

Men of Action serves the material, relational, and spiritual needs of **Widows, Single Women, Moms,** and the **Vulnerable** in our *Church and Community.*

The safety and security of both care receivers and caregivers is of primary concern of Calvary Bible Church. These guiding principals will help you provide successful and safe services.

- **No team member should go to the home of a care receiver alone.**
- **No team member should be alone in a room with a care receiver's child of any age.**
- **If a care receiver needs help with budgeting, debt relief, etc., your pastor or appropriate staff person should be notified.**
- **At no time should a team member give a care receiver investment advice.**
 - **Building codes and city ordinances should be followed.**
- **Work requiring licensed professionals should only be done by professionals.**

STRUCTURE OF A MOA TEAM

4-6 Caregivers on each MOA team

One Care Receiver per MOA team

- Each month, the team returns to the same widow or single mom.

One member of each team is designated as the "**Caller**"

- Each team chooses a "caller" who is responsible for calling their care recipient the week before they are to meet and finds out what projects need to be done. **This is a critical 30-minute monthly phone call.**
- The caller then calls the other members of his team, reminds them of the meeting on Saturday and tells them what tools and materials to bring.

TEAM COMMITMENTS

- We ask that each person commit to at least ONE year of service.
- Two hours of service on one **Saturday** morning of the month from 8 -10 a.m.
- A small amount of financial sacrifice.
Most care recipients will cover all financial costs of any materials needed for the home. Each team is asked to cover any small costs under \$10 but financial assistance is available through Calvary Bible Church.
- The use of your skills, though none are required.
- Each member must sign a waiver of liability and have a background check.

TYPICAL SATURDAY MORNING

7:00 - 8:00 Individual teams will often meet early for breakfast and fellowship.

8:00 – 10:00 Teams will arrive and work in the home of their care recipients.

10:00 – 10:10 Set up next months service day and pray

- ❖ At the end of their visit each team prays with their care receiver. Pray especially for your care receiver's needs and for her neighbors.
- ❖ Be sure and inform your care receiver of the dates of your next visits.
- ❖ Always remember that your primary purpose as a team is building relationships, not completing a project.

Thanks

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