The Message House



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Evidence, Proof or Support

Key or Umbrella Message

The single message you want the audience to remember

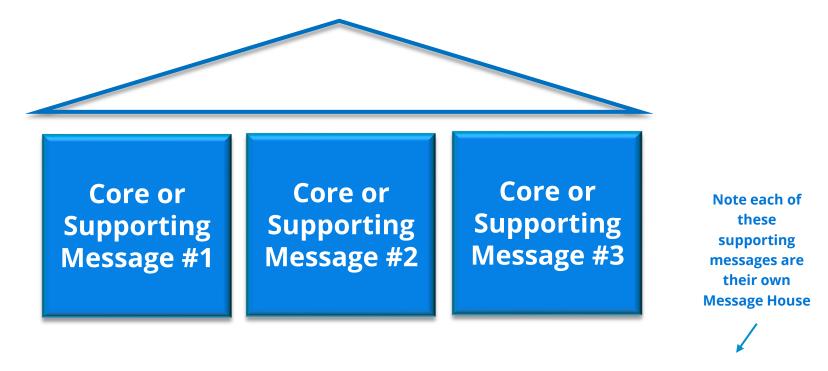
What action do you want them to consider to do?

Your main or most important "conclusion" (What you want)

One sentence, one breath, one complete thought

Supports a goal (organisation, department)

Core or Supporting Messages



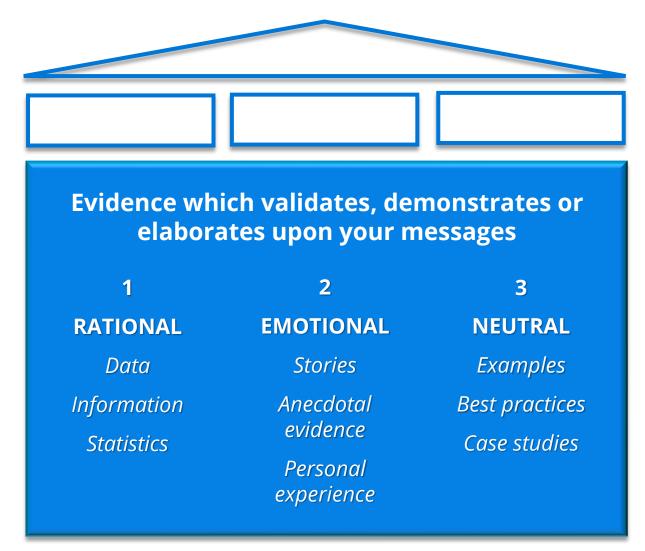
Typically three statements supporting your Key Message in three ways:

Confirms, rationalises or adds depth (but not minutiae)

They often answer the questions: **How? Why? Why now?**

They should be relevant, plausible and defensible

Evidence, Proof and Support



Three Types of **Proof**

Don't pick randomly. Think which type will convince your audience.