

STAGES OF MINSTERIAL DEVELOPMENT

ORIENTATION	First two months with not titles or assignments. Not to be called a pastor.
FORMATION	The next eight month to one year of assignment to a pastor/district to be trained as a district pastor. To be refereed to as a pastor
ACTUALIZATION	Give an actual district for a period on one to two years. This is preparation for ordination or commissioning.
ORDINATION/COMMISSION	The final stage/step is the permanent setting aside for the gospel minister. Men are ordained with universal authorization. Women are commissioned with local authorization only. Both men and women have similar ecclesiastical privileges and responsibilities.