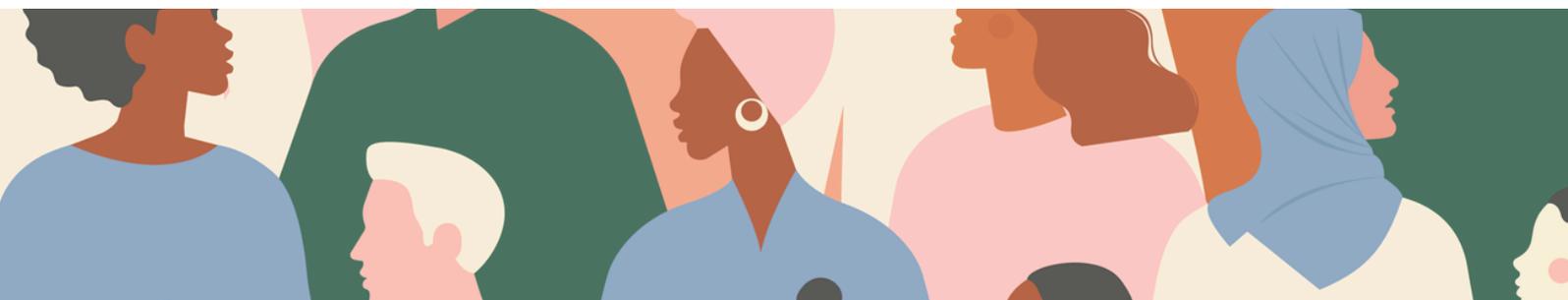


Peer Mentoring model cycle

A Peer Mentoring model cycle typically consists of several stages or steps that guide the mentoring relationship and ensure its effectiveness.



Organizing a peer mentoring session based on a structured mentoring model cycle is incredibly useful for several reasons. A peer mentoring model cycle provides a clear framework and systematic approach that ensures the mentoring sessions are effective, purposeful, and impactful.



Program Orientation and Matching:

- Introduce participants to the peer mentoring program and its goals.
- Collect information from participants to identify their needs and preferences.
- Match mentors and mentees based on compatible goals, interests, and expertise.

Relationship Establishment:

- Provide guidelines and resources to mentors and mentees on building a positive mentoring relationship.
- Facilitate an initial meeting or orientation session to help mentors and mentees get to know each other.
- Encourage open communication and establish trust between mentors and mentees.

Goal Setting and Action Planning:

- Help mentees identify their goals and aspirations.
- Guide mentors in assisting mentees in setting specific, measurable, achievable, relevant, and time-bound (SMART) goals.
- Collaborate with mentees to develop action plans outlining steps to achieve their goals.

Regular Meetings and Support:

- Encourage mentors and mentees to meet regularly, either in person or through virtual means, depending on the program's setup.
- Provide ongoing support and resources to mentors and mentees as needed.
- Foster a safe and supportive environment for mentees to discuss challenges, seek guidance, and receive feedback.



Progress Evaluation and Feedback:

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Closure and Transition:

- Help mentees wrap up their mentoring experience by summarizing their achievements and progress.
- Facilitate a final meeting or event to celebrate accomplishments and acknowledge the contributions of mentors.
- Provide resources and guidance to help mentees transition to the next phase of their personal or professional journey.

It's important to note that the specific details and duration of each stage may vary based on the context, goals, and duration of the peer mentoring program.

