

- Involvement
 - Through compassion for the counselee
 - Through showing respect for the counselee
 - Through Genuineness and Honesty
 - Through the fruit of the Spirit in the life of the counselor
 - Through effective verbal communication
 - Through good listening
 - Through fulfilling the next 7 “I”s in the counseling process
- Inspiration
 - The Essence of True Biblical Hope
 - Who needs the most help in developing and maintaining an attitude of hopefulness?
 - How is this attitude produced and sustained?
- Inventory
 - Kinds of Data to Gather
 - “How To” aspects of data gathering
- Interpretation
 - Take the info you have acquired and prayerfully compare what is going on with the standard of God’s Word.
 - Take the info you’ve gathered and look for themes or patterns
 - Take the info you’ve collected and make sure you are labeling and describing the problems in a biblical way.
 - Take the info you’ve gathered and put it on the witness stand and make it answer some questions.
 - Take the info you’ve collected and prayerfully study it to identify what is going on in the person’s heart.
 - As you work through the previous steps, begin to formulate your own tentative interpretation of the nature and causes of the person’s problems.
 - Have formed some tentative interpretations, go on to test the validity of those interpretations.
 - Have tested and proven the validity of your interpretation, go on to formulate an agenda for helping the person(s) overcome his/her their problem(s).
- Instruction
 - Must be biblical in nature
 - Kind of instruction we give must be accurately biblical
 - The kind of instruction must be appropriately biblical
- Inducement
 - The Importance of commitment in the process of biblical change.
 - The kinds of commitments that biblical counselors should seek to induce counsees to make.
 - Inducing will sometimes require skill in overcoming counselee resistance (3 kinds of skills)
- Implementation
 - Plan an agenda
 - Plan specific strategies for promoting biblical change
 - Plan for handling temptation
 - Plan what to do if failure occurs
- Integration
 - Integration of biblical principles into the person’s life.
 - Criteria for determining when integration has occurred...