



Mentor Application Form



This form captures helpful background information for the Marriage Mentoring Program as well as the matching process with mentorees. Please fill this form out electronically. After you have completed filling out this form, please return to: jennisolis@att.net

If you have any questions about the Marriage Mentoring Training or this application, please contact **Rene and Jennifer Solis at 559-817-9428 or jennisolis@att.net**.

First name	Last name	Email address

1.	Wedding anniversary (including year):	
2.	Children? Yes (please fill out gender and age below)	No
	1 st Child Gender/Age	
	2 nd Child Gender/Age	
	3 rd Child Gender/Age	
	4 th Child Gender/Age	

3. Do you believe in Jesus Christ as you Lord and Savior?

	Yes/No
Husband	
Wife	

4. In which *one* of these categories are you most interested in being Marriage Mentors?

Category	
Preparing Marriages Building solid foundations for engaged and newlywed couples	
Maximizing Marriages Deepening and enriching stable marriages	
Repairing Marriages Encouraging couples in distress	

5. Will you have the time to meet with a mentee couple a minimum of once a month for 4-6 months? (Please review your upcoming commitments)

	Answer	
	Yes	No
4 month commitment?		
Starting Month (say "open" if you are flexible)		
Other schedule considerations/concerns		

6. Please place a checkmark next to *all* statements below that are true for your marriage history that will help us match you with a mentoree couple.

Statement	
We married late in life (35 years or older)	
We married young (under 20 years of age)	
This is a second marriage	
We have a large family (4 or more children)	
We have a special-needs child	
We have experienced the loss of a child	
We have experienced infertility	
We have dealt with the challenge of long work hours	
We both work outside the home	
We have learned how to stay connected despite a demanding travel schedule	
We have experience with difficult in-laws	
We are especially practiced at conflict resolution	
We have had to learn healthy ways to communicate	
We have navigated through an employment crisis	
We have pulled through a serious illness	
We have experienced unfaithfulness and forgiveness	
We've gone through a financial crisis together	
We have learned the benefit of having a financial budget	
We have experienced recovery from an addiction	
We have learned the importance of keeping our sex life happy	
We especially enjoy doing challenging adventures together	
We have found ways to enjoy the same types of activities together	

One of us has found healing from a difficult family of origin issue	
We have come from a different faith background	
We were raised with different cultural backgrounds	
Other:	

7. If you have experienced an impactful crisis that you are comfortable sharing, please describe the issue and how you dealt with it:

8. Are any of the Red Flag Statements below true for you? If so, this may not be the best time for you to invest in the lives of others. All marriages go through hurdles from time to time. We would encourage you to first, address the issue in your own marriage; and then use your story to mentor others. (1 Corinthians 1:4)

Red Flags
You are currently battling any kind of addiction (gambling, pornography, drugs, alcohol, etc.)
You have uncontrollable emotional outbursts that you have not yet managed.
You have recently suffered a significant setback (financial, emotional, etc.).
Your marriage is not stable or is fraught with frequent conflict.
You have suffered serious emotional wounds from some kind of abuse in your life and you are still trying to find healing.
You are struggling with significant financial debt.
One of you is far more motivated to become a marriage mentor than the other.
You do not have a sense of meaning and purpose in your life.
You are pessimistic about marriage in general.
You avoid personal responsibility for problems in your life.
You are not content and at peace with your life and your marriage.
You are not living your life by submitting to Biblical principles.
You are primarily motivated to be marriage mentors to help your own marriage.
You have been told by others that you may not be in a good place to be marriage mentors right now.

9. According to the Red Flag Statements above, we are in a good place to be effective Marriage Mentors.

	Yes/No
Husband	
Wife	

10. Please feel free to write any additional comments here:

Thank you for filling out this form and for your commitment to serve as Marriage Mentors. Please save this form and send to: **jennisolis@att.net**