

Annual Report of the Alternate Delegate E.P.G.S.A. Area 59 Panel 73 Year 1 - 2023

As an Alternate Delegate, my duties include, first and foremost, keeping abreast of the activities and developments of the G.S.O. in order to be of the utmost assistance to our Delegate. Attending the monthly online meeting of the Northeast Regional Delegates and reading all the papers helps me accomplish that goal. To further enhance my preparation, I attend the monthly online meeting of the North American Alternative Delegates, as well as the bi-weekly online meeting of the Northeast Region Alternative Delegates, as often as possible.

Attending digital Alternate Delegate meetings offers insight into how other areas conduct their business, which can help improve Area 59's business practices. Several areas are leading the way with digital technologies, which is clearly the future of A.A. Sharing where the procedures work and where the difficulties lie will help us all better navigate this new frontier.

My responsibilities at Area 59 include advising the Corrections and Treatment and Accessibility Subcommittees. I am also available to help DCMs navigate area resources on those committees.

I am also the Area Liaison for Intergroups at Area 59. It is rewarding to be familiar with our 9 geographic and area wide Spanish Intergroups. Every year we have the SEPIA/Area 59 Share a Day. This year we also had a Share a Day of Spanish Groups/YPAA/Area 59. Next year we hope to revise the practice of having a joint Intergroup/Area 59 Share a Day with other eastern Pennsylvania Intergroups.

My duties at the annual convention include coordinating all volunteers and assigning the positions of registration assistance, greeters, and hospitality staff. About 100 volunteers help make our annual convention a success. It is a pleasure to work with such great service minded members of Area 59.

It is an honor to be a part of the General Service. Thank you for trusting me to be your Alternate Delegate for Panel 73.

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