

URBAN CHURCH PLANTER DESCRIPTION

An Urban Church Planter partners in the fulfillment of the Great Commission by planting a church in an urban setting that is all about love (love expressed up in worship, love experienced down in discipleship, and love extended out in mission) and committed to ongoing church planting. In preparation for the urban church plant, the Urban Church Planter completes the Church Planting Bootcamp which consists of the following: two weeks of onsite intensives at Cherry Hills Community Church (in December and May) and weekly online training and assignments, estimated at four hours per week (from December to May). Urban Church Planters who complete the boot camp and meet the benchmarks for ongoing participation are eligible to receive dollar-for-dollar grant funding (up to pre-determined amounts) over two years.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Model a Growing and Vibrant Relationship with Christ

- Pursue full devotion to Christ and live the life we are inviting others to live
- Manifest the fruit of the Spirit in work habits and relationships
- Pursue spiritual growth through community and a consistent, fruitful devotional life
- Embody other-centered, servant-leadership in all interactions
- Reflect Christ's heart for reaching spiritually lost people

Accept and Uphold CHCC's Essentials of Our Faith

Complete the Urban Church Boot Camp

- Meet the requirements for admittance into the program
- Begin fundraising for the church plant during the Boot Camp
- Participate in two, one-week intensives at Cherry Hills Community Church (one in December and one in May), completing training and assignments
- Complete weekly online trainings and assignments (December through May)
- Receive access to the Residency & Boot Camp Portal (resources, training, etc.) during and post Boot Camp

Plant an Urban Church That Plants Churches and Participate in the Church-Planting Network

- Meet all benchmarks outlined in the Church-Planting Boot Camp Brochure
- Determine the church-plant location, build a core team, select a site, develop a launch plan, fundraise, and launch the church plant
- Remain active in the church planting network, attending annual gatherings and serving as a trainer and/or mentor at least once per year (as requested)
- Send first church planter through the Residency or Boot Camp and encourage others to participate
- Plant another church within three years of the first plant, and every 3-5 years thereafter
- Set aside 5% of the church plant's tithes and offerings to church planting from day one

Complete Ordination (EPC Church-Planters Only)

POSITION TYPE: Non-Staff