

Do's and don'ts of Mentorship

The Mentorship uses its [Value Statement & Member Code of Conduct](#) as its guide to remain a safe space.

DOs	DON'Ts
Be respectful Be patient Engage in critical thinking Be responsible and accountable Prepare specific questions Be positive Be encouraging Offer support and guidance Be open minded Offer constructive criticism Establish clear boundaries Be proactive Talk about any relevant experiences and problems you have overcome Share skills tips Attend all meetings. If you are unable to attend, inform the other attendee Report any unacceptable behaviour	Don't: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Judge• Be rude• Be late• Ignore• Cross boundaries• Intimidate• Give false info• Act as a councillor/therapist• Take responsibility for your peer's problems and feel you must solve them• Let the mentorship role interfere too much with your own work