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Group Histories

Group histories are intended to provide a record of how an individual group began, its struggles, its successes, its development over the years and the manner in which it has carried the message to other sick and suffering alcoholics. It is a record that can be passed down from one generation to the next. Therefore, it is important that you take the time to develop this record in a manner that will be intelligible and interesting to those who will join us in the future.

If your group wants to prepare a **Group History** to submit to SEPIA's archives, the following information is suggested:

- Group name and number.
- County, Zone and District.
- Date started.
- Day(s) and time(s) when you meet.
- Type of meeting.
- Where did you first meet?
- Where do you meet now?
- Founding members.
- How do current members help the group to carry the message?
- Has membership grown over the years?
- Any split-off groups?
- Has the group held any anniversary celebrations?
- Has the group experienced any special challenges, successes or growing pains that has led to the growth of the group?

This is intended only as a guide. You should feel free to include any other information and develop your Group History in a manner that is most beneficial to the present members and to those who will come at a later time.