested interview questions to help the hiring manager gain further insight into the candidate's match with the organization.
- These questions are based on the top three work factors that have the highest level of potential misalignment between the candidate's work preferences and the work factors emphasized by your organization.

If Lisa proceeds to the interview stage, you may choose to further investigate their response in these areas:				
	Organization			
Definition	Level of Importance			
Receiving comprehensive training from supervisors				
ving training from supervisors is somethin ons and preferences in relation to this?	ng you placed importance on. Can you provide more			
Receiving support from supervisors when dealing with management				
indicated that receiving support from sup relation to this?	pervisors is important to you. Can you expand on your			
Working without pressure to compromise one's moral ideals				
	Definition Receiving comprehensive training from supervisors ring training from supervisors is somethin rns and preferences in relation to this? Receiving support from supervisors when dealing with management indicated that receiving support from sup elation to this? Working without pressure to compromise			



#### For Further Information

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