



# Southwest Texas Area 68

*I am responsible...*

When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help, I want the hand of A.A.  
Always to be there. And for that: ***I am RESPONSIBLE.***<sup>1</sup>

## ACCESSIBILITIES CHAIR RESPONSIBILITIES

Attendance at all Area 68 quarterly Assemblies, Workshops and Area Committee Meetings with presentations given as outlined on Area Agenda.

Attend Special Workshops when invited to present as committee chairperson and / or on General Service topics.

Become familiar with workbook and other material pertaining to this committee. When possible, make effort to inform members on the multiple aspects of types of accessibility needs in order to raise awareness in helping to carry the message to as many members and suffering alcoholics as possible. Also when possible, gather information from groups/districts about how they address any accessibility needs within their community.

More information email the Area Accessibilities Chairperson at [accessibilities@swta-aa.org](mailto:accessibilities@swta-aa.org)

**THESE RESOURCES ARE AVAILABLE FROM [GSO](#) AND COLLECTED FROM OUR AREA FRIENDS IN [NEW MEXICO AREA 46](#) AND [OREGON AREA 58](#)**

The Deaf Intergroup of Central Texas, [centexdeafintergroup.org/](http://centexdeafintergroup.org/)

(Shows calendar of meetings with Interpreter available and how to request an Interpreter)

*These surveys are meant as a starting point to begin the discussion about what each Group/District can do to provide accessibility awareness within each Group/District. They will also provide a framework for service opportunities to carry the message. We are responsible...!*

### Download Forms

[Survey for District Accessibilities Needs English Spanish](#)

[Survey for Group Accessibilities Needs English Spanish](#)

[Accessibilities Activities Committee English Spanish](#)

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS, [aa.org](http://aa.org)**

web site has resource and pamphlets and literature to help get you started.

**AA GRAPEVINE [www.aagrapevine.org/](http://www.aagrapevine.org/)**

has literature to cover accessibilities needs as well.

[LITERATURE FOR ACCESSIBILITIES COMMITTEES | aa.org](#)

In line with A.A.'s Responsibility Declaration, the Accessibilities Workbook is designed to help Accessibilities Committees explore, develop and offer resources to make the Alcoholics Anonymous message and participation in our program of recovery available to everyone who reaches out for it.

While we all need to access, receive and carry the message of recovery and wish to have the same measure of privileges and responsibilities with regard to Twelfth Step work, sponsorship, and speaking at A.A. and non-A.A. meetings as other members, for some there are significant barriers that must be overcome to insure full participation in A.A. [Read More, aa.org](#)

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