ERP/Business Process Reconciliation Case Study

An ERP implementation pilot uncovered a gap between the ERP and Business process methods.

Read on to find out how a Monda Consulting designed and Faciltated Business Process Analysis Workshop was used to reconcile the Business Processes with the ERP process resulting in improved ERP implementation



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Business Issues

- •Initial ERP Go-Live results in serious process issues
- Business has difficulty running the ERP process
- •Poor match between ERP and Business processes
- •Multiple ERP Roll-outs planned in coming year

Goals

- •Avoid Business and ERP process clashes
- •Reduce critical Go-Live issues
- •Increase business readiness for ERP utilization
- •Get more efficient with each ERP rollout

Implementation

- •Team Leads participate in Action Plan Kick-off
- •Weekly Status meetings to track action completion
- Work with business leaders to better understand which Business Process changes accommodate the new ERP process
- •Communicate Business Process Changes to process workers
- Post ERP implementation Review for continual improvement

Approach

- •Gain strong sponsor support
- •Key players from ERP and Business Team engaged
- •2-day Workshop to reconcile ERP/Business Processes
 - Map Business process current state
 - Compare to ERP (future state) process
 - Identify and prioritize Business Process changes needed to operate the ERP process
 - Create Action plan to achieve changes
 - Sponsor read-out and commitment to action plan

Results

- Critical implementation issues minimized
- Avoided Business Process shut-downs
- Business Process workers better understand and execute new roles
- •Increased cooperation and quick problem resolution between ERP team and Business Team
- •ERP/Business Process Reconciliation becomes a standard aspect of ERP roll-outs