



Northeast Freedom Area H&I Subcommittee Minutes
from Wednesday, January 3rd 2018 at 7:00pm
Jerusalem Evangelical Lutheran Church
4605 Belair Rd (Belair/Moravia intersection)
Baltimore, MD 21206
Ronald K., H and I Chairperson (301) 237-0258

**** (Our subcommittee meets monthly on the first Wednesday of every month) ****

We are currently taking 44 H&I meetings (total) into 6 overall facilities, per month.

Ronald K. opened the meeting at 7:00 pm with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer.

The Traditions, Concepts, Do's and Don'ts were read

CURRENT MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:

Ronald K. (Chair) ✓	Vacant. (Literature)	Ashley B.
Alton H.	Sam S.	Jenny L. ✓
Shane M.	Kate S.	Katie F.
Garry C. ✓	Rick S. ✓	
Suzanne B. ✓	Seth E. ✓	

OTHERS:

Alicia W.

(In addition to members of the subcommittee in attendance, 1 new volunteer(s) came to be voted in. All of these new members were assigned to a facility by the end of the meeting and are ready to begin service work through H&I.)

OLD BUSINESS:

(NO OLD BUSINESS)

(OVER →)

NEW BUSINESS:

1. Developed a process to let addicts know when they were cleared to take meetings into jails.
2. Discussed passing out flyers at area to be distributed at meeting. The BCDC clearance forms would also accompany the flyers.

- **NEED TO FILL THESE OPENINGS:**

- Literature Coordinator
- Panel Coordinator: Wednesday night @ Men's Jail in Towson (7:30pm – 8:30pm)
- Panel Coordinator: Wednesday night @ John Hopkins Meyers (8pm – 9pm)
- 1st Wednesday of the month @ Men's Jail in Towson (8pm – 9pm)
- 5th Wednesday of the month @ Men's Jail in Towson (8pm – 9pm)
- 1st Wednesday of month @ Women's Jail in Towson (7pm-8pm)
- 3rd Wednesday of month @ Women's Jail in Towson (7pm-8pm)
- 4th Wednesday of month @ Women's Jail in Towson (7pm-8pm)
- 1st Thursday of month @ Men's Jail in Towson (8pm – 9pm)
- 3rd Thursday of month @ Men's Jail in Towson (8pm – 9pm)
- 4th Thursday of month @ Men's Jail in Towson (8pm-9pm)
- 5th Thursday of month @ Men's Jail in Towson (8pm – 9pm)

- **Filled/voted in people for these openings:**

The Northeast Freedom Area H&I Subcommittee is always in need of volunteers as we are constantly expanding and filling requests for meetings to be taken into hospitals and institutions throughout our area. We ask that everyone here please relay this plea to your home groups and other meetings that you attend. Remember that “We can only keep what we have by giving it away”! There are countless suffering addicts who need to hear the NA message of experience, strength and hope.

With 90 days clean time, a member of NA can go into most of the facilities that we currently serve. Anyone who wants to go into the jails has to fill out a form to be cleared and has to be off of probation for at least three years. WE ARE ASKING PEOPLE TO HELP BY “GIVING IT BACK”!!!

We highly encourage anyone who is unable to take on a commitment as a panel leader to please consider going in as a speaker to any of our (non-DOC) facilities.

If you are interested in H&I service work or want to learn more about what the H&I subcommittee does, please join us on Wednesday, February 7, 2018 at our subcommittee meeting (held at 7:00pm on the first Wednesday of every month).

Thanks to all of our panel coordinators, panel leaders and speakers for their invaluable service.

Respectfully submitted to the Northeast Freedom Area Service meeting on January 24, 2018.

Chair, NEFA H&I