

Mentoring Agreement

The purpose of the *re:generation* mentoring agreement is to ensure both parties have an agreed set of expectations throughout the 12-step recovery program. You are voluntarily entering into this partnership because of the mutual trust and respect you have for one another. You agree that the role of the mentor is to act as an encourager and guide outside of the *re:generation* step group who is granted authority by the participant to speak into his or her life for the sake of spiritual growth and maturity.

As the mentor, I, _____, agree that I am a Christian of the same gender who has a biblical foundation for life and clear understanding of the gospel. I will not be expected to fix or heal the participant but will commit to pray and point the participant to Christ for healing through the Holy Spirit. I will encourage, speak biblical truth with grace, and show Christ-like love to the participant throughout the steps.

As the participant, I, _____, agree that I will talk through my struggles, and honestly share what I am learning and feeling with my mentor, so that he or she may know how to support, encourage, and pray for me. I commit to communicate regularly with my mentor and to show up to our meetings with my *re:generation* bookwork prepared prayerfully and thoughtfully beforehand. (Matthew 5:37)

During the mentoring relationship, we agree to...

1. Meet at least once every _____ week/s in person. Meeting times, once agreed, should not be cancelled unless this is unavoidable. At each meeting's end, we will set a date for the next meeting.
2. Keep the duration of each meeting a minimum of _____ minutes and a maximum of _____ minutes.
3. Contact each other in between meetings by text/phone/email with any urgent needs/updates/prayer requests. Communicate with group leaders about updates on the participant's progress or to discuss concerns.
4. Attend mentor training and inventory training (in person when possible or online if necessary), and join a commencement celebration.
5. Guard against gossip with those who are not a part of the problem or solution, but involve group leaders and/or staff when there is a need or concern. (Matthew 18:15-17)

If at any point the mentor or participant decide to end the mentorship, the step group leader will be notified, and a face-to-face meeting will be scheduled, to discuss the reasons behind the decision and to resolve any conflict.

After signing this document, please make sure and provide a copy to your step group leader for reference.

Mentor's signature: _____ email: _____ phone: _____

Mentee's signature: _____ email: _____ phone: _____

Date: _____