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## **OM Courses available to participants from other organisations.**

### **OM People Care Courses**

OM's People Care Courses provide people with new skills to fulfil their God given roles in people care and leadership while positively impacting their personal lives. The training is practical and relevant for individuals that serve in all facets of mission. The ministry skills that the participant acquires also helps build a strong foundation in the local church.

**The 6-day Level 1 course** is designed to be an introduction to basic member care skills. It prepares the participant to care for and support community members, team members, colleagues, and friends facing the regular ups and downs of life prevalent in any environment and intensified in cross-cultural living and service. Level 1 courses are scheduled as follows:

**29 Sept – 06 Oct 2019 – Tzaneen, South Africa**

**29<sup>th</sup> March – 5<sup>th</sup> April 2020 – Finland**

***Oct 2020 – Nepal - Tentative***

**The 6-day Level 2 course** builds on Level 1 topics as well as adding more complex topics that PC providers encounter in their ministries. The next Level 2 course is scheduled as follows:

**21 – 28 June - Hungary**

More information is available at <https://www.om.org/pccourse>.

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### **OM Face to Face Courses**

The Face to Face Course is a 15-day personal development course following the Lord's invitation to "come aside with me to a quiet place". It is for Christian workers who have been involved full time or part time in mission work or other Christian ministry for at least 2 years, and who want to develop their relationship with God and grow in self-understanding.

Each day begins with worship and study on the character of God, followed by topical teaching. There is interactive teaching directed at different learning styles, experiential workshops, individual processing time with one or two facilitators, community-groups, and personal reflection time. The next courses are scheduled as follows:

**15-30 Nov 2019 – Hungary**

**01-16 May 2020 – Jordan**

**Late 2020 – Boxenstopp (Face to Face course in the German language)**

More information is available at <https://www.om.org/face2face>.

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