

worksheet HAND SIGNS



I would like to say something Raise your hand with one finger. When you make this sign, the facilitator puts you in the speakers list.



I oppose / I block the decision Raise your right fist This sign indicates that you strongly disagree with what is said. It can be that the facilitator will ask you to express your reasons.

In case of a decisions situation: *Raise your right fist and yell "block!"* This sign you use, when a proposal is made, with which you cannot agree. In this case the facilitator will ask you directly why you don't agree.

When you have a suggestion to improve the discussion process. The facilitator will directly give you the word.

I have a suggestion to improve the process Raise two hands, making a "T".

It is clear what you want to say, for me you don't have to continue with this point

Turn your two arms around another. This indicates to the speaker, that it is clear what she/he said and that she/he can stop talking further. This sign is developed to help the speaker; not to criticise what she/he says. Also the facilitator can react, when a lot of people use this sign, by stopping the speaker.



I agree with you *Wave two hands in the air.* You agree with what the

speaker is saying.

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