PROPOSED CHOSEN AGENDA TOPICS - Feb. 2023 AWSC

1. Necessity of personal contact in Al-Anon *(AWSC voted on 2/12/23 to submit to the 2023 WSC)*

How essential is in-person contact to the survival of Al-Anon and to recovery from the family disease of alcoholism.? I see personal recovery being impacted and certain aspects missing now. Al-Anon is a spiritual program. As we emerge from the pandemic, will the program have a strong enough impact to give help and hope to those impacted by the family disease of alcoholism? (Lori F., Delegate)

2. Other "Substances Issues," e.g. Referring To Nar-Anon.

Our practices referring to Nar-Anon have unexplored issues and consequences. Some of the issues involve inconsistency between Traditions and harm. Lois Wilson pleaded that Al-Anon continue to evolve the use of our principles, and that stagnation is regression. For 70 years we, as a fellowship, have not evolved adequately in dealing with family members of those with other drug problems. We have stagnated, and as Lois warned against, stagnated. (Robert G., DR29)

3. Carrying a clear and concise Al-Anon message to Al-Anon members who are newly recovering in Alcoholics Anonymous. *(AWSC voted on 2/12/23 to submit to the 2023 WSC)*

Do we eagerly jump at the chance to help newly sober alcoholics, who are members of AA that join Al-Anon, possibly enabling them to concentrate their recovery effort in the Al-Anon program before they have solidly tackled their problem of alcoholism in AA? This concerns me for the sake of the recovering Alcoholic as well as the Al-Anon members involved. How does this relate to Tradition four in regards to matters affecting AA as a whole? (Lori F., Delegate)

4. Making available consistent software for all service arms to utilize - letting each arm decide whether they want to participate.

I think this is important as we move forward in the outside world, wanting to get younger generations involved in Al-Anon (this is their language), Newcomer's, no matter where they are in technology, will be able to navigate all the different websites more easily when consistency in technology is available., leaving room for each arm to decide if this is something they want to do, possibly even saving money. (Sheryl E., DR4)