

POLICY FOR CLP COMMISSIONING

All persons seeking to be a Commissioned Lay Pastor shall complete the training of the Seminary Without Walls, be recommended for commissioning by their church session, pass a background check and take the psychological assessment that is required for all persons entering the candidate for ministry process. The cost for the psychological assessment shall be shared with the COM, the church, and the candidate. Upon completion of these tasks, the Committee on Ministry will interview the individual and send recommendation for commissioning to the presbytery for approval.