



When I pass by the desk of a female employee, may I ask her, "How is your day?"

The Principle of the Prohibition

6. The underlying principle of the prohibition is that it applies when the greeting is in a **personal** or **friendly** manner. The following are examples of such greetings:

- "How are you feeling today?" - "How is your day going?"

(Aruch Hashulchan EH 21:8; Ezer Mekudash 21:66)

In the coming emails, we will discuss when greeting is permitted and when it is prohibited.
