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The 5 Step Healing Model

Step 1: The Interview

Introduce yourself then ask where does it hurt or what would you like me to pray for?

- Natural level – what can you see?
- Supernatural – ask God for Words of Knowledge, discernment, visions, words;
- It's not a medical interview- get the facts;
- Move to the next stage when ready.

Step 2: The Diagnosis

Why do they have this condition?

- Natural causes – disease, accident;
- Sin – committed by them or against them;
- Emotional hurts causing physical or other pain;
- Relationship problems – lack of forgiveness;
- Supernatural – may be demonic;
- Keep asking for God's help – it may be useful to pray in tongues;
- Ask them questions if appropriate.

Step 3: Prayer Selection

What kind of prayer shall I pray to help this person?

- Check if it is ok to lay hands on them;
- Ask the Holy Spirit to come and minister to the person;
- Ask for God to heal;
- Keep praying in the Spirit;
- Command of faith Acts 3:6;
- Pronouncement – of faith John 4:50;
- Demonic – rebuke (break their power) bind them (contain) expel (get rid).

Step 4: Prayer engagement

How are you doing?

- Keep your eyes open and watch for the effects – Phenomenological signs (warmth, tingling, shaking etc);
- Ask questions – find out what God is doing;
- Stop when – they think it's all over; the Spirit tells you it's over; you've run out of things to pray; when it's going nowhere;
- Remove your hands, talk to them to indicate you are stopping.

Step 5: Post prayer direction

What should they do to keep their healing? i.e. 'Stop sinning' - John 5:14

- Read their Bibles, spend time with God;
- Get involved or keep involved in the local church;
- Check with their doctor.