## Lifecycle Marketing Workbook





# Identify your target market

Don't blow your budget promoting your business's services to the wrong audience. Use this worksheet to help you narrowly define your target client so you can meet them where they are.





### First, consider your clients' traits by demographic and psychographics

Demographics: the average or typical characteristics of your target market.

Psychographics: what motivates them to take action.





### **Collecting Leads**

### Attract new leads by indentifying your target audience

Who are my ideal clients? (Think age, annual income, educational level, behaviors, values, etc.)

What are their pain points? (Efficiency, time, ease of use, etc.)

#### Why should they buy from me instead of a competitor?



#### What are their most common objections to doing business with

me? (Cost, time, etc.)

#### Who is NOT my target client?

### What do I need to accomplish in the next 30 days to identify my target client?



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What websites are they visiting

What keywords are they putting in Google?

What forums / message boards?

What Facebook groups are they members of?

Which Influencers are they following?



What podcasts are they listening to?

What newsletter are they subscribed to?

What Blogs do they read?

Which YouTube Channels are they following?



### **Converting Clients**

Engage with leads, present a compelling offer, close the deal

#### **Engage your leads**

How can you tell prospects are ready to buy? Are they visiting pages on your website? Opening and reading emails? Scheduling an appointment or consultation?

How are you nurturing your leads? What valuable information are you providing to address their concerns?

What are you doing to build your company's credibility? What gives you a competitive edge?



#### **Present the offer**

Which step in the sales funnel process are your prospects? What key milestone would make the most sense for them to pursue next?

In what way will your offer solve your lead's problem?

How are you building value around your offer? How are you presenting your product or service in an informed, professional way that establishes you as the expert in your niche?

What sets you apart from others in your industry?

Why should your business be the one your prospects trust going forward?



#### **Close the deal**

How can you reduce or eliminate friction in the closing process? What detailed documentation are you using to communicate clearly?

How have you built trust and given your leads a reason to be excited about doing business with you?

How are your business' strengths emphasized through your product offering?

Take some of the ideas you brainstormed above and choose 2-3 actionable items you can start implementing right away.

How will you make the closing process as easy as it can be? Via email with a payment link? A digital invoice?



### **Creating Fans**

Provide an exceptional experience for your customers and create strong relationships through your delivery and impressive service

What will be your systemized method to deliver services so that clients consistently get everything they were promised?

How do you plan on being an advocate for your customers?

Choose your top 2 ideas for each category and start to put a plan in place.

How do you plan to improve the customer experience and really impress your clientele? Birthday emails? Care packages for a new home? Loyalty programs? Etc.



When a client isn't happy, what will you do to reach out and make the situation better?

Finally, what are your plans to guarantee repeat business, positive reviews and customer referrals? How will your business create incentives for customers and partners in an effort to grow your client base?



### **Impress your clients worksheet**

Select the items you'll want to use that will leave a lasting impression on your customer base. Add additional items that you want to incorporate in the space provided.

### **Cost-effective ways to impress your clients**

Follow up with a quick call or text to see how things are going after they buy your product or service	Send a handwritten thank you note	
Follow up with personalized emails	Send a magnetic reference guide, chart, or calendar with your logo on it	
Answer questions in a timely manner	Feature a customer on your website	
Send a \$5 gift card with every purchase	Send cookies, fruit, or flowers	
Start a rewards or loyalty program	Make a donation on their behalf to their favorite charity	
Provide a surprise discount		
Send a book with a personal note	Plant a tree on behalf of your customer	
Send them their favorite food or snack	Meet up with customers in the cities that you are visiting	
Provide special private shopping hours or prizes during certain hours	Randomly select a few customers to receive one of your products or services for free	
Throw a party for all of your customers at your next major event	Provide a free upgrade	
<ul> <li>Provide a gift card for an item in your store or on your website</li> </ul>	Send swag with your company logo on it (coffee mug, water bottle, shirt, etc.)	
Provide offers to customers who contribute ideas or engage with your company online	Schedule lunch at your office and invite customers to attend and share feedback	
Celebrate an event, such as a birthday or anniversary	Tell your customers how their feedback was implemented	
Celebrate a milestone, such as number of years as a customer	Create a video message and send it via email	
Send a gift card for a free car wash	Give them a dinner-and-a-movie gift card	
Offer free wrapping on gift purchases	Send samples of new products	
Respond to complaints right away	Upgrade their shipping to priority mail	
Send a box of office supplies	<ul> <li>Provide free shipping when they spend a certain amount</li> </ul>	
Send them a travel mug with a coffee shop gift card	If they call and you know the wait time will be long,	
Provide group/bulk order discounts	offer to call them back	
Follow them on social media and give them a shout out		
Give them bonus items with their purchase	1	
Call them and say thank you		
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