



Treatment and Accessibilities Sub-Committee Report

E.P.G.S.A Panel 71

March 14, 2021

Area Quarterly Meeting, 2Q21

Committee Members-

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Taking into consideration the Delegates recommendations for the Treatment and Accessibilities sub-committee for panel 71, we have decided to focus on BTG related items for first year of panel. We met as a committee 3 times on zoom. Communicated by email and phone. Dave L. presented for the SEPIA Share a Day on Sunday February 21st, 2021. These are the following recommendations we have been and will continue to work on.

1. Meet regularly with Corrections sub-committee and BTG coordinator.

Melissa (Corrections Chair), Ralph (BTG), Pete (Advisor) and I met on zoom to discuss BTG and plan on working together in the future.

2. Familiarize yourselves with Area BTG resources and suggest edits to the BTG coordinator.

We received and distributed a digital BTG workbook to all sub-committee members. Met with Ralph (BTG) multiple times on zoom, by phone and email to discuss BTG and how to go about localizing pamphlets per District/Area. How to develop a sustainable BTG program in Area 59.

3. Consider holding a workshop during the panel in collaboration with corrections sub-committee and BTG coordinator to discuss issues around twelve step work in area 59.

We held a workshop on the three steps of BTG in collaboration with BTG coordinator Ralph O. on February 13th, 2021 via zoom. It was designed to inform Area 59 about Bridging the Gap and how the program works in other Areas and how it's a valuable resource to conduct twelve step work. We also plan on working closely with Ralph on a workshop on BTG in May.



- 4. Develop a presentation for in person and digital use to encourage Districts and Intergroups in formation of Bridging the Gap programs and participation in Area efforts.**

We as a sub-committee plan on working with Corrections sub-committee members to develop a presentation to deliver to all district meetings starting in April. The presentation will be designed to help Area 59 members to better understand BTG and how to present to facilities.

Zoom log

- **12-27-20** First TF zoom meeting, Melissa volunteered to be secretary.
- **1-2-21** Area 11 BTG workshop on Zoom
- **1-7-21** BTG discussion with Ralph and Pete
- **1-24-21** Second TF zoom meeting, discussed BTG digital workbook
- **2-7-21** Third TF Zoom meeting, BTG workshop and Share a day
- **2-13-21** Participated in Area 59 BTG workshop