

## WHAT'S HAPPENING IN NA WORLD SERVICES THAT YOU MAY WANT TO KNOW...

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- ✦ *Guiding Principles: The Spirit of Our Traditions*, is available for purchase in both hardcover and softcover, and as a hand-numbered limited edition at [www.na.org](http://www.na.org). We also have available a set of twelve bookmarks with artwork from *Guiding Principles*.
- ✦ *A Guide to World Services in NA*: the updated *GWSNA* is available online here [www.na.org/hand-books](http://www.na.org/hand-books) and hard copies have been mailed to all Conference participants. New delegates and alternates are encouraged to update their contact information with us by emailing [elaine@na.org](mailto:elaine@na.org).
- ✦ 2016–2018 NAWS Workplan project updates:

  - The deadline for input to help frame project plans for both an IP on mental health/mental illness and a new daily meditation book passed on 1 June. Reports about the input gathered will be provided in future issues of *NAWS News*. More about these projects can be found online here [www.na.org/mhmi](http://www.na.org/mhmi) and here [www.na.org/meditationbook](http://www.na.org/meditationbook).
  - Local Service Toolbox Project: More information about this project, including a draft of CBDM Basics and a form for providing input by 5 July 2017, can be found online here [www.na.org/toolbox](http://www.na.org/toolbox). Web meetings to discuss the draft will be held on 17 and 20 June, 2017. Email [toolbox@na.org](mailto:toolbox@na.org) to receive details of upcoming meetings. The next tool to be developed will be aimed at members serving in rural and isolated communities.
  - Convention and Events Toolbox Project: More information about this project, including a draft of a program tool and a form for providing input by 15 June 2017, can be found online here [www.na.org/conventions](http://www.na.org/conventions).
  - Future of the WSC Project: Discussions this cycle are focusing on WSC processes, use of the time in between Conferences, and the future of seating. The February and May 2017 reports and other resources can be found online here [www.na.org/future](http://www.na.org/future).
  - A virtual Seating Workgroup has been formed again this cycle. The results of their work, along with the World Board's recommendations on the regions applying for seating at WSC 2018, will be published as part of the January 2018 Conference Approval Track material.
  - Collaboration in Service Project: the deadline for regional delegates to submit input to the NAWS Strategic Planning process as part of the environmental scan passed on 30 April 2017. Reports about the input gathered will be provided in future issues of *NAWS News*.
  - Delegates Sharing Workgroup: This workgroup has met three times and is developing a survey to gather ideas for WSC 2018. Delegates are also welcome to share any ideas by emailing [delegatessharing@na.org](mailto:delegatessharing@na.org).
  - Issue Discussion Topics: Material for this cycle's IDTs is available online at [www.na.org/idt](http://www.na.org/idt).
- ✦ Financials: NAWS finances remain stable and we are grateful to have received over \$1,000,000 in Fellowship contributions for the second year running. We are aiming to have the new accounting system and shopping cart online by the end of this year.

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