

## CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT

*Trust must be a verb before it is a noun. You must trust and be trustworthy to be trusted. It is one of the most, if not the most, important factor in the partnership.*

Mentoring pairs will share information about one another throughout the association. Partners must be very clear on the limits they want to place on the information shared. Establishing clear boundaries is a big step toward building trust.

Here are a couple of statements to start your agreement. You may accept these as they are, build upon them, or establish a complete new agreement. The important thing is that both partners concur with the confidentiality agreement.

1. What we discuss will stay between the two of us.

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2. What we discuss will stay between the two of us, unless we give each other permission or ask that the information be shared with others.

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3. Add other additional conditions you both mutually agree to.

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Mentor Signature

Date

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Mentee Signature

Date