

Counseling Intake Form

(This information allows your counselor to prepare through prayer and Bible study.)

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Full Name _____

Last

First

M.I.

Street
Address _____

City _____ Zip Code _____

Home phone/cell phone _____

Email _____

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Please briefly describe the problem.

What have you done about it?

What are your expectations in coming to counseling?

As you see yourself, what kind of person are you? Please describe yourself.

SPIRITUAL LIFE

If God asked you, "Why should I allow you into My heaven?", how would you respond?

If you pray, what do you pray about?

How many times did you read your Bible last week? _____

How about the week before? _____

Describe your personal devotions.

WHAT IS BIBLICAL COUNSELING?

Biblical counseling involves understanding the problems of living in a fallen world- and their solutions- from a Biblical perspective. The Bible is used both to define the problems and to develop methods for solving these problems. We know that Jesus Christ is THE Wonderful Counselor. The Holy Spirit is the agent of transforming hearts and minds into the image of Christ through God's Word. (II Cor 3:18) We know that Scripture is alive and powerful and is a discerner of thoughts and desires of the heart. (Heb 4:12) The Bible is completely sufficient to correct and teach and equip the believer in all matters of life and godliness. (II Tim 3:16-17) A Biblical counselor will come along side in the difficulties and prayerfully teach what does God say and how do we please God through obedience the midst of this. In all things God works for the good sanctification of the believer and for the glory of God.

ARE COUNSELING SESSIONS KEPT CONFIDENTIAL?

The Bible clearly states that gossip is wrong. Therefore, the counselors at Friendswood Baptist Church will not release information about particular counselees except in the few situations required by the Bible or the laws of our state. Those exceptions are: 1) when someone is in danger of being harmed, 2) when a child is physically or sexually abused or 3) when someone persistently refuses to stop a sinful pattern, and it is necessary to seek assistance from his/her church to encourage proper change (Matt 18:15-20, Rom 13:1-7).

CONTACT INFORMATION

You may turn in this information form in the box located in the church foyer.

Or you may hand the form to Pastor Andy, Melissa Gilliland, or one of the deacons.

You may contact us by phone or text:

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