

Area Coordinator - Public Outreach (“PO”)

September was National Recovery Month. What did you do to promote recovery in Al-Anon Family Groups? Fun facts: National Recovery Month was started in 1989 as national observance to promote and support recovery practices. The official color of recovery month is PURPLE. If you missed it, no worries, you can promote recovery any time throughout the year!

PO Resources & Tools:

Newcomer packets available for purchase: ecommm.al-anon.org/en

1. Al-Anon Newcomer Packet (K-10)
2. Welcome Newcomer! (eK-10)
3. Alateen Newcomer Packet (K-18)
4. Adult Children of Alcoholics Newcomer Packet (K-21)
5. Men's Newcomer Packet (K-23)
6. Parents' Newcomer Packet (K-24)
7. Professional Packet (K-30)

Ideal handouts for professionals and facilities*

1. What Happens After Treatment? (P81)
2. Living in a Shelter? (P82)
3. Doubting Your Sanity? (P89)
4. Alcoholics, Their Families, and the Judicial System (S65)

Al-Anon "welcome series"

1. Al-Anon Welcomes Native Americans/Aboriginals, (S67)
2. Al-Anon Welcomes All People of Color (S68)
3. Al-Anon Welcomes Adult Children of Alcoholics (S69)

The Membership Surveys are a great tool. <https://al-anon.org/for-members/wso/research-and-surveys/>

The 2024 Membership Survey is closed. I will share when the results are in!

Yours in Service,

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