

New Ministry Questionnaire

1. With whom did this ministry idea originate? Pastor, staff member, lay person?
2. In the eyes of the originator what need is this ministry going to meet?
3. What is the practicality of this ministry meeting this or other needs?
4. What benefits will people receive for being part of this ministry?
5. How will God receive the Glory for this ministry's actions?
6. Will this ministry meet the needs of church members or people outside the church?
7. How does this ministry fit into the doctrines, policies, and practices of the church?
8. Which of the five functions of the church does this ministry align with? (circle applicable)

Evangelism, discipleship, fellowship, ministry, worship
9. Before it begins, the leaders of this new ministry should be able to amply express how this ministry follows Christ's mandate to the church of practicing the Great Commission.

10. How will this ministry coincide with the ongoing ministry of the church?

11. What impact might this new ministry have on the other ministries of this church?
(positive and negative)

12. Who will organize, run, and facilitate this ministry?

13. To whom (staff person or committee) will this ministry report to?

14. Where, when, and how often will this ministry meet, operate?

15. What funding is needed and where will this funding originate?

16. What conflicts may arise within and without due to this ministry?

17. What other hazards need to be addressed before this ministry is launched?

18. How will we know when this ministry has run its course?