

MOPS GROUP HEALTH ASSESSMENT

Answer each question with a number from 1 - 5 as described below:

1 = No/ Never

2 = Rarely

3 = Sometimes

4 = Usually

5 = Yes/ Always

Relationship with Church

- ___ Does the chartering church provide financial support for MOPPETS, Convention, or general MOPS needs?
- ___ Does the Pastor understand and support the MOPS vision and see MOPS as a valuable ministry?
- ___ Does the Pastor promote MOPS to the congregation and/or others?
- ___ Does the Finance Team Leader submit regular reports to the chartering church?
- ___ Does the Pastor or a designee approve new Steering Team Leaders ?

Steering Team

- ___ Are all of the Steering Team Leaders Christians who attend church regularly?
- ___ Are all the Steering positions filled?
- ___ Does the Steering work well as a unified team without major conflicts?
- ___ Are the Coordinator, MOPS Mentor, and Finance Team Leader members of the chartering church? (Not required, but helpful)
- ___ Is lifestyle evangelism training provided for steering members and discussion group leaders?
- ___ Are Steering meetings held regularly?
- ___ Do you have a committed and involved Mentor Mom?
- ___ Have Steering Team Leaders read the MOPS Handbook as well as their Positional Handbook?

MOPPETS

- ___ Do you have a MOPPETS Team Leader?
- ___ Are all your MOPPETS Workers volunteers?
- ___ Are MOPS moms never needed in the MOPPETS program?
- ___ Is your MOPPETS program always fully staffed?
- ___ Do you use a curriculum in the MOPPETS program?
- ___ Do you provide teacher training in curriculum and safety in line with church policies and procedures?
- ___ Do you have a list of substitute helpers approved by the church for when you are short staffed?
- ___ Do you have and follow the church policies and procedures for children's programs (i.e. discipline, dealing with sick children)?

MOPS Group

- ___ Is the atmosphere at MOPS warm and inviting to all moms (not cliquish)?
- ___ Are responsibilities at MOPS shared by many MOPS moms (crafts, hospitality, set up, clean up, etc.)?
- ___ Is there room for more moms in your group (no waiting list)?
- ___ Is the Gospel sensitively shared once or twice a year?
- ___ Do MOPS moms like to invite friends to MOPS?

Relationship with MOPS International

- ___ Do you attend local Council meetings?
- ___ Do you attend MOPS International Conventions?
- ___ Do Steering Team Leaders receive and read *Connections*?
- ___ Have you turned in a current Steering Team roster to MOPS International?
- ___ Do you turn in completed Message to MOPS International forms in a timely manner?
- ___ Have you registered all your moms for MOPS International Membership?

Now total your score and let's see how healthy your MOPS group is! Total Score _____

- 140 - 160 Congratulations! You have a strong and healthy MOPS group!
- 120 - 140 Good job! Your group is healthy, with a little room for improvement.
- 100 - 120 Your health is ok. Look for ways you can improve the weak areas.
- 80 - 100 You have some struggles. Find some help to improve your health.
- 60 - 80 You need urgent health care!
- <60 You're barely alive! Dial 911 immediately!

Does your group have a **BROKEN ARM**? Not reaching out to other women or being cliquish during meetings?

THE FLU? Mild aches and pains with occasional fever that seems life threatening, but really can be cured with some TLC and patience.

POOR VISION? Not reaching out to "every mother of preschoolers..."

POOR HEARING? Not really hearing what problems are, etc.

And here's the acrostic:

U---Usually

N---Nothing

H---Happens

E---Except

A---Absence of prayer

L---Luke warm commitments

T---Tongue-wagging

H---Hidden agendas

Y---Yawning

or

H---Heart-to-heart relating (personal connections with each mom

E---Empathy with those with struggles: finances, health issues, marriage or singleness concerns

A---Acquaintance-friendly: reaching out to new moms you meet at the grocery store, preschool, etc.

L---LOVE - the greatest of these is love - application of I Corinthians 13

T---Teamwork - especially amongst leaders

H---Hearing ears to all

Y---Yummy snacks at every meeting!!! (Casual fellowship that produces deeper friendships.)

WHERE (City/Group): _____