



**Delegate's Report**  
**Florida North Area - Panel 61**  
**2022 August AWSC**  
**August 5-7, 2022**

**Enhancing Our Recovery through Abundance, Unity, and Understanding**  
**Enriquecer nuestra recuperación a través de la abundancia, unidad y comprensión**  
**Enrichir notre rétablissement par l'abondance, l'unité et la compréhension**

As we get ready for our last 2022 in-person AWSC, I am reflecting on my path of serving Al-Anon as the Area Delegate for a year and a half. The experience has shown me that overcoming my fears has given me the path to my recovery, which is still a work in progress. I still have another year and a half to serve my Area, so I am very excited to continue learning by sharing experience, strength and hope with other Al-Anon members.

After our fantastic June Assembly, there is not much new information, so some of the items you will see in this report will be a follow-up of what was presented during the Assembly.

Every day brings an opportunity to learn and to grow as a spiritual being.

**[2023 Al-Anon International Convention - Albuquerque, New Mexico](#)**

Registration will begin on November 1, 2022



**See you next year in**  
**Albuquerque, New Mexico!**

**[Donations to the World Service Office \(WSO\)](#)**

**2022 Budget Report** Please keep in mind the Budget deficit reported by the Treasurer. The WSO projects a budget deficit of \$353,114. Total Estimated Revenue \$5,460,061. Total Estimated Expense \$5,813,175. Consistent contributions are still needed to maintain consistent revenue and thus services in 2022. Literature sales are projected to remain below historic levels as groups begin to return to a physical meeting format. The Treasurer sent out a special appeal letter, which is posted on the Delegate's page, *El Gazette Online*. Please donate!!

**[2023 World Service Conference](#)**

The dates selected for the 2023 World Service Conference are Thursday, April 20 through Sunday, April 23, 2023. Delegates are scheduled to arrive on Wednesday, April 19, and depart on Monday, April 24. The Conference will be held at The Founders Inn, Virginia Beach, VA, and the field trip will be a visit to the World Service Office.

# World Service Conference Structure Graphic (New)

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Members in a group elect a **Group Representative (GR)**.



The **GR** is the liaison between the group and the District and the group and the Area Assembly.



The **GRs** in a District elect a **District Representative (DR)**.



The **DR** represents the District's groups at Area World Service Committee (AWSC) meetings.



The AWSC consists of Assembly Officers, which includes the Chairperson, Delegate, Alternate Delegate, Treasurer, and Secretary; **DRs**; Coordinators (such as Alateen Coordinator and Literature Coordinator); and liaison members (such as Al-Anon Information Service Liaison).



The **GR** attends the Area Assembly to elect the **Area Delegate**, hear reports, and participate in Area service projects.



The **Area Delegate** attends the annual World Service Conference (WSC) and is the link between the groups and the WSC and the groups and the World Service Office (WSO).



The composition of the WSC includes the Area Delegates, Volunteer members of the Board of Trustees and the Executive Committee, and voting members of the WSO administrative Staff.

**Ultimate Authority**

**Delegated Responsibility**

## [Regional Committee on Trustees \(RCT\) Training Session](#)

During August I will be attending as your Delegate the RCT Training Session that will take place via WebEx. The Training Session will be held to inform RCTs of the upcoming nominating process. Each RCT will consist of all the Area Delegates from within the Region. Resumes are due to the WSO on August 15.

## [Literature Price Increase](#)

This information was received via email from the WSO. Please pass this information to your groups and other AI-Anon members.

*After much reflection, the World Service Office (WSO) Finance Committee made the difficult decision, with Executive Committee approval, to increase prices on some literature, effective Monday, August 1, 2022.*

*Literature prices have not been raised since 2013, even though the cost of paper has increased significantly over that time, even more so since the pandemic. The new prices are necessary to defray these increased costs so that the WSO can remain self-supporting. Thank you for your understanding as we continue to navigate these challenging times.*

*Chris Baker, Meeting & Travel Planner*

## [World Service Conference Summary Archives](#)

All the WSC Summaries are posted on the WSO website. The first Conference took place in 1961, Panel 1. You are all invited to visit this webpage and read any of those summaries. They are a great source of information on the history of AI-Anon. Here is the link:

[WSC Summary Archive - AI-Anon Family Groups](#)



**Thanks for letting me serve as your Delegate... see you soon at our 2022 August AWSC!**

*Evelyn T.*



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***"Talk to each other, reason things out. Keep it simple."***

***"Panel 61 Delegate's Slogan: The Legacies live on"***