

TEMPLE AND FAMILY HISTORY

High Council Adviser

1. Ensures the stake is organized to provide resources to the wards to help members in their temple and family history work
2. Becomes knowledgeable in temple and FH work and assists the stake presidency in instructing other leaders and members in this work. He may assign family history consultants to assist him in providing FH training
3. Instructs HP group and Elders Quorum leaders in their temple and FH responsibilities and ensures that the stake, wards and quorums are organized to do temple and family history work
4. Meets regularly with the stake presidency to report on temple and FH work & receive council

High Priest Group Leadership

1. Coordinates temple and FH work in the ward
2. Coordinates with PEC and Ward Council to identify people to call as consultants and to identify families for consultants to visit
3. Supervises consultants in the ward
 - Provides direction
 - Sees that consultants are trained and understand their responsibilities
 - Ensures there are enough consultants to meet the needs of the ward
 - Reports on temple and FH activity (including individual work by FH consultants) in PEC and Ward Council meetings and receives council from the bishopric

Family History Consultant

1. A single ward position called FHC
2. Called and set apart by the bishopric
3. Supervised by HPGL
4. Need not be expert in research
5. Should be good teacher
6. Comfortable with technology
7. Become knowledgeable with FH computer programs
8. Meet with families and teach/help them identify ancestors and ensure temple ordinances are performed for them
9. May serve in a family history center
10. Meet with new members to explain the doctrines of the redemption of the dead and help new members identify deceased ancestors and go to the temple to receive baptisms and confirmations for them
11. When assigned by the bishopric teach FH class during Sunday School