## Questions Guide: Iraq Religious Mapping Phase II

1. How would you describe the religious trends in your city?
   1. Which religions, sects, doctrines, and schools of thought are present?
      1. What variations exist in people’s religious identification? Are there any common misconceptions about the religious communities in your area?
      2. How has the religious field in your community changed over the last 10 years?
   2. Who are the most well-known and influential religious figures?
   3. Are there any young people who exercise religious influence?
   4. Which women have religious influence?
      1. Why do you say these people are influential? In what ways are they influential? Over whom (which groups) do they exercise influence?
      2. Which do you respect the most?
   5. Are there any religious TV stations or radio stations that are popular?
      1. If so, who are some religious personalities that appear on those stations?
      2. Who are the popular religious figures on social media?
      3. How do people in your community feel about the Shiraziyyin? Are they popular? What do people say about them?
   6. What role, if any, has religion played in helping your community cope with conflict? Has religion played that role in your life?
2. How would you describe your own religious identification?
   1. Who do you look to for guidance on religious matters?
   2. Has a religious leader ever convinced you to change a belief or a behavior? If so, who was it and how did they change your mind?
   3. Which religious leaders outside of your own faith do you most respect?
3. What do you think about the involvement of Iraqi religious leaders in addressing violence?
   1. Under what circumstances do you support their involvement?
   2. Are there any conflicts in which you think religious leaders ought not intervene? Are there circumstances under which you think they have a moral obligation to intervene?
   3. How do you feel about the involvement of the leadership of religious minorities? How do other members of your community feel?
   4. Are there any religious leaders who are effectively helping victims of violence in the home? How do they provide their assistance?
4. In your opinion, is there trust between the religious establishment and the community? If not, what needs to be done to restore trust?
5. How do you understand national reconciliation? Have your religious leaders had a role in this process in the past? Do you see a role for religious actors in that process in the future?
6. Has the existence of Daesh affected the relationship among religious communities in your city?

### Demographics

1. City being described in interview
2. Religious identification
3. Ethnicity
4. Age
5. Education level
6. Profession
7. Gender