

Spiritual Accompaniers Revision of Details

Please return to

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Good Practice (GP) for Spiritual Accompaniers

1. Grounded in, or seeking a place in, a Christian community – this is the normal expectation
2. Has undergone training in spiritual accompaniment and/or had detailed experience as a spiritual accompanier
3. Able to demonstrate evidence of own continuing spiritual development
4. Is receiving regular Spiritual Accompaniment
5. Is receiving current supervision or seeking it
6. Is clear about what is being offered, including any relevant skills or particular approaches
7. Aware of issues associated with vulnerable adults, child protection etc.
8. Aware of, and sensitive towards other traditions, faiths, beliefs, racial/cultural differences
9. Has clarity regarding boundaries eg contact with those seen outside of spiritual accompaniment
10. Aware of how life events may affect ability to practice
11. Clear about, and communicate with each person seen, practical details eg. any financial charges made, venue etc
12. Accountable to the Bishop of Sheffield's Advisor in Spirituality

In filling in the form, please use an asterisk (*) to highlight details that have changed. This form provides a helpful tool for review.

Surname	Title
First Name	
Address	Email
Post Code	Phone number(s)
Details of the Christian church/community you attend or member of (GP1)	
Name of Christian community	
Denomination (if any)	
Please give details of any relevant spiritual accompaniment training in the last 12 months (GP 2). Please indicate if you have accessed development opportunities provided by the Diocese of Sheffield e.g. Annual SA Gatherings	
Please give approximate number of spiritual accompaniment sessions you provided in the last 12 months (GP 2)	
Please give details of your continuing spiritual development in the last 12 months eg. retreat(s)/quiet period(s), Whirlow Spirituality events, reading etc. (GP 3)	

How often do you receive spiritual accompaniment? (GP 4)

How often do you receive supervision? (GP 5)

If you're not receiving supervision yet, but you would like to access it contact Suzanna Schofield suzanna.schofield@sheffield.anglican.org or on 01709 309 147

Describe what you seek to offer as a spiritual accompanier (GP 6)

Please give details of any additional skills offered e.g. Ignatian exercises, music, art, dreams etc

Please give details of any other changes you wish to draw our attention to

Practical Details (GP 11)

Venue e.g. home, office
access for people with disabilities?

Yes/No (please delete as appropriate)

Times offered e.g. anytime/daytime/evenings/days of week

Have you any preferences for whom you see?
eg clergy/no clergy etc

Do you charge or ask for a donation?

Yes/No (please delete as appropriate)

Current number coming for spiritual accompaniment

How many more could you accompany?

Date and organiser of last safeguarding training attended

Please tick to consent to the following:

- I have read and agree to act within the guidelines of the [Safeguarding Policy](#) of the Diocese of Sheffield (GP 7)
- I agree to be accountable to the Bishop of Sheffield's Adviser on Spirituality (GP 12)
- I agree to promptly inform the Administrator suzanna.schofield@sheffield.anglican.org or 01709 309 147 of any changes in capacity
- I agree to promptly inform spirituality.adviser@sheffield.anglican.org (07907 331 859) of any changes to my circumstances which may influence my spiritually accompanying others e.g. reduction in numbers etc

Signed

Date

Thank you for offering the ministry of spiritual accompaniment.