



Christian Communities in Conversation

Plymouth & Exeter District Project

October 2017

The **Methodist Church**
Plymouth & Exeter District

The role

Within the CCiC project we are seeking a cohort of facilitators who will play a key role in helping the project proceed by being willing to;

1. Undertake training with the CCiC project to become familiar and comfortable with the skills needed to facilitate intentional conversations with groups that allow mutual growth and interaction to flourish.
2. Identify within their local context a number of settings where establishing intentional conversations about faith could be a helpful and constructive initiative.
3. Become familiar with the resource material produced to support the CCiC project and in training sessions explore their usage.
4. Commit to being a facilitator with the groups identified for the period agreed with the group.
5. Participate in the mutual learning and support process for all the facilitators coordinated by the District Evangelism Enabler.
6. Ensure that local Safeguarding policies are followed in the development and implementation of this project.
7. Participate in the evaluation of the initiative as identified by the DEE.

Person specification

<i>Essential</i>	<i>Desired</i>
Ability to demonstrate attentive listening skills.	Experience of leadership roles.
Ability to work independently, plan and review progress.	Qualifications in person centred professions.
Some experience of leading small groups.	
Ability to value and work with a diverse range of people.	
Aptitude and enthusiasm for enabling others to explore and grow in their experience of life.	
Understanding of the relevance of Safeguarding practice to the work.	
Some experience of evaluating progress of a small group initiative.	
Aptitude and enthusiasm for enriching conversation by learning the skills of facilitation.	

Patience and a sense of humour!		
Commitment to attend the 6 residential training sessions		

The initial residential training dates are scheduled for:

The evening of 18th January through to lunchtime 20th January

The evening of 12th April through to lunchtime 14th April

The evening of 21st June through to lunchtime 23rd June