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WSC 2027 MOTION SUBMISSION FORM

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DATE: June 28, 2026

MAKER'S MOTION NUMBER: (Number assigned by the motion maker) GOR 01

MOTION MAKER: (Region, WS Committee, NSB, or WSB) Global Online Region

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SECOND ON MOTION: Northern California Region

MOTION: (What is the action being requested?)

Remove the following section from the Guide to Local Services (2025 English version) – page 4-4

~~Dual Membership in Nar-Anon/Narateen and NA~~

~~Nar-Anon/Narateen members who are also members of NA are eligible to hold office within their Nar-Anon or Narateen groups. Active members of Nar-Anon who are also members of NA may serve as the facilitator of a Narateen group by virtue of their Nar-Anon membership. These are vital group services and, at all times, emphasis should be placed on the Nar-Anon program.~~

~~Nar-Anon/Narateen members who are also members of NA, do not hold office (including GSR and alternate GSR) beyond the group level in order to maintain the focus on the Nar-Anon program and to avoid the possibility of a conflict of interest at the area service level and beyond.~~

Replace with:

Membership in other Organizations

Members of Nar-Anon may belong to other organizations such as other 12 step fellowships or various religious, political, civic, fraternal, professional, or social organizations. When serving as a Nar-Anon trusted servant at any level, their primary guidance is The Twelve Steps of Nar-Anon Family Groups, The Twelve Traditions of Nar-Anon Family Groups and The Twelve Concepts of Nar-Anon Service. Nar-Anon trusted servants speak only as members of Nar-Anon.



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MOTION APPLIES TO: (Which areas of Nar-Anon does this motion apply to? Budget and Finance, World Service Conference, Human Resource, Literature, Narateen, Newsletter, Outreach, Policy and Guidelines, GWS, GLS, Translation Resource, Website, World Convention, World Service Board, World Service Office, or other areas)

Policy and Guidelines, GWS, GLS

INTENT: (What will this action accomplish?)

This action will remove a discriminatory practice of excluding Nar-Anon members who also belong to NA from serving as a GSR/Alt. GSR, or beyond the group level. The current wording does not exclude members of other Twelve Step Organizations such as Alcoholics Anonymous, Al-Anon, Cocaine Anonymous, or any of the other over one hundred Twelve Step organizations. This aligns with the spiritual principles of Nar-Anon.

RATIONALE: (Why is this desirable? Limited to 150 words)

This action will allow members who are qualified by having a family member or loved one in addiction but who may be members of NA to serve beyond the group level. It removes a discriminatory practice of excluding only NA members. Nar-Anon *Twelve Tools of Recovery* states: "Our fellowship's primary purpose is to help families and friends of addicts. The spiritual principle of anonymity assures no one member or problem is greater or less than any other."

FINANCIAL IMPACT: (What will this cost, or what income will it generate?)

This action will require an update of the Guide to Local Services which will probably be required with other changes to the document. It likely will not generate any income.