

# Northeast Freedom Area H&I Subcommittee Minutes from Wednesday, November 5<sup>th</sup> 2011 at 7:00pm Jerusalem Evangelical Lutheran Church 4605 Belair Rd (Belair/Moravia intersection) Baltimore, MD 21206

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

We are currently taking 66 H&I meetings (total) into 12 overall facilities, per month.

Sandy R. opened the meeting at 7:01 pm with a moment of silence followed by the Serenity Prayer

Gary C. read "Do's"

Chris W. read "Don't's"

Brian B. read "Concepts"

## **CURRENT MEMBERS IN ATTENDANCE:**

Sandy R. (Chair: 410-977-8783)  $\sqrt{\phantom{0}}$  Brad C. (Vice-chair)  $\sqrt{\phantom{0}}$  Suzanne B. (Secretary)  $\sqrt{\phantom{0}}$ 

Mike C. (Literature) Brandy S. (Asst Lit.) Mike W.

Debbie N. Stan D.  $\sqrt{\phantom{a}}$  Floodsy P.  $\sqrt{\phantom{a}}$ 

Gary C. √

Others: Brian B.  $\sqrt{}$  Chris W.  $\sqrt{}$ 

(In addition to members of the subcommittee in attendance,  $\underline{2}$  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)

# NEED TO FILL THESE OPENINGS:

- o 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month @ Ravenwood (7pm 8pm)
- 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the month @ Ravenwood (7pm 8pm)
- o 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday of the month @ Ravenwood (7pm 8pm)
- o 5<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month @ Ravenwood (7pm 8pm)
- o  $2^{nd}$  Monday of the month @ Gaudenzia [ $\circlearrowleft$ ] (7:30pm 8:30pm)
- o 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the month @ Gaudenzia [♂] (7:30pm 8:30pm)
- o 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of month @ Balt.Co.DetentionCtr.-Gen.Pop. (8pm 9pm)
- o 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday of month @ Balt.Co.DetentionCtr.-Gen.Pop. (8pm 9pm)
- o 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month @ Gaudenzia [ $\stackrel{\frown}{\downarrow}$ ] (6:30pm 7:30pm)

### • Filled/voted in people for these openings:

- o Gary C.: 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of month @ Balt.Co.DetentionCtr.-Gen.Pop. (8pm 9pm)
- o Jimbo H.: 2<sup>nd</sup> Thurs of month @ Balto. Co. Detention Ctr. (7:30pm-8:30pm)
- o Rob J.: 4<sup>th</sup> Thurs of month @ Balto. Co. Detention Ctr. (7:30pm-8:30pm)
- o Butch W.: 1<sup>st</sup> Fri the month @ Gaudenzia (7:30pm 8:30pm)
- o RJ: 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month @ Gaudenzia [♂] (6:30pm 7:30pm)
- o Suzanne B.: Panel Coordinator for Gaudenzia (Sundays [♀] 6:30pm 7:30pm)
- o Chris W.: 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month @ Sheppard Pratt (8pm-9pm)

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 an observer or guest 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, <u>December 7<sup>th</sup></u> 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 November 30<sup>th</sup> 2011.