Needs Analysis

Look for:							
Episodic duties	Easier tasks to perform	Material supply	Tool supply				
Interruptions	Tasks that would make their job easier	Backed up tasks	Wasted motions				
Fatigued workers	Frustrated workers	Tasks they don't like doing	Tasks needing assistance				
Unattended materials	Unsafe conditions	Unsightly areas	Errors				
Misplaced materials	Piles / boxes	Dusty, broken, or dirty goods	Missed opportunities				
Blockages	Waste / scrap materials	Customers needing assistance	Customers angry				
Customers waiting	Customers confused	Customers asking for information	Customers with complaints				
Customers with suggestions							

Task	Frequency of Task	Unmet Need	Unbundled Task	Benefit to Business