Fall AWSC 2020 Public Outreach Report

I hope that everyone is able to connect with each other and keep carrying the message of recovery to those in need. Now, more than ever, the family disease is very active.

The position of Public Outreach is one of communication. It can be as simple as leaving a piece of literature with contact information, placing an article in the local newspaper or a free weekly paper (with local contact info), or encouraging radio / TV stations to carry one of our PSA's. As NYN PO Coordinator, it is my responsibility to pass along suggestions to Districts/Groups/Individuals on where to find info or ideas on how to do it. I also receive requests that WSO receives from various agencies and pass it on to the appropriate District. I have missed a few NHL articles, but it is progress not perfection. The new form of communication is Zoom meetings. Please invite newcomers to attend. Where FTF meetings were being held, please post contact information for a hotline or AIS. Being able to communicate on the internet is important, but don't forget that using the telephone is also a link. I hope you will consider stepping up to Area service. It has always helped me to work on my shortcomings and keeps me renewed and refreshed in my personal recovery. As in any position, there are those who have gone before us and can be a service sponsor. Much has changed over this year and I hope we all have "Courage To Change". Miss everyone and taking it One Day At A Time! Connie D. NYN PO