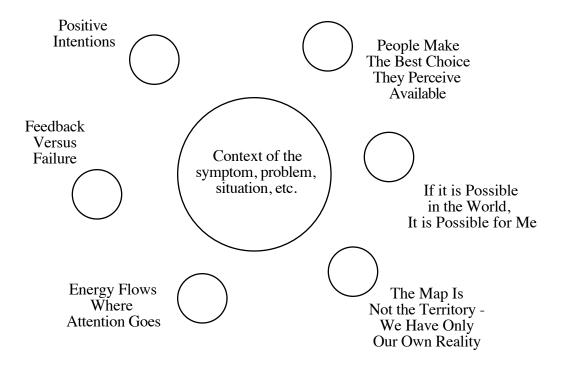
## **NLP Presuppositions Exercise**

The following exercise, designed by Tim Hallbom and Suzi Smith, is another way to operationalize NLP presuppositions with respect to a specific symptom, situation or problem. It involves establishing reference experiences for each presupposition and then transferring them into a particular context in which you would like to experience them more strongly.

First, lay out a space for the problem context or situation. Then arrange a series of locations, representing various NLP presuppositions, around the problem situation.



- 1. Standing in the context space, access the symptom or problem state, and the context in which it occurs to create an anchor.
- 2. Step into each presupposition space, accessing and anchoring the idea, then look at yourself in the problem context (disassociated), through the filters of the presupposition.
- 3. Access the presupposition fully, then step into the context space, adding the presupposition.
- 4. Continue around the circle until all spaces have been accessed and integrated.

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