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Pastoral Conversation 2016

Name: **Date:**

Current e-mail address:

Current level of appt: ❑ **less than .25** ❑**.25** ❑**.50** ❑**.75** ❑ **FT**

Educational Progress:_____

(*If in seminary, give years of seminary completed; if in Course of Study, number of courses out of 20; if commissioned or ordained just give the year*)

Mentor (if any): _____

Please respond to the following questions prayerfully and thoroughly as they apply to you:

1. What are two Technical Competencies in which you feel confident in your ministry? Why?

2. What are two Adaptive Competencies in which you feel confident in your ministry? Why?

3. What are two Technical Competencies which you feel you need to strengthen in order to grow in your ministry? What steps might you take in the year ahead to grow in these competencies?

4. What are two Adaptive Competencies which you feel you need to strengthen in order to grow in your ministry? What steps might you take in the year ahead to grow in these competencies?

5. How can I help you in your ministry in the year ahead?

In addition to questions above, the following may be discussed:

1. *Updating Church and Pastor Profiles on the Conference Dashboard*
2. *Viability of any mentoring situations*
3. *Pastor/SPPRC Covenant*
4. *Supervisory Questions Regarding the Pastoral Role in a Congregation (please bring with you)*
5. *Current Background Check & Safe Sanctuaries training*
6. *Parsonage/Housing Allowance Review*