



## DBMD QUESTIONNAIRE 2019

Please answer each of the questions below. Please answer on the basis of where you are at the present time in your development. These questionnaires are intended to assist you in growth as well as help your district board of ministerial development know how best to nurture and assist you.

**Date Form was completed** \_\_\_\_\_.

1. Name \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

2. What 2 courses have you completed in the past year (May 2018 – April 2019) or will complete by June 30, 2019 and how were these classes completed (Kingswood Extended, OKWU, IN South District Extension Classes etc.)?
  
3. What change has taken place in your marriage/other, family or church relationship since the last time you met with the DBMD that we should be aware of?
  
4. Please give a brief update/testimony of your current personal spiritual state:
  
5. Do you still have the conviction that you are called to a life of ministerial service? \_\_\_\_\_
  
6. In what ways has your call to ministry been confirmed or clarified during this last year?
  
7. How has your vision for present or future ministry changed or been clarified this past year?

8. What have you done this past year to grow spiritually and improve your knowledge of the Word?
9. Name at least 2 people that you are currently trying to minister to or have ministered to in the past year in practical and spiritual ways. Describe your ministry to these individuals:
10. What opportunities have you had this past year for practical ministry experience (preaching, teaching, visitation, outreach, programs and activities etc.)?
11. What encouragement are you receiving in your quest to become an Ordained Minister in the Wesleyan Church?
12. What are you doing to help disciple people and encourage spiritual growth in them?
13. Are there any specific ways God is speaking to you about your personal life or calling that you would like to share?
14. What are the greatest battles and discouragements that you have been facing – areas where we may pray more effectively for you?
15. Are you still committed to the doctrine, practice, mission and vision of The Wesleyan Church?
16. What events have you participated in this last year that shows your desire to be a part of our District and Denominational family?
17. Have you had any financial pressure or other stress this past year which might hinder your continued progress toward ordination? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, explain.

18. Do you continue to pledge that you will do everything in your power to see that your personal life and obligations will not interfere with your witness nor bring reproach upon the Lord's work? \_\_\_\_\_
19. Are you maintaining a life of personal integrity and moral purity? \_\_\_\_\_
20. Everyone has a variety of God-given strengths/assets. What do you consider to be some of your personal strengths?
21. As you currently understand your strengths and weaknesses, what are the areas of your personal life which need improvement? What can you do to make the necessary improvements?
22. Has anything happened in your life or ministry since your last report that your District Board of Ministerial Development should be aware of?
23. Do you continue to submit joyfully to the authority and discipline of the District Board of Ministerial Development as it prayerfully and carefully examines your development? \_\_\_\_\_

Our goal and purpose is to nurture and assist you in your quest for full ministerial service. Are there questions you would like to ask or counsel you would like to receive from your DBMD?

The information provided on this form is confidential. It is only for use by the Wesleyan District Board of Ministerial Development and Wesleyan Church officials and will not be released or provided to any other parties

I hereby freely give permission for the use of this information by the district and general officials of The Wesleyan Church and waive my right to examine any confidential information about me provided by other persons.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

We prefer that you fill out this form, save it and send it electronically to:

Rev. Aaron Sherman, [asherman@minister.com](mailto:asherman@minister.com)

You may also print and send a hard copy if you prefer to:

Rev. Aaron Sherman, 3677 Gloucester Dr. Lexington KY 40510

**THIS FORM MUST BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED BY APRIL 30, 2019!**