

Church Development Plan Evaluation Checklist

Who Will The Church Reach?

- Has confirmed and articulated a clear call from God
- Describes God's Hand through prayer in leading them to this location
- Has identified potential prayer team members
- Has completed a **community exegesis**
- Has geographic, demographic, cultural & spiritual understanding of the community

What Kind Of Church Will It Be?

- Has established the church's mission and model of ministry
- Has identified other churches with a similar model they can learn from
- Has a clear descriptive vision of the church's future
- Clearly understands Nazarene Essentials, church health characteristics and behaviors they believe will be practiced in the life of the church when it achieves a solid measure of church health

Who Will The Church Work With?

- Has thought through the church's organizational structure, including board development; for revitalizing, understands how they will organize for growth
- [Planters only] Clearly understands the launch team members needed
- Has created a leadership community and understands how to micro multiply
- Has created an understandable leader development path to use
- Has thought through essential ministries, i.e. worship, children, small groups, etc.
- Has established mentoring and coaching relationships needed; has identified community relationships they need to develop

How & When Will This Plan Happen?

- Has thought through how to implement "journey of grace" disciple-making
- Has a clear flow chart for disciple-making "next steps" with new attenders
- Has a timeline and clearly understands all the critical milestones of the church development plan
- Has thought through implementing a stewardship plan to teach financial freedom, money management and giving
- Has a comprehensive budget that leads to achieving self-support status