

## Parent Coaching Agreement

**Welcome to the Biblical Parenting Coaching Program** of the National Center for Biblical Parenting. This document is designed to inform you about the limits of your coaching experience.

### **Confidentiality & Records**

Your Coach will keep everything you say to him or her completely confidential, with the following exceptions: (1) you direct your Coach to release your information and you sign a "Release of Information" form; (2) your Coach determines that you are a danger to yourself or to others; (3) you report information about the abuse of a child, an elderly person, or a disabled individual who may require protection; or (4) your Coach is ordered by a judge to disclose information.

### **Education and Credentials**

Our Coaches have different levels of education, expertise, and experience. Please visit our website at [biblicalparenting.org/coach](http://biblicalparenting.org/coach) for more information on your Coach, or feel free to ask that person directly.

### **Medical, Legal, or Other Advice**

Coaching is not a substitute for medical, psychological, psychiatric, wellness, therapeutic, or other diagnosis, care, counseling, advice, consulting or treatment, or for any medicine. Coaching is not a substitute for legal, financial, tax, personnel, personal, religious, spiritual, or other types of evaluation, advice, or representation.

You should independently assess any decisions, actions or inactions resulting from or relating to the coaching experience based on medical, psychological, psychiatric, legal, religious, personnel, personal, financial, tax or other advice as applicable.

If you have any questions about any part of this document, please ask your Coach.

Please print, date, and sign your name below indicating that you have read and understand the contents of this form, you agree to the policies of your relationship with your Coach, you are of legal age of consent according to the laws of your home state, province, or country, and you are authorizing your Coach to begin a professional relationship with you.

Further, by signing you are indicating that your Coach and/or the National Center for Biblical Parenting will not be held responsible for the consequences of any plans, actions and/or results of actions you choose to take.

Name (Please print): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## Release of Information Form

I \_\_\_\_\_, give permission for my Coach, to share and exchange information with others for the purpose of research and providing assistance to me. This may include my demographic information and dialogue about my situation with the Coach's mentor or the Coach's critique group. No identifying information will be shared. I understand that the only reason my Coach would share information without my permission is when there is:

- Evidence of child or elder abuse or neglect
- A person presenting a danger to themselves or others
- A court order requires disclosing the information

I also understand that I can revoke this consent at any time. My signature below indicates my consent.

Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_

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

