

PIPO Report

Region 5 Assembly October 31 to November 2

We met as a committee September 18 and discussed what a PIPO committee does. It acts for the Intergroup to spread the word about the Fellowship to the community through media: newspapers, magazines, radio, television, film, and the internet. The committee may also put on public information or newcomer nights, have a booth at a local health fair and trade show, and send speakers to talk to community groups and healthcare professionals. It is important to remind members to keep to the Twelve Traditions and keep public anonymity.

We discussed how some of the Intergroups at the meeting were meeting these goals. Louisville is having a booth at a senior health fair, a two day event at an AA clubhouse, a family event on the West side, a three hour expo fair, and a Thanksgiving day OA event. St Louis is having a booth at a Recovery Fest with bands and other Recovery groups 1 to 6 pm outside and a Promises workshop across the bridge at a retreat center.

Keri has added more PIPO Resources to the In The Bookstore pamphlets and manuals.