



**Diocese of Peterborough Fellowship of Spiritual Directors**  
**Basic policy**

1. Information held in the directory of fellowship members will be:

Name  
Address  
Contact numbers  
Email address

2. The directory will be held by the Spiritual direction team and the Bishop only.
3. The Bishop will have the final say after a recommendation regarding membership is made to him.
4. Referrals for a spiritual director will be made in the first instance to the spirituality adviser. Either the adviser or another member of the team will then arrange a meeting with the potential directee in order to explore with them the idea of spiritual direction, to gain understanding of their needs and to discern what style of direction would be most appropriate.

Based on this discussion, a name may be offered for the individual to follow up themselves, or if spiritual direction is not felt to be appropriate, to look at other paths they might follow.

Once directees are settled with a director, the team or adviser should have no further contact with the individuals unless a relationship breaks down and the directee requires further advice.

5. Ecumenical nature of the Fellowship:  
The Fellowship seeks to work with our ecumenical colleagues. Those of other denominations wishing to belong to the Fellowship must fulfil the same criteria.

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