

Sharing Jerusalem Workshop Facilitator Role

The purpose of the Facilitator is to provide guidance to each SJ Advocacy Group (SJAG) without influencing the outcome or decision-making.

1. The Facilitator should first emphasize that the major responsibility of each SJAG is to develop a Sharing Jerusalem Action Plan, as described in the **Role Playing Overview** included in the role-playing materials in each participant's folder.
2. The Facilitator should next outline the time allowed for each of the four activities:
 - 20 minutes to develop a preliminary SJ Action Plan (including 5 minutes to review written material in packet, especially Church Toolkit)
 - 10 minutes to meet with the Senior Minister
 - 10 minutes to meet with the influential church committee
 - 10 minutes to meet with an active SJ Advocacy Group from another church
 - 10 minutes to revise and finalize the SJ Action Plan before presenting it to the entire workshop
 - 4 minutes to present the SJ Action Plan when all of the groups meet together
3. Before the SJAG members actually start working on their plan and discussing it with each other, the Facilitator should tell them to review the reference materials in their folders.
4. The Facilitator should tell the SJAG members to choose someone to record each major element of the plan with a magic marker on a poster board. This will serve as the basis for the final plan that will be presented to the entire workshop at the end of the role-playing exercise.