



Mission Integration Planning & Contact Cycle

Marianist-Sponsored Schools and Retreat Centers

The Mission Integration Planning & Contact Cycle plays a vital role in the collaborative relationship the Marianist Province has with its sponsored schools and retreat centers. This process serves as leaven to sustain the Catholic and Marianist nature and mission of the sponsored ministry. The four-year Mission Integration Planning & Contact Cycle builds on itself and helps these ministries achieve their Mission Integration goals.

Year One: Plan Development

The objective of Year 1 is to develop and begin to implement a new Mission Integration Plan. It is a collaborative effort of the sponsored ministry's community and engages the support and feedback of the Office of Sponsorship. This culminates in a teleconference with the Office of Sponsorship, the leadership of the sponsored ministry, and the chair of the Mission Integration Team to review the Mission Integration Plan submitted by the ministry.

Year Two: Visitation and Review

Year 2 includes a visitation by a representative of the Office of Sponsorship to monitor the ministry's progress in implementing its Mission Integration Plan. The visitation includes a review of the ministry's ongoing relationship with the Province and a discussion of ways the ministry and the Province can strengthen their collaborative relationship and partnership in mission. This discussion takes into consideration the different requirements of the *Sponsorship & Services Agreement*, including the Mission Integration Plan. During this visit the Office of Sponsorship representative meets with various members of the sponsored ministry's community to obtain their input. The results of these visits are documented and shared with the leadership of the ministry.

Year Three: Progress Update

The objective of Year 3 is to review progress in implementing the Mission Integration Plan. The chair of the Mission Integration Team and the leadership of the sponsored ministry meet via teleconference with the Office of Sponsorship to demonstrate evidence of progress made with the plan.

Year Four: Visitation and Evaluation

Year 4 includes a visitation and evaluation by a team selected by the Office of Sponsorship from other Marianist-sponsored ministries. Similar to the Year 2 visitation, the visiting team meets with various members of the sponsored ministry's community to evaluate progress made in implementing the Mission Integration Plan and to suggest areas of focus in developing the next four-year Mission Integration Plan. The results of these visits are documented and shared with the leadership of the sponsored ministry and evaluated by the Office of Sponsorship.

Year 1: Plan Development	Year 2: Visitation and Review	Year 3: Progress Update	Year 4: Visitation and Evaluation
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Development of a new four-year Mission Integration Plan •Review of Plan with the Office of Sponsorship •Implementation of Year 1 Action Items •Development of Year 2 Action Items 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Implementation of Year 2 Action Items •Visitation by Office of Sponsorship •Development of Year 3 Action Items 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Implementation of Year 3 Action Items •Teleconference with Office of Sponsorship •Development of Year 4 Action Items 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Implementation of Year 4 Action Items •Visitation and Evaluation by Peer Review Team •Review of Visitation and Evaluation by Office of Sponsorship