

Creating Opportunities And Casting Hope...

COACH stands for Creating Opportunities and Casting Hope. We mobilise Christians to break generational cycles of poverty by supporting people in tough places flourish.

Our five key values are

- Compassion
- Embracing All
- Holistic Care
- Collaboration
- Reflection



Unique Features

- High Impact, goal focussed mentoring with at least 80% of participants reaching significant goals. We average a 27% increase in participant's resilience (eg self-discipline)
- 63% of graduates engaging in Christian community
- 6 missional communities catalysed by COACH
- We provide some of the very best mentoring training available with over 1000 mentors having successfully completed it and given us feedback
- We partner with Mission Australia in 50 plus locations in Australia
- In the UK , we partner with Redeeming our Communities (ROC) in over 10 communities

“Without COACH I would have been in jail I reckon. With COACH we were taught that we needed to work together

Pete & Cheryl



COACH Mentor Definition

- COACH mentor is a friend with purpose who offers practical help and mentoring towards life goals
- We ask mentors to commit for 1 to 2 hours per week for 12 months

COACH Mentor Competencies

As a volunteer Mentor you do not need to be a “professional” but you will need to meet four essential competencies as follows:

1. Good communication skills (the ability to handle a challenging conversation)
2. Capacity and commitment to adhere to boundaries of role (which we train you in)
3. Capacity and commitment to engage people from diverse backgrounds (e.g. sexual orientation, race, faith) in a non-judgemental and respectful manner
4. Capacity and commitment to promote children's safety and wellbeing at all times (again, we train you in this)

COACH Mentor Training

Our training is some of the very best mentor training available. It includes 14 hours initial training on how to mentor, boundaries, values and risk plus a good understanding of how to support people doing it tough. You are supported throughout by a local COACH Coordinator who is appointed by your church.