



POLICY GUIDE'S

AA Guidelines and Policies are compiled from the shared experience of AA members throughout the U.S. and Canada. They also reflect guidance given through the Twelve Traditions and the General Service Conference. In keeping with our tradition of autonomy except in matters affecting other Groups or AA as a whole, most decisions are made by the group conscience of the members involved. The purpose of these Guidelines and Policies is to assist in reaching an informed group conscience.

CCFAA WEBSITE EDITORIAL POLICY

1. Guidelines for Website content and policy are provided by the General Service Office www.aa.org and suggest that we follow the Traditions and the Group conscience. The editorial philosophy for the CCFAA Website is based on that guidance, the Twelve Traditions and the Twelve Concepts. We are mindful that our site is broadcast to the world, not just our local fellowship as with the newsletter, *By The Way*.
2. It is Central California Fellowship Website Editorial Policy that:
 - a. The site will not contain links to any other site unless it is one that is approved by the Office Manager.
 - b. Names, phone numbers or addresses of fellowship members are not to be posted on the site.
 - c. The Website will post only AA and Intergroup activities.
 - d. Copyright credit will be given to General Service/Grapevine as appropriate.
 - e. The site will not be used for personal purposes.
3. The Webmaster may make changes to the site in order to keep it current, but substantial changes in design or content must be approved by the Office Manager. "Substantial" is meant to include changes in overall Website design, major additions or deletions of the website.
4. Site content will not be a statement of AA policy or AA as a whole. The content is provided solely by the Central California Fellowship (content may include other sources such as excerpts from conference approved literature, links to other websites, flyers from individual groups, etc.). The Office Manager is ultimately responsible for website content and ensuring that the Website Editorial Policy is followed.

WEBSITE PURPOSE

1. To serve as an internet based information resource for still suffering alcoholics, AA members, professionals working with alcoholics, the media and the public at large.
2. To provide a searchable meeting directory for AA meetings in the Greater Sacramento Area.
3. To provide information to the still suffering alcoholic about AA, the nature of alcoholism and AA contact information.
4. To provide detailed information regarding the activities of AA and CCFAA in the Greater Sacramento Area and links to broader information about AA as a whole.
5. To provide information on service opportunities and encourage volunteerism.
6. To provide information about the purpose and activities of the CCFAA Delegate Body.
7. To provide an online bookstore and accept donations from AA members.
8. To provide the online privacy policy.