

Guidelines For Admitting Permanent Electronic Groups
INDIANA AREA AL-ANON FAMILY GROUPS

1. The Group Representative (GR) and Alternate GR of the Permanent Electronic Group (PEG) must reside in the geographic boundaries of the Indiana Area. The GR agrees that they will not be a GR in another group in the Indiana Area or in another Area. Both the GR and Alternate GR should be willing to attend District Meetings and the Indiana Area Assembly.
2. The Current Mailing Address (CMA) of the Electronic Group must reside in the geographic boundaries of the Indiana Area.
3. The PEG must be registered with the World Service Office (WSO).
4. The district assigned to the PEG will initially be the district in which the GR resides. This will be a permanent assignment even if the succeeding GRs live in a different district. The district assigned must currently have a District Representative (DR) or the group will be assigned to one of the districts contiguous to the non-represented district. The DR of the assigned district will notify the Area Group Records Coordinator and Area Website Coordinator of the PEG meeting information (time, format, group type, and platform).
5. Districts need not provide electronic access to their District business meetings.
6. PEGs already assigned to the WSO Global Electronic Area (GEA) and wishing to become part of the Indiana Area, will be permitted to do so provided the residential requirements outlined in #1 and #2 above are met, and both Areas permit the change as outlined in the Service Manual
7. For Indiana Area groups which have an existing registration number with the WSO and have decided to not return to being in-person meetings, the WSO will support them retaining their registration number and District assignment. The groups must change their Group Information to Electronic only.
8. Where a currently registered group has decided to split into two groups, one in-person and one electronic only, the group meeting in-person may retain the current registration number. The electronic only meeting may register with the WSO and be assigned a new registration number. The electronic only meeting may then choose to remain in the Indiana Area or join the GEA.
9. PEGs must adhere to Al-Anon Steps, Traditions, and Concepts. They should also be willing to support the Indiana Area in service, participation, and financial support. Both the GR and Alternate GR should be willing to attend District Meetings and the Indiana Area Assembly.
10. PEG members may stand for any Area position provided they meet the requirements in the position description and reside within the geographical boundaries of the Indiana Area.