

1. All Navigating Trauma Facilitators agree to:

- 1.1. Be committed to promoting the nurture, protection, and safekeeping of everyone, showing respect and sensitivity to those participating in healing groups regardless of their faith, church tradition, race, gender or sexual orientation
- 1.2. Present the materials and deliver sessions in a way that is appropriate for the audience, whilst sticking to the content of the programme as presented in the Navigating Trauma resources and using these materials without addition or improvisation - following the guidelines in the Navigating Trauma books
- 1.3. Notify Bible Society and their church leader of every healing group taking place, prior to their delivery, including names of facilitators, the partner church, anticipated numbers and the location of the healing group
- 1.4. Fulfil the relevant safeguarding requirements i.e. follow the Navigating Trauma Programme Safeguarding Policy any related procedures, and the safeguarding policies and procedures of the partner church. This includes showing concern for confidentiality
- 1.5. Listen and validate the experiences of participants, emphasizing their knowledge and contributions and not preaching or lecturing, whilst responding appropriately to the emotional climate of the group
- 1.6. At all times be aware of their own mental health, working with Bible Society and their partner church to ensure the wellbeing of facilitators

2. All Navigating Trauma Support Groups must:

- 2.1. Be delivered in an appropriate location, such as a space within a church or community venue, and not a private residence
- 2.2. Be delivered in such a way that minimises the risk and vulnerability of participants and facilitators to harm, in accordance with the guidance in the Navigating Trauma Programme Safeguarding Policy
- 2.3. Offer a safe space that allows people to process and share their feelings in their own time, without judgment, preaching or condemnation
- 2.4. Be delivered in accordance with the objectives of the particular lesson and the overall programme, whilst presenting materials and delivering the sessions in a way that is appropriate for the audience

Facilitator Name

Partner Organisation

Signed

Date
