

District 25 Panel 73 Accepted Recommendations 2023-2024

Every two years District 25 elect's new officers (DCM, ADCM, Secretary and Treasurer) who serve a two-year term. Each term is called a Panel and given a number. Panel 73 started January 2023. It is customary for each new Panel to review recommendations from past Panels, to ask GSR's to discuss these with their homegroups and then to vote on recommendations to guide the new Panel.

No action by a prior Panel is binding on an incoming Panel. Each newly elected Panel may make recommendations for the incoming District to consider. We can use past recommendations as previously written, or edit them to meet our current situation, remove them completely and/or create new recommendations.

1. That District 25 continues to hold its meeting on the 1st Tuesday of every month in a predetermined location. (Approved April 4, 2023 for Panel 73)
2. That District 25 decides all matters using Robert's Rules as a guideline, meaning all matters brought up for vote as new or old business need to have "by substantial unanimity" which means a $\frac{2}{3}$ majority whenever possible. (Approved April 4, 2023 for Panel 73)
3. That District 25 continues the policy that only the District's officers and GSRs, or their alternates in their absence, have a "voice and a vote" at the regular business meetings. (Approved April 4, 2023 for Panel 73)
4. That District 25 continues the policy allowing a guest, usually invited by the DCM, to speak at the meeting concerning Traditions, Concepts, or Area duties. (Approved April 4, 2023 for Panel 73)
5. That District 25 continues to fund the DCM and ADCM for their attendance at the following functions listed on the A.A. Area Calendar: the Quarterly Area Meetings (QAM), the Eastern Pennsylvania General Service Assembly (EPGSA), the Northeast Regional Alcoholics Anonymous Service Assembly (NERAASA), and the local Mini-Assembly with the Delegates Report. If the DCM and/or ADCM cannot attend, then another district representative can take their place. Preference will be given to district officers followed by GSRs, via email, on a "first come, first served basis". Attendance at all events will be dependent on the District's finances. (Approved April 4, 2023 for Panel 73)
6. That District 25 continues the practice of having a monthly visitation committee. (Approved June 6, 2023 for Panel 73)
7. District 25 will establish a Structure Committee for the purpose of revising the District Guidelines and create a regular review process of the District Structure Manual. Committee

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should have at least four members (GSR's, AGSR's and District Officers) and have one adviser who is a District Officer. (Approved June 6, 2023 for Panel 73)

8. That District 25 reimburse service representatives going to Area 59 and other functions at the mileage rate consistent with that of Area 59. (Approved July 11, 2023 for Panel 73)

9. That District 25 reimburse service representatives going to Area 59 and other functions at the meal rate consistent with that of Area 59. (Approved July 11, 2023 for Panel 73)

10. That District 25 continues to hold a District Inventory at the start of the second year of the Panel. (Approved July 11, 2023 for Panel 73)

11. ADCM is to assist DCM in an administrative capacity as needed. (Approved July 11, 2023 for Panel 73)

12. That District 25 continues to have a website and support the costs related to the products required to maintain the website; and to review website use annually. (Approved July 11, 2023 for Panel 73)

13. That District 25 continues to contribute \$10 to The Grapevine and have the ADCM attend monthly Grapevine Meetings. (Approved July 11, 2023 for Panel 73)

14. That District 25 continues to hold two workshops per year. One will be held independently and the second in cooperation with at least one other District. The ADCM will chair the workshop committee. (Approved July 11, 2023 for Panel 73)

15. That District 25 continues to support the literature rack at Health Center #9 Chelton Ave. when the COVID pandemic is no longer an issue. (Tabled July 11, 2023 for Panel 73)

Panel 73 approved 14 recommendations, including a new item #7 to establish a Structure Committee. One recommendation #15 was tabled because more information was needed from the health center as to whether they would allow us to place AA literature in the health center.