



**September 2018**

## **Monthly Feature**

### **2019 ABC Call for Proposals**

Each year the Annual Business Conference (ABC) is held for ACA World Service in April. All registered groups within the fellowship are given the opportunity to present proposals that may then be considered for inclusion on the ABC Agenda.

If your group did not receive an email announcing the Call for Proposals, your contact information should be corrected on the WSO website. This will help ensure the group contact receives all future ACA announcements.

Then be sure to let your group know that all pertinent information about the Proposal process can be found at <https://acawso.org/category/ballot-prep/> --- note that the deadline for proposals is November 30th.

## **WSO News**

### **Service Positions on ACA Nominating Committee**

The ACA Nominating Committee offers a unique new opportunity for ACA service. Become part of the team that is defining, implementing and sustaining a new process for selecting WSO trusted servants. See the [Nominating Committee Page](#) for more information and how to apply. If you're not ready yet, this information will give you the path to follow for future

service in this committee.

### **Addressing Predatory Behavior in the Fellowship**

This is a WSO-level working group dedicated to Addressing Predatory Behavior. This group is now meeting regularly and providing updates during the monthly WSO Board call. Should you have a particular concern or situation that you would like to bring to our attention (or if you would like more information about the group's activities), please email us at [APB@acawso.org](mailto:APB@acawso.org) or see the [APB Committee Page](#).

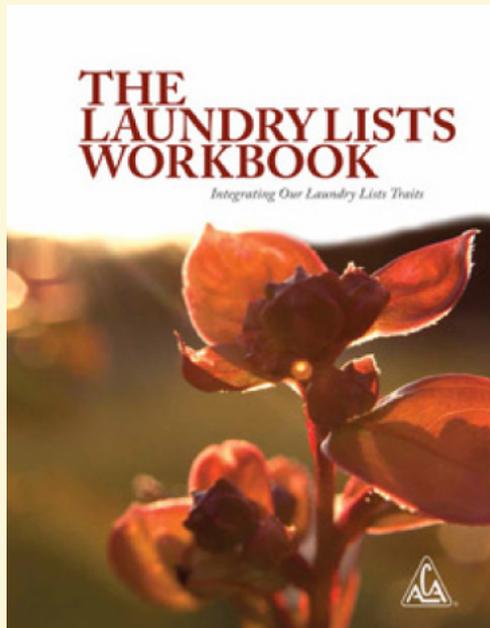
### **WSO Meeting Teleconferences**

On the second Saturday, of each month, the ACA WSO holds its monthly teleconference meeting. The meeting begins at 2pm Eastern Time; the telephone number is 712-432-0075, access code 427266#. Minutes of past meetings can be found [here](#).

### **7th Tradition**

Your World Service Organization relies on the support of ACA groups for meeting the Fellowship's service needs as much as meetings rely on the basket to pay their expenses. We are currently not fully self supporting in this area and ask groups and Intergroups that are able to make a contribution. The amount is not as important as is the spiritual act of the 7th Tradition in helping support your World Service Office. 7th Tradition Contributions can be made [online](#) or by mailing a check or money order payable to ACA WSO to 1458 E33rd St., Signal Hill, CA, 90755.

## **Resource Spotlight**



### **Did you know: Intergroups are eligible for a 30% Literature Discount?**

World Service extends a 30% discount in the Shopping Cart to Registered Intergroups that submit an application to register for the program. The hope is that this program helps Intergroups attract meetings to their service structure but also make literature more economically available. The minimum order is \$100 and books must be purchased in full case quantities.

For more information, visit [ACA Intergroup Discount](#)

## **Featured Meeting & Events**

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## Recovery Weekend in Bloomingdale, New Jersey

"Overcoming the Anger of the Inner Child" - For all 12-Step Programs

September 7 - 9, 2018 [Event Flyer](#)

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## Retreat - First Ever Montana ACA Event

September 21 - 23, 2018 - Spruce Lodge/Glacier Camp, Lakeside, MT

[Event Flyer](#)

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**Meetings** - ACA WSO maintains a World Meeting List of registered ACA meetings that take place in person, over the phone or online, which is updated monthly. Visit the [Find a Meeting](#) page on adultchildren.org to search for a meeting or for more detail on specific meeting types, visit the [Meeting](#), [Phone](#), [Skype](#) and [Internet](#) meeting information pages.

## Traveler Submissions

The Traveler Newsletter is an email publication, scheduled to be released at the beginning of each month, which highlights ACA service news and events. If your service committee, intergroup, region, or group would like to submit a notice to The Traveler, please send an email to [thetraveler@adultchildren.org](mailto:thetraveler@adultchildren.org). For more details, please visit [The Traveler](#)

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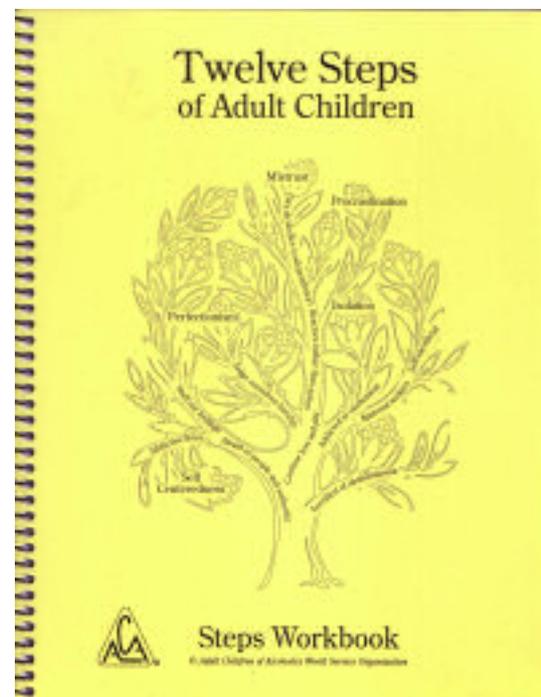
## About Adult Children of Alcoholics (ACA)

ACA is a worldwide 12 Step / 12 Tradition program of recovery dedicated to people who were raised in dysfunctional families. ACA does not seek to assign blame to parents or caretakers, but we seek to understand the reality of how family dysfunctions affected us as children and still affects our adult behavior today.

Family dysfunction can include alcoholism, abandonment, neglect, or any type of addiction or abuse. ACA is synonymous with ACoA; Adult Children Anonymous; & Adult Children of Alcoholics and Dysfunctional Families.

For more information visit:

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