[Essential Elements in DMM - New Generations](https://newgenerations.org/approach/)

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| Step | Essential Elements |
| 1 | **Form a Prayer Base.**  Dependence on God is the foundation of DMM. |
| 2 | **Train Local Leaders.**  Lay people are equipped to lead through training, coaching, and mentoring, so that the process can be replicated through local disciples and spread through networks with minimal outside help. |
| 3 | **Enter the Community.**  As new communities are engaged, DMM workers look for ways to compassionately serve and meet local needs. As they serve, the DMM workers are looking for those who are open to the gospel. |
| 4 | **Find the Person of Peace.**  By staying alert to who is spiritually open among the people they are serving, the DMM workers find people who want to learn more about who God is. |
| 5 | **Form a Discovery Bible Study (DBS).**  DMM workers ask the Person of Peace to invite their friends and family to gather to discover who God is and how to live a life of obedience to him. |
| 6 | **Coach Them to Salvation.**  As people grow in their understanding of who God is and how their life is transformed through obeying him, they come to follow Jesus. |
| 7 | **Coach Them to Baptism.**  As people commit their lives to Christ, they participate in baptism. |
| 8 | **Coach Forming the First Church.**  As DBS groups grow and multiply, pastors and leaders emerge, and they gather the network of groups to worship God and support each other in local churches. |
| 9 | **Coach Multiplication in the Natural Network.**  The people in these DBS groups and churches are equipped to start new groups within their spheres of influence. |
| 10 | **Coach Repeating the Process in New Networks.**  Leaders who have emerged through the process help others replicate what they have experienced. |