

FACILITATOR'S GUIDE for TRAINING MENTORS

(using the online video)

1. Facilitator's Role

- Coordinate and communicate to the trainees the time and location of the training.
- Set up the room, and TV/projector. Log into your account under *Couples Survey* to watch the video online or download the video if you have poor internet connection.
- View the online training prior to the scheduled training to become familiar with it.

2. Materials/Equipment Required

- One Marriage Mentor Guide is required for each couple attending the training. Order in advance the number of Mentor Guides needed. Allow 7-10 business days for shipping.
- Laptop/projector with screen or TV
- Sound
- Pens and name tags (optional)
- Drinks and snacks (optional)

3. Determine the Location

- The training can occur at the church or in the home of a mentor couple. Mentors seated at tables are preferred for taking notes.
- Childcare may be necessary for greater participation.

4. Determine the Training Schedule

- Allow 6 hours for the training. Monday and Tuesday evenings from 6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. seems to be most popular.

FIRST NIGHT OF MENTOR TRAINING

- Provide one Marriage Mentor Guide per couple.
- Login to your account to view the online video.
- Play Session One
- TAKE A BREAK

- Play Session Two
- Remind the couples to bring their Marriage Mentor Guides back with them for the second part of the training

SECOND NIGHT OF MENTOR TRAINING

- Play Session Three
- TAKE A BREAK
- Play Session Four

ONE WEEK LATER

- Contact all couples that attended the training to confirm their commitment as mentors.
- Those that commit to be mentors are required to take the online survey.

TWO WEEKS LATER

- Bring the mentors together for a night of practicing. Each couple attending the practice session is required to take the survey in advance. They are to bring their survey results with them to the practice session along with their mentor guide.
- Pair couples together to practice *rounding the bases* on real issues derived from their survey results. If there is an odd number of couples or an individual who attended without their spouse, include them in *rounding the bases* with two other couples as they practice.