

The Matrix for Sport Performance

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Setting



"Why do I always do that?!"







"I can't believe I just did that"









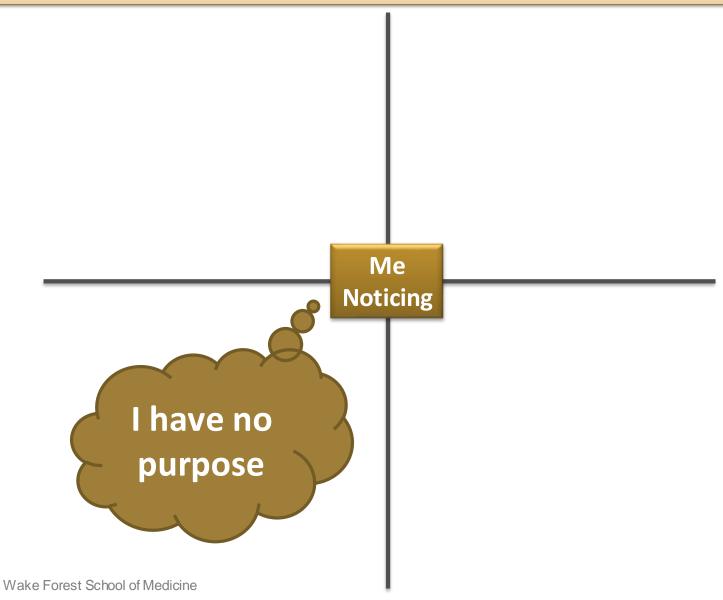


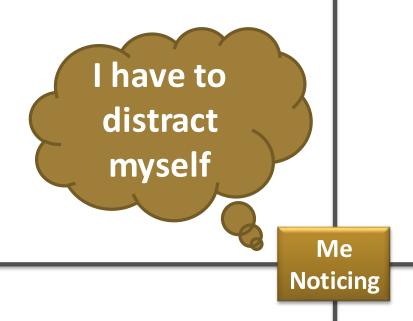
The Matrix

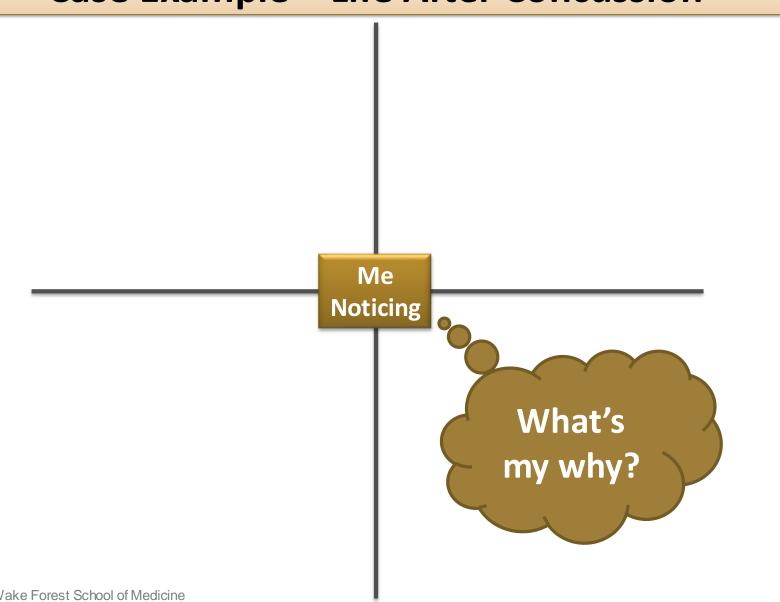
Committed Avoidance Action Me **Noticing** Internal **Values** "Stuff"

- 20 year old male American football player
- Medically disqualified
- Struggles with adjustment and anxiety









I can be successful in other areas

Me Noticing

Sports Matrix

Avoidance

How do I execute right now?

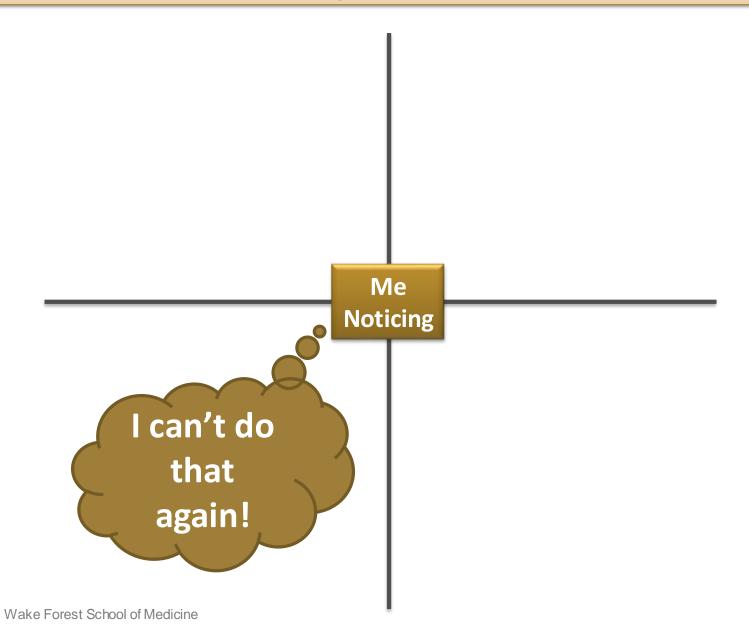
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Internal "Stuff"

What is important about this moment?

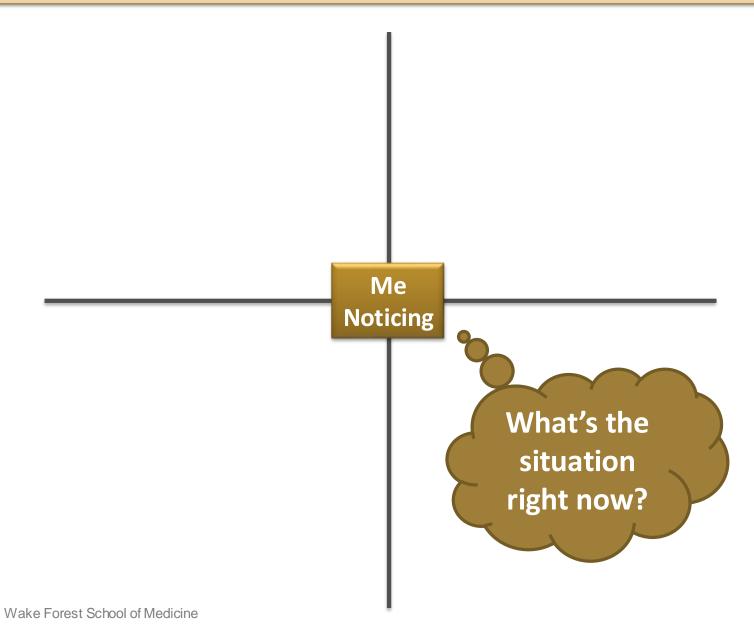
- 20 year old male baseball pitcher
- Haunted by a poor throw in high school
- Anxiety and poor performance

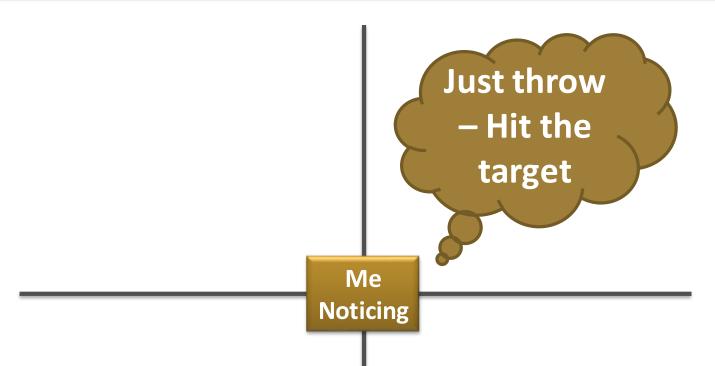






Me Noticing





Outcomes – The Pitcher

 Initial success on the mound

 Mandatory "no throw" period

 Left the sport to focus on being a student



Overall Lessons Learned

Athletes "got" the Matrix

Limitation: Separate clinical and athletic settings

- "What is success?"
 - Mental health over performance?

Broader Applications of the Sports Matrix?



