

1. What is the basic purpose of the Area? Area Committee? Area Assembly? Are we fulfilling these purposes?
2. What has the Area done lately to bring the A.A. message to the attention of physicians, judges, members of the clergy, and others who can be helpful in reaching those in need of A.A.?
3. Is Area service attracting only a certain kind of alcoholic, or are we getting a good cross section of A.A members into service?
4. Are we forming into cliques and being indifferent to some Group Service Representatives and District Committee Members?
5. Is turnover of service positions excessive or do new DCMs and GSRs stay with us?
6. Has enough effort been made to explain the need and value of unity (12 Traditions) and service (12 Concepts)?
7. Is adequate opportunity given to all members to speak and participate in Assembly activities and arrive at the actual voice and effective conscience for our whole Area?
8. Are officers (Group, District, and Area) picked with care and consideration on the basis that service is a great responsibility and opportunity for Twelfth-Step work, or are personalities put before principles?
9. Have we defined well the scope of authority and service responsibility of our Area Committee officers, by specific job descriptions or guidelines?
10. Are the issues brought to the Assembly made clear so all know what they are voting for or against?
11. Are all important decisions reached by discussion, vote, and whenever possible, substantial unanimity?
12. How do we treat the "Right of Appeal", thus assuring that minority opinion will be heard and that petitions for the redress of personal grievances will be carefully considered?
13. Are the assembly sites located fairly to give all A.A.'s a chance to see Area service in action?
14. Are we "self-supporting through our Area contributions" in covering expenses for service in the Area? Do we have sufficient operating funds and operate on a prudent financial principle?
15. What more can the Area do to carry the message?