

CRC Credentialing Pathway

A Local Church recognises a Ministry Gift inherent in a person, and there is a sense of call into ministry. A timetable is set for completion of **TRAINEE MINISTER COMPETENCIES**.

The **STATE COACH SUPERVISOR** is informed at the outset, who informs the **CRC NATIONAL OFFICE**, who will make contact with the prospective minister regarding **CRC Duty of Care requirements**

Variable time frame - 6 months minimum from time of notification.

During this time the applicant may study in the **Credential Pathway Stream** of the **CRC College of Ministry**

Time frame - approx. 3 years - the Coach will report to the State Supervisor every 6 months during this period

During this time the applicant must complete the **STATE MINISTER COMPETENCIES**

Once the **TRAINEE MINISTER COMPETENCIES** are completed, **CREDENTIAL APPLICATION FORMS** and **REFeree FORMS** must be submitted to the **STATE COACH SUPERVISOR**.

An interview will take place, with the applicant (and spouse if applicable) and if the interview is successful then a **TRAINEE MINISTER CREDENTIAL** will be issued.

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State Ministers can progress to a National credential by invitation only

This process will take at least 3 years, during which time the applicant must complete the **NATIONAL MINISTER COMPETENCIES** with their Coach, who will report to the **STATE SUPERVISOR** every 6 months

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All CRC Ministers are expected to undertake **ONGOING PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT** as a part of the Credentialing process, and subsequent to the awarding of any CRC Credential.