

KNOWING THE SOS

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Severity	Wisdom issue	Moderate conflict	Crisis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How long has this been going on? - How are you thinking /feeling about the situation? - Is it better or worse than X months/weeks ago?
	Mild Stress	Distressed but functioning	Stronghold sin	
	Everyday problems	More complex issues	Significant suffering	
Ownership	Repentant	Sees sin	Blameshifts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - How have you contributed to this situation? - Where have you sought counsel on this? - What have you done about it?
	Open	Makes excuses	Defensive	
	Highly teachable	Moderately teachable	Denial - Not teachable	
Support	Close to family	Some family support	Estranged from family	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Who else knows about this? - How have they helped you? - How can I pray/support you during this time?
	Intimate & Accountable	Few friends	No friends	
	Vulnerable in small group	Somewhat open in small group	Isolated - Not in small group	

Scores:

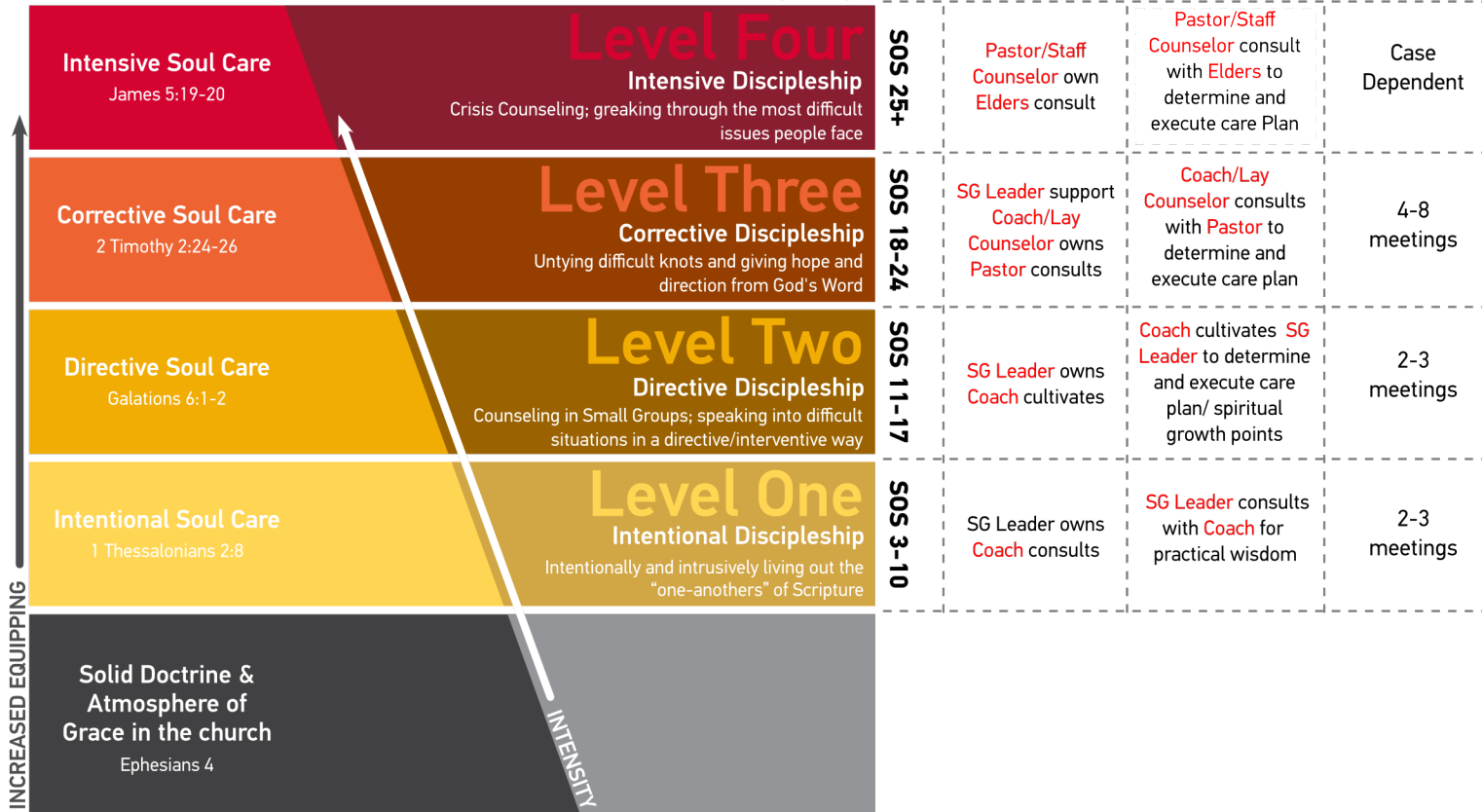
To find the right score, add your severity, ownership, and support scores together. You should come up with a score between 3 and 30. The ranges on the following page will help you decide what to do next. Remember, you need to adjust responses on a case-by-case basis.

Principles:

- 1) It's a guideline, not etched in stone. Takes discernment and practice
- 2) Don't make it a clinical exercise. Have a conversation with the person in need.
- 3) Give a range of scores for both the individual categories and total overall score. Don't let everything be a "5".

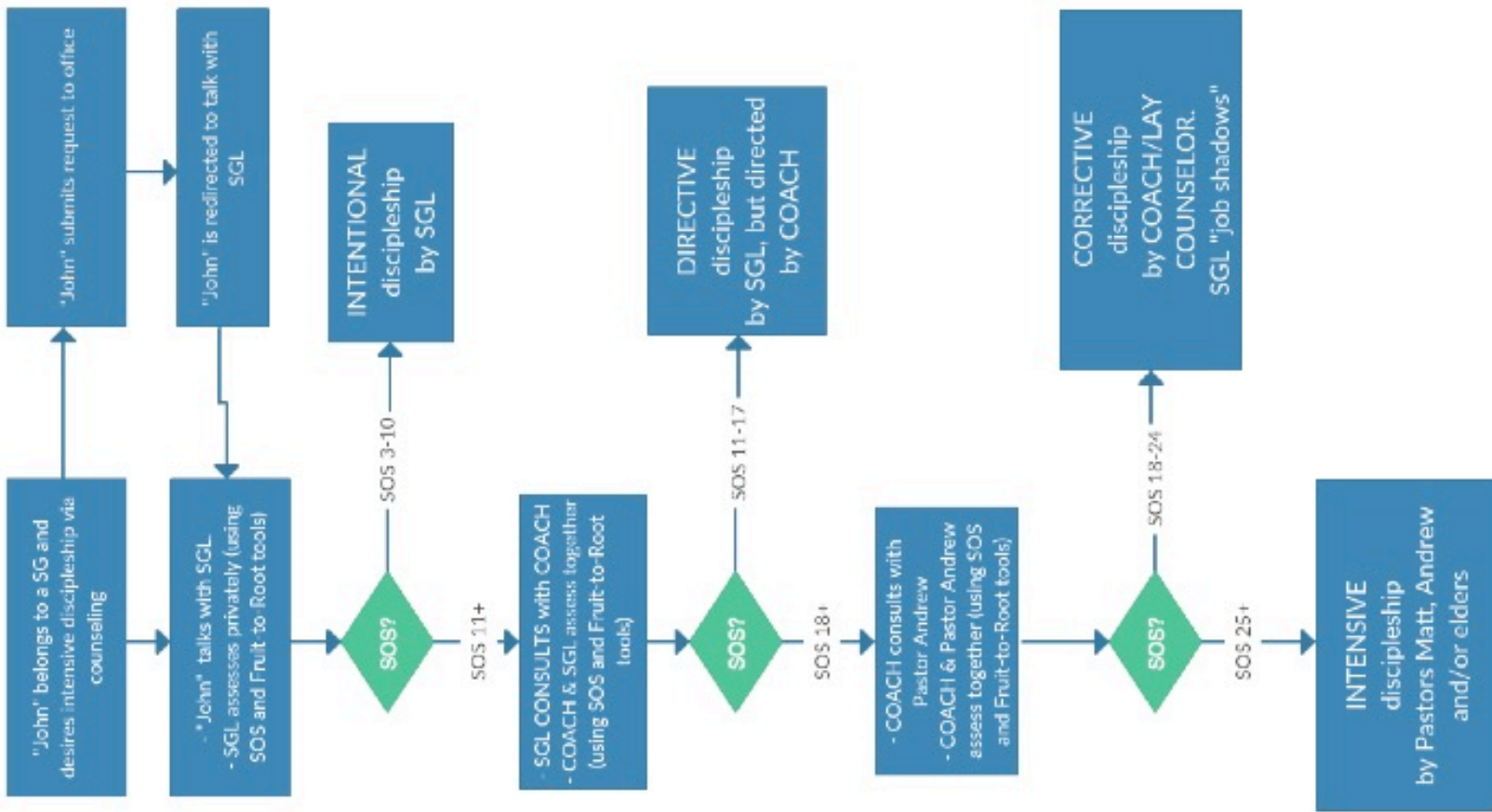
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