

AN INVITATION FROM THE CONFERENCE SPONSORSHIP COMMITTEE  
**2011-12 TELEMEETING SERIES – 2nd Saturday Monthly**  
*September 10, 2011 through August 11, 2012*

**Topic: All Aspects of Sponsorship**

1. September 10, 2011                    Cross addicted Sponsee: How to Sponsor cross-addicted sponsees?
2. October 8, 2011                    Differences in Higher Power: Should sponsors believe in the same Higher Power as their sponsees? How to guide a sponsee with a different concept of a Higher Power than our own with sensitivity and respect.
3. November 12, 2011                The Anorectic Sponsee: Understanding the special challenges of working with the anorectic sponsee.
4. December 10, 2011                Giving Directions: Giving directions without giving advice.
5. January 14, 2012                   Sponsorship Formats: Best sponsorship formats for Step use. What are some literature recommendations?
6. February 11, 2012                Sponsor Self-Care: Sponsor self-care/not getting stretched too thin. How to make sure we don't neglect our own program.
7. March 10, 2012                    Recovery Partners: How does the relationship of a recovery partner function while waiting for a sponsor?
8. April 14, 2012                    Promoting Sponsorship: How can we better promote sponsorship on the local group level?
9. May 12, 2012                    Long Distance Sponsorship: How can the lack of face-to-face relationship be overcome in Long Distance Sponsorship?
10. June 9, 2012                    The Unwilling Sponsee: What do we do with the sponsee unwilling to do the work? Terminate the relationship? Stay available and coax? Offer to sponsor after they find willingness?
11. July 14, 2012                    Boundaries: What are the boundaries in sponsorship? Should there be guidelines at the beginning of a relationship and if so what?
12. August 11, 2012                Multiple Programs: How to sponsor those in multiple fellowships and/or using multiple program sponsors.

**JOIN US AS WE EXPLORE ALL ASPECTS OF SPONSORSHIP!**

These 12 one-hour telemeetings will be on Saturdays, at 9:00am Pacific / 12:00 PM Eastern / 5:00pm London. SLAA members may attend any or all meetings without RSVP. US Call in number: 559 546 1700 Access code for everyone is 123610#.

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