

# AWSC August 2016 AAPP Report

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## I. Annual Recertification

Ta Daaa!!! After countless hours and emails – we made the deadline

Area 09\_FLN Annual AMIAS Recertification AAPP x

Valerie S <valerie@al-anon.org> Jun 28 ☆

to me, delegate ▾

Hi Charon,

The WSO Group Records Department is confirming that the Florida North Area 2016 AMIAS Recertification is complete. The WSO thanks you for all of your hard work and your ongoing dedication to help making Alateen groups safe by keeping your Area Alateen records current.

With warm regards,

Valerie

Valerie S., WSO Group Records Coordinator  
Al-Anon Family Groups Headquarters, Inc.

*Thank you everybody*

While there were lots of questions about why all the recertification training was moved to the beginning of the year, there were markedly less repeat repeat questions about the content of the training, the forms, where and how to send them, etc.

I am sure we will continue to find that consolidating the trainings to before WSO's Annual Recertification Deadline

- makes it easier to find training
- has many more people all getting the same information
- and increases the opportunity for AMIAS to share their experience, strength and hope



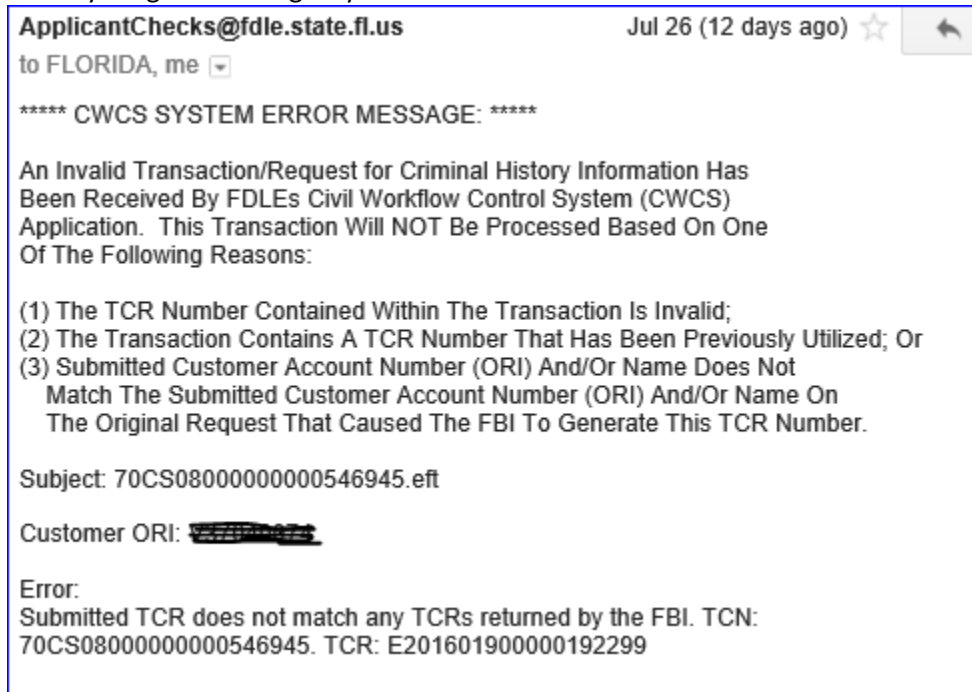
## II. Background Checks

**The Bad News - Mysteries Continue**

Please, do not forward or hand out the background check instructions

*It is important to let the AAPP request background checks so we can tell who is doing what and have contact info.*

Did someone in your District get a background check and wonder why they have not heard results? See anything in here to give you a clue about **who** tried to be checked? -- Nah? Me neither.



The Florida Department of Law Enforcement rightfully expects us to track who is using our Customer ORI code

***Help prevent needless mysteries:***

If a Certification Form had been sent in **first**, then I would know who was waiting for results and I could let them know there was a problem.

**The Good News – Price Drop**

Per the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, “Effective October 1, 2016, the cost of the national check portion of criminal history requests will be REDUCED from \$14.75 to \$12.00. For those organizations performing criminal history checks on VOLUNTEERS, through FDLE’s Volunteer and Employee Criminal History System (VECHS), the cost will be REDUCED from \$13.50 to \$10.75. These fee changes will impact all electronically submitted civil applicant fingerprint-based requests involving state and national criminal history checks.”

**III. WSO Online Records Changes**

From WSO

Due to the increasing number of newcomers and members reporting to the WSO that they went to an Alateen meeting and no one was there, a new status has been added to the WSO database: **“Reported not Meeting”**, so that the WSO does not continue to direct people to groups that are not meeting. The flagged meeting will be temporarily removed from the WSO toll-free information meeting line, and the Public Outreach Web site meeting search results, until the status of the meeting can be verified.

The WSO asks your assistance reminding members and groups in your Area to:

**Add signs inside buildings so the meeting can easily be found.**

**Leave a note on the door if the group is not meeting on a specific day.**

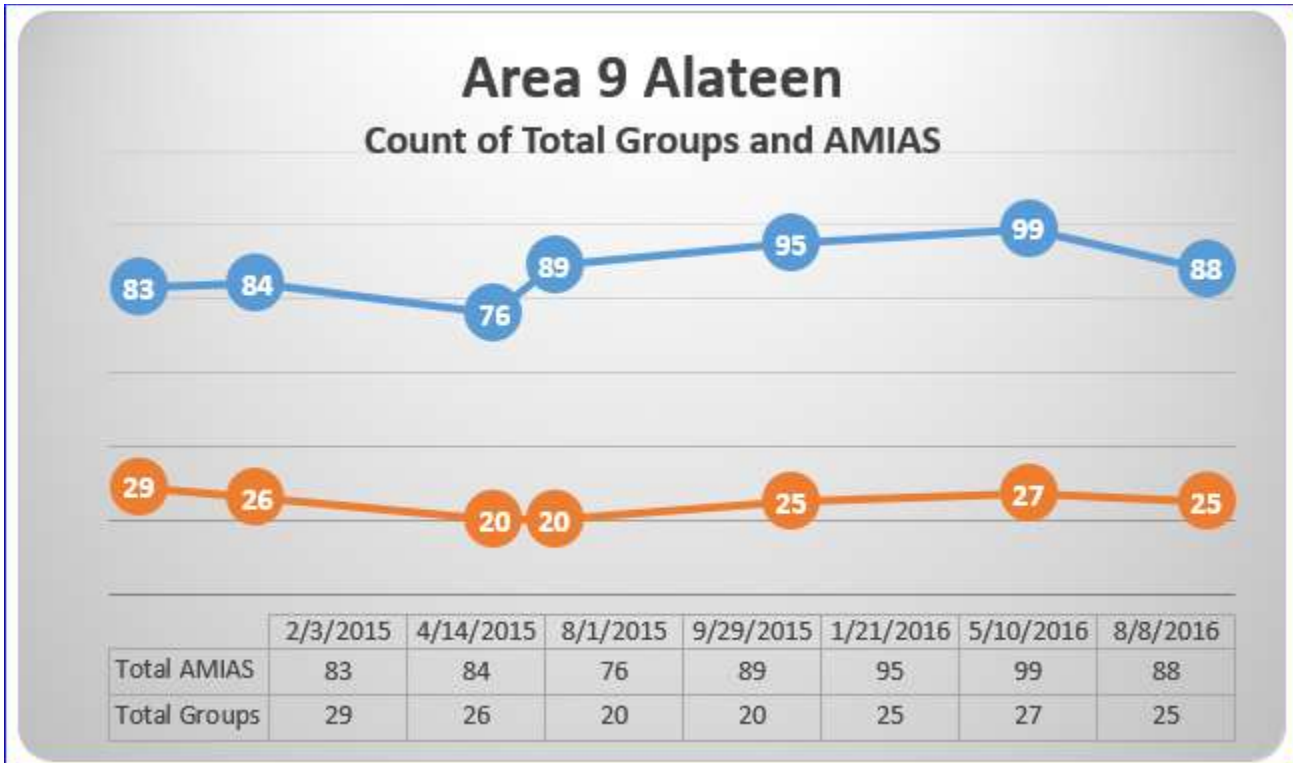
**Notify the Area when the meeting location changes or the group no longer meets.**

It is vital to provide accurate meeting information to anyone seeking Alateen's help.

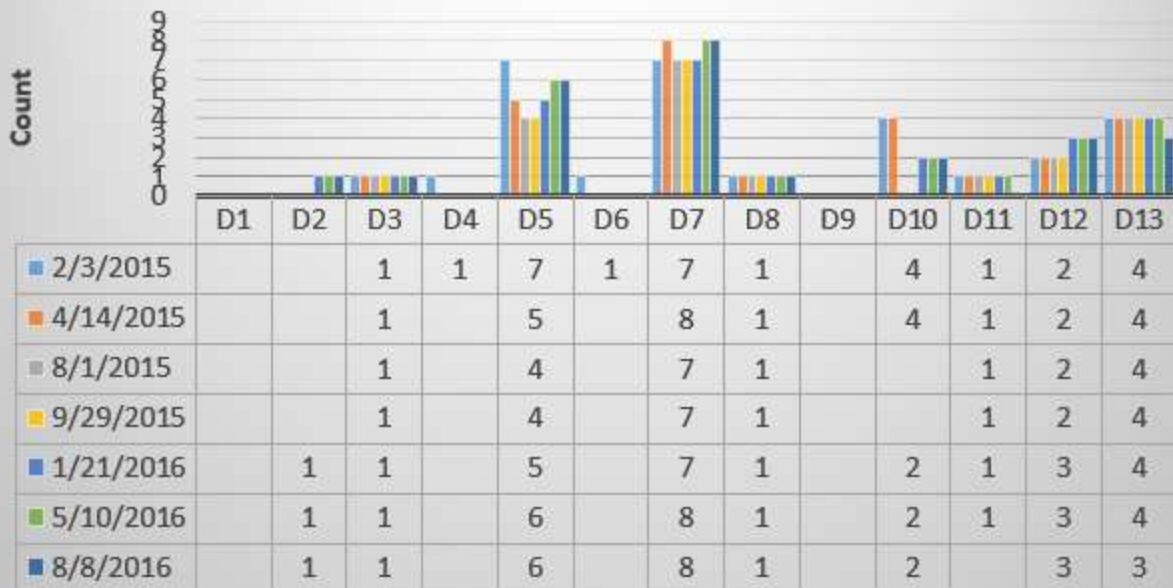
Also, the Online Records will soon let the AAPP add new groups without having to mail hard copies. *Wonderful!*

Last, AAPP can now edit **latitude and longitude** coordinates for meeting locations, so if you want something more specific than WSO calculated, just send me the numbers.

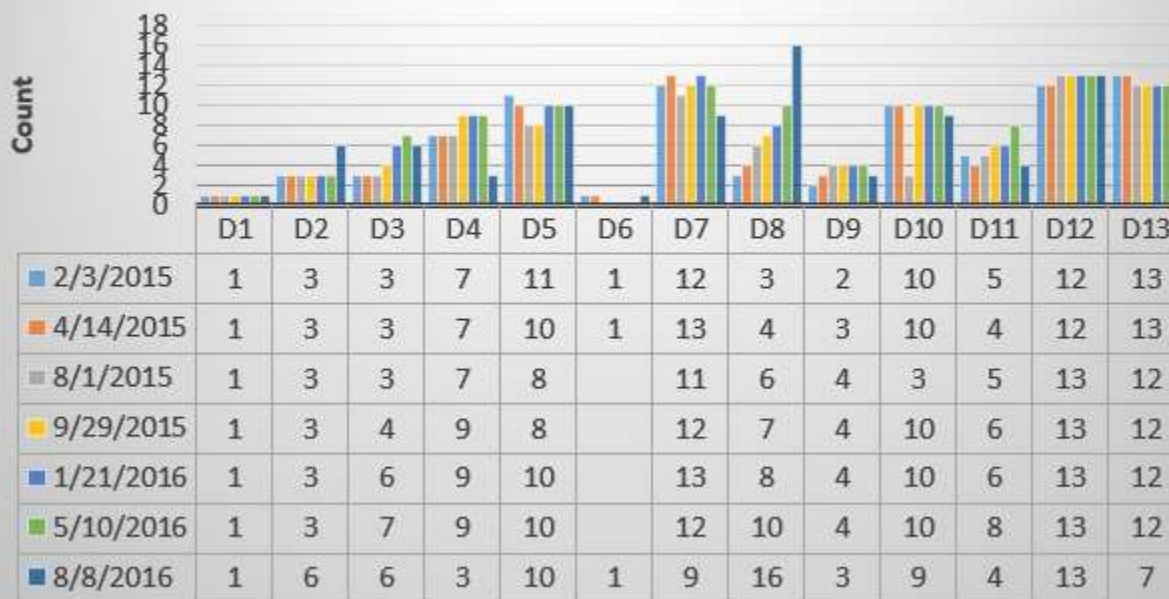
#### IV. Charts



## Count of Active Groups by District



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Group Overview

District	GroupID	GroupName	Alateen Age Range	Num Members	MeetingAddr1	MeetingCity	Meeting Latitude	Meeting Longitude
0002	66335	Super Alateen Dolphin Riders		5	Unity Of Gainesville	Gainesville	29.688803	-82.436228
0003	30533586	Orange Park Alateen	8-18	1	St Giles Presbyterian Church	Orange Park	30.146939	-81.761949
0005	30584111	A Step Forward Alateen		0	Weeki Wachee High School	Weeki Wachee	28.63447	-82.5228
0005	30522596	Alateen	13-18	8	Springstead High School	Brooksville	28.481478	-82.54355
0005	30565687	Alateen	14-18	7	Central High School	Brooksville	28.563164	-82.502295
0005	30661046	New Beginnings Alateen	15-18	5	Renaissance Center	Lecanto	28.819991	-82.491389
0005	30604707	Sunnyside To Recovery Alateen		14	Crystal River High School	Crystal River	28.90624	-82.58068
0005	30670880	You Are Not Alone Alateen	13-15	5	St Vincent Depaul Catholic Church	Holiday	28.187983	-82.733759
0007	30521486	Alateen	10-17	1	Oakhurst United Methodist Church	Seminole	27.84367	-82.82403
0007	30616780	Beacon Of Hope Alateen	13-16	3	Christ Lutheran Church	Saint Petersburg	27.79917	-82.680329
0007	30671151	Eleven And Eleven Alateen	11-18	5	St Catherine Of Siena Church	Clearwater	27.925365	-82.74593
0007	501925	Grateful Alateens	12-15	12	Meadowlawn Middle School	Saint Petersburg	27.825951	-82.655016
0007	501924	Northeast Teens For Hope		10	Northeast High School	Saint Petersburg	27.82203	-82.65501
0007	501921	Palm Harbor - Dunedin Alateen Group	12-20	8	St Mark Lutheran Church	Dunedin	28.04886	-82.77655
0007	30652819	Safe Haven Alateen	15-17	5	Dixie Hollins High School	Saint Petersburg		
0007	30511509	St Petersburg Serenity Alateen	14-17	10	St Petersburg High School	Saint Petersburg	27.77746	-82.6672
0008	63253	Cope With Hope Alateen	10-16	8	Grace Lutheran Church	Tampa	28.040127	-82.503916
0010	502763	Courage To Be Me Alateen	15-17	8	Olympia High School	Orlando	28.500376	-81.508484
0010	502075	Hope For Serenity Alateen	9-18	10	Life Source Church	Orlando	28.512867	-81.185448
0012	30532163	Alateen	10-16	7	Christ Episcopal Church	Bradenton		
0012	30663873	Alateen		0	Booker High School	Sarasota	27.36382	-82.53846
0012	50219	Together We Can Make It Alateen	10-18	10	Woodland Community Church	Bradenton	27.437374	-82.446051
0013	66145	Life Line Alateen	14-18	12	Lemon Bay High School	Englewood	26.926392	-82.333754
0013	30519370	Step In The Right Direction Alateen	9-14	4	St Marks Church	Venice	27.091723	-82.44662
0013	67096	Venice High School Alateen	15-18	14	Venice High School	Venice	27.09415	-82.44433

## V. Excerpt from North Florida Area Service Job Descriptions: AAPP

The Alateen Coordinator in coordination with the AAPP develops the AMIAS Requirements' Training.

If the Requirements need to be changed, the AAPP with the Alateen Coordinator co-chairs a Task Force to address these changes, and when completed, submits that information to the AWSC.

The AAPP and the Alateen Coordinator facilitate the District "Train the Trainer" sessions.

