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Highlights from WSC 2023

- This was the first truly hybrid World Service Conference, with 39 participants joining virtually.
- A Vision for NA Service was revised, changing the phrase *his or her to their*.
- Virtual meetings were officially recognized as groups.
- The following Issue Discussion Topics were approved for the upcoming two years. Thank you to all who participated in the CAR survey.
 - » Dealing with disruptive and predatory behavior
 - » Gender-neutral and inclusive language in NA literature
 - » Reimagining and revitalizing service committees
 - » DRT/MAT as it relates to NA

...and much much more!!!



what can I do?

ways to get involved in the work

Unity Day 2023

2 September

NAWS event flyers will be posted here:
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Conference Participants web meeting

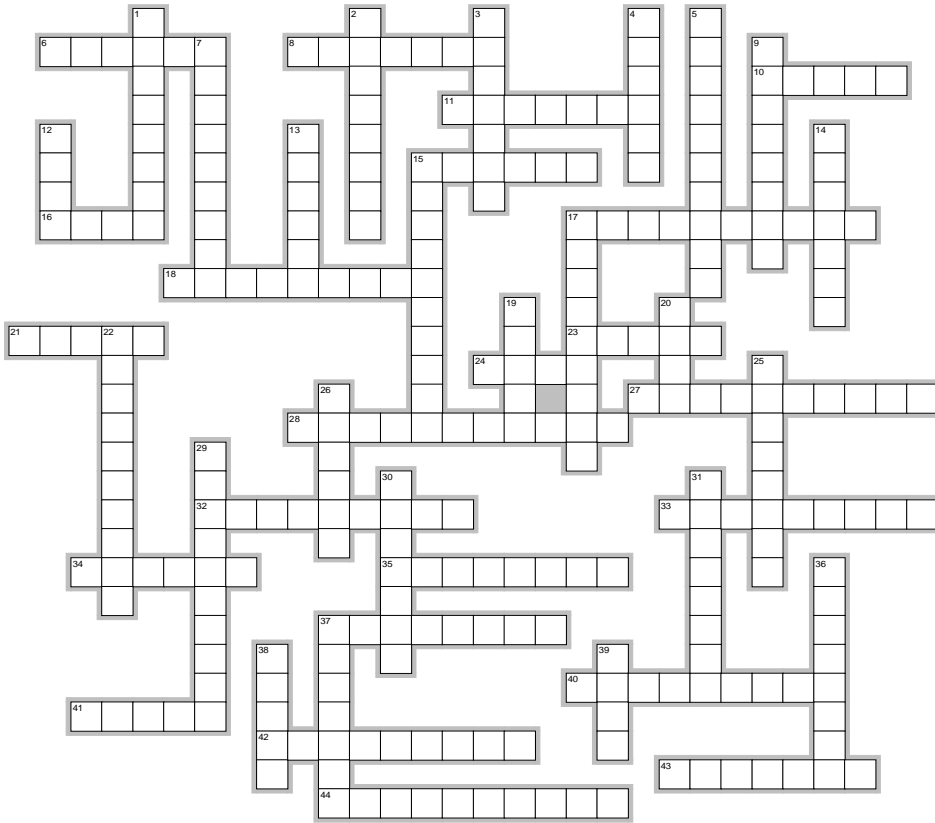
22 July

Dates for the cycle will be posted here as they are set: www.na.org/dates

Fliers from zonal, regional, and area events are posted here as we receive them: www.na.org/events

- The conference is going to try a 3 year cycle until 2029, with an interim virtual meeting mid-cycle. The CAR will be released 1 month earlier.
- **FIPT CHANGES**
The conference made several decisions related to the *Fellowship Intellectual Property Trust (FIPT)*. For the first time since it was created, the *FIPT* was revised, according to the Fellowship's conscience on *Conference Agenda Report, Motion #1*. Zonal delegates were added as decision makers in the *FIPT*, and the definition of recovery literature was clarified. Changes were also made to the Operational Rules; most notably, the inspection clause was revised so that only the WSC, on behalf of the Fellowship, can decide to undertake an inspection. The updated versions of the *FIPT* and *Intellectual Property Bulletin #1* can be found at www.na.org/fipt.
- The Next Conference Participant web meeting scheduled on July 22, 2023 will most likely be centered on small group discussion to frame the issue discussion topics.
- **Guide to World Service of NA (GWSNA) draft**
Is posted on the conference page for a 90-day delegate review. The World Board is looking for input from the delegates. After 90-day review period, they will incorporate any delegate input and post a final version. Because there will be an interim meeting mid-cycle, and the WSC has the ability to make decisions via epoll, the WB anticipates *GWSNA* may be revised again during the cycle, so they have included the month and year of the draft on the front page, and will do so on the cover when the draft is finalized.
- **Revised WSC Summary of Decisions**
Some errors were corrected in the WSC Summary of Decisions. The revised version is posted on: www.na.org/conference And at <https://worldna.org/results-and-summaries/>. The changes from the 1st draft are listed on the cover.
- **New NEZF motion to consider at AREAs**
That a position of fundraising/merchandise chairperson be created under the PR sub-committee. INTENT – to provide a single point of accountability to create fundraising opportunities through events and merchandise that will provide financial support for continued PR/outreach services. *If approved, this will help the ZONE be self-funded like other Zones around the world.* **Please vote on before next Region.**
- **Regional and Alt. Regional Delegate motion votes are needed back by next Region, please!! See Area RCM**

48 MUSTS OF THE BASIC TEXT



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Down

1. "We MUST _____ what was done to us from what we did to others." - pg. 37
2. "Our Sixth Tradition tells us some of the things we MUST do to _____ and protect our primary purpose." - pg. 66
3. "We MUST realize that we are not _____." - pg. 35
4. "We MUST carefully choose the _____ who is to hear our fifth step. We MUST make sure that they know what we are doing and why we are doing it." - pg. 31
5. It is said that for _____ to be of value, the results MUST show in our daily lives." - pg. 46
7. "We MUST totally _____ ourselves to the program." - pg. 81
9. "If we have _____, it is important to keep in mind that we MUST get back to meetings as soon as possible." - pg. 80.
12. "We MUST, use what we learn or we will lose it, no matter how _____ we have been clean." - pg. 82
13. "Our experience tells us that we MUST become willing _____ this step will have any effect." - pg. 36
14. "We MUST give up this old _____ and face the fact that reality and life go on, whether we choose to accept them or not." - pg. 53
15. "An _____ of recovery in our groups is one of the most valued assets, and we MUST guard it carefully, lest we lose it to politics and personalities." - pg. 61
17. "We are people with the disease of _____ who MUST abstain from all drugs in order to

recover." - pg. 18

19. "When we are prepared, we MUST try out our newly found way of life. We learn -the program won't work when we try to _____ it to our life. We MUST learn to _____ our life to the program." - pg. 55
20. "We MUST remember the _____ that they have known." - pg. 40
22. "A second admission MUST be made before our _____ is complete." pg. 21 Explanation: It is not enough to admit that we are powerless over drugs, we MUST also admit that our lives had become unmanageable.
25. "We MUST face our _____ and our feelings." - pg. 15
26. "Eventually we are shown that we MUST get _____ or we will use again." - pg. 82
29. "We MUST give freely and _____ that which has been freely and _____ given to us." - pg. 47
30. "Assets MUST also be considered, if we are to get an accurate and complete _____ of ourselves." - pg. 28
31. "We MUST live and work _____ as a group to ensure that in a storm our ship does not sink and our members do not perish." -pg.60
36. "We MUST smash the _____ that we can do it alone." - pg. 82
37. "We MUST relearn many things that we have forgotten and develop a new approach to life if we are to _____." - pg. 77
38. "Staying clean MUST always come _____." - pg. 82
39. "We MUST use what we learn or we will _____ it in a relapse." - pg. 81

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6. "Some things we MUST accept, _____ we can change." - pg. 92
8. "Everything that occurs in the course of N.A. _____ MUST be motivated by the desire to more successfully carry the message of recovery to the addict who still suffers." - pg. XVI
10. "We MUST be _____." - pg. 32
11. "We MUST remember that _____ have been placed in trust that we are trusted servants, and that at no time do any of us govern." - pg. 61
15. "Some things we MUST _____, others we can change." - pg. 92
16. "In order to receive we MUST be willing to _____." - pg. 102
17. "Our disease involved much more than just using drugs, so our recovery MUST involve much more than simple _____" - pg- 53
18. "No matter how painful life's _____ can be for us, one thing is clear we MUST not use no matter what!" -pg.98
21. "To improve ourselves takes effort and since there is no way in the world to _____ a new idea on a closed mind, an opening MUST be made somehow." - pg. 75
23. "Recovery found in Narcotics Anonymous MUST come from within, and no one stays _____ for anyone but themselves." - pg. 80
24. "We MUST be done with the _____ and not cling to it." - pg. 28
27. "When we feel the old urges come over us, we think there MUST be something wrong with us, and that other people in Narcotics Anonymous couldn't possibly _____" - pg. 79
28. "We MUST always remember that as individual members, groups, and service committees we are not and should never be in _____ with each other." pg. XVI
32. "Although He already knows, the _____ MUST come from our own lips to be truly effective. Step five is not simply a reading of step four. - pg. 31
33. "We realize we MUST do _____." - pg. 78
34. "We MUST first understand what N.A. is. Narcotics Anonymous is addicts who have the desire to stop using, and have _____ together to do so." - pg. 70
35. "As with each step we MUST, be _____ .. -pg. 38
37. "We never know when the time will come when we MUST put forth all the effort and _____ we have just to stay clean." - pg. 93
40. "We come here _____ and the power that we seek comes to us through other people in Narcotics Anonymous, but we MUST reach out for it." - pg. 79
41. "_____ is a MUST in Narcotics Anonymous." - pg. 60
42. "In order to achieve our _____ aim, Narcotics Anonymous MUST be known and respected." - pg. 71
43. "We MUST be _____ to do whatever is necessary to recover." - pg. 93
44. "We MUST be constantly on guard that our decisions are truly an _____ of God's will." - pg. 61

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Discuss at Area – Tell your RCM – we need the Good and the Bad