

MEETING FORMAT (WEB)

Hi, my name is [_____] and I am an alcoholic. Welcome to the You Are Not Alone Group of Alcoholics Anonymous in Playa del Carmen. This is an open, English-speaking Zoom meeting of Alcoholics Anonymous and all are welcome.

Let us open this meeting with a moment of silence and then please join me in the serenity prayer.

Please make sure to mute your microphone unless you are sharing. When you are ready to share, please introduce yourself with your first name.

We ask that if you have consumed alcohol during the last 24 hours you just listen today, and we suggest that you talk to one of us after the meeting.

Is there anyone here for their very first AA meeting?

[If there is a newcomer, the chairperson welcomes them and changes the planned meeting format to a First Step meeting. The First Step from 12 & 12 is read.]

Is there anyone here in their first 30 days of sobriety?

Are there any AA birthdays?

[If there is an AA birthday, the chairperson can ask them to share how they did it.]

Are there any AA announcements?

Will [_____] please read our AA Preamble.

Would someone please read How It Works (p.58) or More About Alcoholism (p.30).

[Chairperson may pick either of these readings.]

*If the chairperson would like, they can ask someone to also read the 12 Traditions.

Please remember to respect the anonymity of each member present and we ask that participants keep their discussion to matters pertaining to alcohol or recovery from alcoholism according to AA's singleness of purpose.

We ask that you conduct yourself on screen in a manner similar to what you would do if you were attending a meeting in person, and be respectful to the person who is sharing.

Please be mindful of the length of your share. We suggest you keep your shares to around 3 to 5 minutes, so that everyone has an opportunity to speak.

Near the end of the meeting:

Our 7th Tradition States that we are self-supporting through our own contributions. If you can donate, that would be appreciated. Please see the instructions being posted in the chat.

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Let me be reminded that when anyone anywhere reaches out for help I want the hand of AA always to be there, and for that I am responsible.

If you did not get an opportunity to share during the meeting, or if you're looking for a sponsor, please talk to one of us afterwards.

Would those of you who are willing to be a sponsor please raise your hands?

I've asked _____ to please read A Vision for You (p.164).

We will now close the meeting with the Serenity Prayer so please make sure you are muted.

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