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# Fatherhood TIES Audio Journaling Training



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# Introductions and check-in

Share your first name and one word that describes how you are feeling coming into this training today?

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# Fatherhood T.I.E.S. Study

Testing Identified Elements for Success in  
Fatherhood Programs

# Overview of the TIES Study

The study focuses on testing fatherhood program elements – to see how and where they are most effective at improving the lives of fathers and their children.

- TIES hopes to improve:
  - Father well-being
  - Father-child relationships
  - Co-parenting relationships
  - Economic stability

# Intro to Audio Journaling

# Goals of the Audio Journaling

- Explore how fatherhood program elements affects fathers' lives
- Empower fathers to:
  - Document and share your experiences
  - Identify concerns with that affect your lives (processes, organizations, systems, etc.)
  - Bring your voice to the attention of decision makers

# TIES Audio Journaling Activities





# Time Commitment for Audio Journaling Activities

Activity	Time Commitment	Gift card amount for completing the activity
1. Audio Journaling Training	30 minutes	\$25
2. Audio Collection	Week 1 = 10 min Week 2 = 10 min Week 3 = 10 min	\$25 for each audio recording (up to \$75)
3. Debrief Session	30 minutes	\$25
4. Online use	None	None



# Step-by-Step Audio Collection Instructions



# Consent and Release Forms

# Before you begin

- Read the questions sent to you by the study team via email or text and think about how you want to answer.
- Make sure you have at least 10 free minutes to record a response to the questions.
- Find a quiet spot to record. Look for somewhere without background noise or distractions.
- When you are ready to record, speak closely into the microphone by holding the phone in front of you or pressing it to your ear like you would do for a phone call.

# Instructions

1. Call the 1-800- number that was emailed or text to you. You will hear a recorded message with the question you will need to answer.
2. Once the greeting finishes, just start talking, answering the questions sent to you.
  - You do not need to say your name
  - Your response can be up to 10 minutes long
  - If the call drops, you can call back and finish recording
3. When you're done speaking you may hang up.

# Wrap Up/Time for Questions

# Timeline

**Today** Audio Journaling Training

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**XX/XX-  
XX/XX** Audio Collection

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**XX/XX** Debrief

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**XX/XX** Online Use



# Thank you

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