

# PREPARE ENRICH®

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## Happy New Year – 2018 a Year of Growth

*I hope you are looking forward to all that 2018 holds. At Prepare-Enrich UK, we've embarked on an ambitious development and growth plan to equip and enthuse more churches and facilitators to make use of the excellent couple and parenting programmes.*

*We want to hear from you, the people on the ground and so we've been canvassing users to see how we're doing and things you'd like to see. (See below some quotes arising from our recent interviews with facilitators).*

*Do join us on the journey and let us know of any additional ideas and opportunities that you see in your areas of activity.*

*We'll tell you more about our progress in the summer, hopefully including actions we've been able to take based on your suggestions.*

John Deagle

## The Global Scale of Prepare-Enrich

In the past 35 years:

**OVER 4 MILLION**  
Relationships strengthened

**OVER 100K**  
Facilitators in 100+ countries

**OVER 50k**  
Communities and churches served



And in 2017:

**OVER 7K**  
Facilitators trained

**You're part of a  
worldwide resource!**

## What People Like About Prepare-Enrich

We're are seeking views from a range of facilitators using Survey Monkey. These are the highlights from our recent interviews:

*"The best bit about it is the breadth of analysis. It gives a rounded picture of where this particular couple is in their relationship."*

*"The personality and relationship dynamics sections are the most useful in therapy."*

*"I love the couple and family map. It gives a quick view of something which can be hard to get into."*

*"It is well-researched and simple to understand."*

*"It is the best relationship tool for couple work which I have ever used"*

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## AD HOC FACILITATOR TRAINING

We are very happy to organise ad hoc training sessions, for a minimum of 10 participants and tailor them to the need of your organisation.

## SHARE YOUR SUCCESS

We'd like to hear about aspects of the programme that have worked well for you in your work with couples. (Please don't use real names in your notes).

## SUCCESSION

We recognise that you can be the only PE facilitator in a church or group—maybe think now about developing a team so that this work is sustainable in the future.

Find this newsletter at:

<http://www.prepare-enrich.co.uk/research-and-newsletters/>

More materials in the website too!

## New Password Policy

Stronger password standards have recently been implemented by the US office for Facilitator accounts. Here's what you need to know:

⇒ **Passwords are no longer Facilitators' last names.** Existing facilitators need to reset their passwords by following the on-screen prompts in the login screen.

⇒ **Do not give out your own login information.** This is to protect both your couples' privacy, as well as your own.

If you have any questions or concerns about logging into your account, please do not hesitate to contact us.

## Lee Abbey - Keep Fit For Marriage Workshop

Based on the PE enrich programme, this is a valuable time for couples to invest in their relationship and depart with clear next steps. Over a weekend, in beautiful surroundings in Devon from 7<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> September 2018.

Why not let your couples know or consider this for yourselves?

Bookings directly with Lee Abbey at <https://leeabbeydevon.org.uk/programme/keep-fit-for-marriage-2/> or by phone on 01598 752 621.

*(Given the nature of the workshop couples are advised no to bring children)*

## Training/Refresher Workshops

A 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. workshop equips attendees to administer the range of Prepare-Enrich inventories. The next workshops will be in:

- Reading 10<sup>th</sup> March (Couple Inventory)
- Durham 14<sup>th</sup> April (Couple Inventory)
- Bristol 28<sup>th</sup> April (Couple Inventory)

The booking forms are available from [www.prepare-enrich.co.uk/training-events/](http://www.prepare-enrich.co.uk/training-events/)

If you would like to work with us to plan a course in your local area, do contact the office. We are also able to organise mid-week ad hoc sessions in our Southampton venue.

## Paper Version Closes

As for the end of December 2017 any new couple will need to take the inventory online as the US office has announced that the paper version is not being supported anymore.

Over 95% of the UK inventory scorings on 2017 were online, and the online option is recognised as more flexible to couple circumstances and incorporates several features not available in the paper version.

We're here to help. Let us know if you have never used the online customised version and need support with the transition.