



# How to Host Behind Happy Faces

## Step 1.

Identify your Behind Happy Faces Peer Facilitator/Coordinator. Ideally this is a chapter member who has a personal connection to the topic and wants to start the Mental Health conversation among brothers, it does not have to be a current officer or chair but someone who wants to oversee the success of the program.

## Step 2.

Visit [www.phigam.org/bhf](http://www.phigam.org/bhf) to view Facilitation Guides, Power Point Presentations and Videos.

## Step 3.

Finalize a time for the chapter to host this event. Since the activities are meant to be 15-20 minutes long we encourage you to start with an already scheduled chapter meeting.

## Step 4.

Make sure to review all necessary facilitation guides beforehand and prepare supplies/visual needs for the Module you are doing.

## Step 5.

Feeling nervous about facilitating in front of a large group or want to share how the experience went with the brothers? Have them contact Candy Rivera, Assistant Director of Education at [crivera@phigam.org](mailto:crivera@phigam.org) for additional assistance.

## Best Practices

Invite your Purple Legionnaire to the first Module

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Graduate brothers have their own Advisor Resource Tracks online

Keep the chapter meeting calendar clear

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Not the best time to also finish PIE

Be prepared to go over on time if the conversation is going well, tell chapter in advance this is a possibility

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Get a read of your chapter, sometimes the large group setting is more powerful because everyone's voice is heard

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Serious topic, small group  
Broader topic, full group

Start with the first module so everyone has the same baseline. Pick the second module that works best for your chapter needs

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It makes the most sense to go chronologically

The slides can be text heavy

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Find a way to break it up

Model the way in going first and setting the example by sharing first as the facilitator