

## Criteria for Candidates to be invited to become Community Mediators for Africa.

The criteria that a candidate must satisfy to apply for this qualification are that they be:

1. A minimum of eighteen years of age;
2. Of any gender or race;
3. Resident in the area of the sponsoring club;
4. Able to report to club meetings and district from time to time;
5. Tied to and enjoy the respect of the community in which the mediation services are to be rendered (involvement in educational, business, church, sport, cultural, NGO or other organisations in the community will be an advantage);
6. Fluent in English and the language of the community in which the candidate will work (if not English);
7. Able to read and write fluently in English;
8. Able to access the internet (if needs be, access to be facilitated/provided by sponsoring club) to receive remote learning training;
9. Committed to or experienced in formal or informal mediation activities;
10. Able to travel to training centres in either Johannesburg, Cape Town or Durban and be able to occasionally attend a three-day course;
11. In possession of a letter of reference from sponsoring Rotary Club President confirming compliance with the above criteria and supporting the candidate.
12. Committed to attending all sessions and able and willing to volunteer after the training has been completed.

