

# Treatment Informational Pamphlet



HMB Area 48  
Hudson-Mohawk-  
Berkshire

## *Treatment Committee Mission Statement*

1. To support the districts in Area 48 in their mission to carry the message of Alcoholics Anonymous in a consistent manner to as many alcoholics in as many institutions within the districts as possible.
2. To conduct open dialogue with accurate and timely information between this committee and the groups it serves.
3. To provide educational materials, programs, and training to support the districts in carrying the message *within our AA Traditions*.

## *Treatment Facilities Served by Area 48*

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- ❖ *Over 40 facilities are served by HMB Area 48*
- ❖ *Types of facilities served-*
  - *Detox programs*
  - *30-day rehabs*
  - *Adult long-term residences*
  - *Adolescent long-term residences*
  - *Outpatient programs*
- ❖ *On a monthly basis, over 230 treatment meetings are supported by the districts in HMB Area 48*

## *HMB Area 48 Treatment Committee*

1. Includes district treatment chairpersons, interested AA members who wish to participate, and the Treatment Committee Chairperson.
2. Much of the treatment work in Area 48 is carried out at the district level by district treatment committees.
3. For many districts, AA members and AA groups sponsor meetings in treatment facilities, bringing in speakers to share their experience, strength and hope.
4. Meeting sponsors when possible mention the “Bridging the Gap” program, and offer the opportunity to fill out the form.

## *How You Can Help!*

1. *Donate*
  - Old Grapevine magazines
  - AA pamphlets/Books
2. *Volunteer to Speak*
  - Share your experience, strength, and hope.
  - Great way to celebrate your anniversary month
  - Great experience to undertake with a friend, sponsor, or sponsee.
  - Did you know the surest way to maintain your sobriety is to carry the message to others?
3. *Sponsor a Meeting*
  - Support your local district as an AA member or AA group by sponsoring a meeting at a treatment facility.



## *To Find Out More Information-*

1. About current openings for an AA member or AA group to sponsor a meeting.
2. On signing up to be a speaker at a treatment facility.

Contact your local district treatment chairperson, or email the Area 48 Treatment Committee Chairperson at ***treatment@aaahmbny.org***