

# WORLD SERVICE CONFERENCE OF NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS

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**TO:** The Fellowship  
**FROM:** WSC Hospitals & Institutions Committee  
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**RE:** *Hospitals & Institutions Handbook*

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As of the 1989 World service Conference, the revised Hospitals & Institutions (H&I) Handbook has been approved.

The World Service Conference Hospitals & Institutions Committee is aware of some of the difficulties experienced in some N.A. communities, in their efforts to carry the Narcotics Anonymous message to those addicts seeking recovery from active addiction in an H&I setting.

To those of you who wish to utilize the Handbook, but find it falling short of being able to meet your needs, the WSC H&I Committee wants to extend itself in aiding you to adapt and/or supplement the Handbook for your use. To this end, we invite you to send your concerns and/or suggestions to us in care of the H&I Project Coordinator at the above address. We will address all concerns thus received at the earliest time possible.

The WSC H&I Committee's internal guidelines, (pages 52 - 55) are included for informational purposes only. If you wish to have an updated version of these guidelines, you may request a copy from the WSO H&I Coordinator, World Service Office, P.O. Box 9999, Van Nuys, CA 91409-9999.

It is our hope that through this type of communication and cooperation, more H&I subcommittees may form and be able to fulfill our fellowship's primary purpose.