

Hello AMIAS for 2020:

WHAT'S NEW?

Thanks to Carrie W., our Alateen Safety Coordinator for Washington Area, we now have our updated certified AMIAS list for 2020. This means, if you received this email, you are on the list. The lists are updated to ensure that anyone who is an AMIAS for our Seattle AIS should receive these weekly emails to keep you updated on what is happening.

The AIS Alateen interest group, comprised of Al-Anon members interested in Alateen, met three times between March and May to discuss how to encourage and support the growth of Alateen in our area. An Alateen flyer was developed to inform others about Alateen news. At the last meeting a decision was made to focus our efforts for this year on keeping AMIAS updated and informed about the Alateen program in order to start 5 new Alateen groups in our AIS area.

The Good News is that we have a commitment for one new Alateen group on Saturday morning 10:30-11:30 at Queen Anne Lutheran Church sponsored by the How Important Is It Women AFG. The paperwork is being completed now so we can establish a start date for this new group. We are also working on starting an Alateen group for the foster care system.

NOTE: If your Al-Anon group is interested in starting an Alateen group, or if your group would like to hear more about Alateen, please contact: Kathy B., Alateen Liaison for our AIS at alateen@seattle-al-anon.org.

Our first AMIAS event is planned for Saturday, September 28th at the Greenwood Library Community Room from 2:00-4:00. Please join us to meet other AMIAS and hear others' experience, strength and hope. We will also include a Q and A and informal time with refreshments. Hope to see you there! See the flyer on the website for more info.

HELP WANTED:

1. New Alateen Group needs support:

Our first new Alateen Group **Recovery is for Everyone** will need support:

We need two primary Group Sponsors who are trained and certified AMIAS to sponsor and facilitate the group on Saturday mornings 10:30-11:30 at Queen Anne Lutheran Church

We need two back-up AMIAS who can conduct the meeting if a primary sponsor cannot attend. This means being on call

Please contact: Kathy B, AIS Alateen Liaison at alateen@seattle-al-anon.org if you are interested in one of these positions.