

## COMMITTEE ANNUAL REPORT 2025-26

Committee	
Public Service/Hospitals +Institutions (PS/H+I)	

Inception Date	Sunset Date
December 2018	n/a

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Statement of Purpose
<p><b>Mission:</b> The primary purpose of Public Service/H+I is to provide information about ACA and its potential to help heal the effects of growing up in a dysfunctional family. The goal is to carry the ACA message to the general public, medical and mental health facilities and 12-Step fellowships. These include doctor's offices, community centers, educational and professional communities, libraries, and corporations including wellness programs.</p> <p>This is done through distribution of conference approved literature, public service announcements and participating in public events. Public Service/H+I cooperates with ACA meetings, intergroups and regions to share Public Service/H+I experience, strength and hope globally.</p>

Bullet list of committee activities since the last ABC
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Monitoring of the Correspondence Outreach to Institutions (COI) This program is to help connect ACA members who are interested in sponsoring or penpalling with institutionalized ACA members.</li> <li>- We have supported the Social Media work at the central office in Signal Hill.</li> <li>- We have supported several ACA PSAs on radio and TV in local communities.</li> <li>- Continue to distribute ACA literature through H+I</li> <li>- PS/H+I presented a motion to the board of trustees which passed unanimously to work with Edovo to share ACA literature. The Central office has started uploading ACA literature in English and Spanish to the Edovo platform. There are one million incarcerated people that have access or use the Edovo platform.</li> <li>- Started an ACA beginners interactive course based on A New Hope that will eventually be uploaded to the Edovo platform which could reach up to one million incarcerated people. This ACA beginners course may eventually be used on our Social Media platforms too.</li> <li>- 2025 yearly totals of books given out by H+I: BRB-242 YWB- 218 SMR- 12 LPG- 6</li> </ul>

Tasks Completed
As above

Goals for the year ahead
Finish the ACA beginners course for Edovo. Continue to support ACA fellowship goals through the PS/H+I committee as noted above.

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