

GROUP INVENTORY - STONEWALL GROUP
NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS

DATE OF GROUP INVENTORY: FRIDAY, JUNE 19, 1992 @ 8:15 P.M.

The purpose of a group inventory is to evaluate how well we are fulfilling our primary purpose; to help addicts recover through N.A.'s twelve steps of recovery. This questionnaire, signed or unsigned, may be returned to your group's secretary or GSR at the next meeting. This questionnaire is designed to be used in a series of open discussion group conscience meetings on the important points listed below. Members may answer these questions with a Yes, or No, or Undecided (or Unsure); comments may be added as needed. It is suggested that you make your answers honestly, even if it hurts a little.

YOUR VIEW OF OUR GROUP

1. What is the basic purpose of the group?
2. Are our discussion meetings interesting and helpful?
3. Are our speaker meetings interesting and helpful?
4. Are our book/step/tradition meetings interesting and helpful?
5. Do we concentrate sufficiently on the Narcotics Anonymous program's ideas, purpose, principles and steps?
6. Do we encourage everyone to take part in our discussions and other group activities?
7. Do we make good use of NA literature, our Basic Text, and the "NA Way" for themes and subjects for our recovery meetings?
8. Do we use only World Service Conference approved NA literature?
9. Do we stick to the subject of our recovery meetings without wandering off on personal tangents?
10. Is the group attracting addicts from different background? Are we seeking a good cross-section of our community?
11. Do new members stick with us, or does the turnover seem excessive? If so, why? What can we do as a group?

12. Do we give newcomers sufficient individualized briefing?
13. Do we emphasize the importance of finding a sponsor? How effectively?
How can we do better?
14. Does every newcomer to our group have a sponsor?
15. Do we explain to all members the value to the group of keeping up with kitchen/housekeeping chores and other essential services that are part of our 12th. step efforts?
16. Are we doing all we can to provide an attractive meeting place?
17. Are we choosing our trusted servants with care, being mindful that holding office is a great responsibility not to be viewed as the outcome of a popularity contest?
18. Are we forming into cliches and/or being indifferent to other group members?
19. Does the group do it's fair share toward participating in the purpose of NA, as it relates to our four facets of God, Service, Society and Self?
20. What has the group done lately to bring the NA message to the attention of professionals in the community-the physicians, clergy, court officials, educators and others who are often the first to see the addict in need of help?
21. What more can our group do to carry the message?

YOUR PART IN OUR GROUP

1. Do I usually take part in our recovery meetings?
2. Do I usually just listen in our recovery meetings?
3. Do I listen carefully to the speakers, the chairperson, and other group members?

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4. Am I willing to interrupt, others when they are speaking, when they break a tradition? (Whether or not you are serving as chairperson)
5. Do I ever carry on a conversation while others are speaking?
6. Do I welcome and talk to newcomers when they first come to our meetings?
7. Do I help out at meetings (ie: setting up, cleaning up, and chairing meetings)?
8. Do I criticize or gossip about anyone in our group?
9. Am I careful to observe the anonymity of our group members and other addicts outside the meeting room?
10. Do I sponsor others in our group? If not, why?
11. Do I attend our group conscience/business meetings? If not, why?
12. Do I volunteer for, or willingly accept, a group trusted servant position? If not, why?
13. Is it difficult to realize that MY point of view may not always be the same as our group's conscience?
14. Would you like to see any changes to our "Chairperson's Meeting Agenda"?
15. Do you practice the 7th. tradition whenever possible?
16. Do you have any ideas for fundraisers?

OUR GROUP AND THE DALLAS AREA

1. What do I get from being involved with the Dallas Area?
2. Am I involved with any of the Dallas Area Service Subcommittees?

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3. Do I understand the NA Service Structure?
4. Do I attend Dallas Area Special Events?
5. Rate your understanding of the NA Traditions (0=No Understanding to 10=Thoroughly Understand):
6. Are you willing to speak at other groups in the Dallas Area? If not, why?

WHAT KEEPS YOU COMING BACK TO STONEWALL? PLEASE LIST THE POSITIVE ASSETS OF THE STONEWALL GROUP:

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS (ON ANY RECOVERY RELATED SUBJECT) OR QUESTIONS: please be honest!

SIGNED (OPTIONAL):