

MHIG Inventory Addendum 1

STRONG POINTS	COULD DO BETTER	DEFINITELY NEEDS IMPROVEMENT
Twelve Traditions and group conscience take precedence over “Robert’s Rules”; inclusive; discuss and build consensus (Q5-6,12-15,17-18)	Set realistic short-term goals and more long-term goals...priorities and action plans of value here (Q10)	Help new and existing members find sponsors; improve abstinence and personal recovery of all members through targeted workshops on Steps and Abstinence (Q45,49,50,59)
Have a permanent address and phone number that is answered twenty-four hours a day and internet presence (Q54,55)	Rotation of service beyond those currently on the board (Q7,10,35)	All but one group in the area is affiliated with intergroup but there is no participation by member groups at MHIG (Q1,3,8,10,14,18,39,40,42,45,52)
Newsletter & Website for the groups in your area; a powerful communication tool (Q3,15,41,47)	Reach out to professionals and compulsive overeaters in the community; campaign can be the fellowship contacting their own MDs (Q56-58)	All members/groups of could be better informed about the structure of OA (Q39,42,44,52)
IG group conscience decides how finances are handled/spent (Q 29-38)	Sponsor OA workshops, marathons, and other events (Q10, 45)	Create the opportunity for members to achieve abstinence and complete the steps; everything begins with personal recovery (Q14,21,45,50,59)
Meeting list and contact information is current (Q46)	Consider alternative MHIG meeting arrangements; location, electronic, monthly (Q23,59)	Help floundering groups (Q51,59)
Full participation in world service structure (Q24,43)		Communication with the membership about who MHIG is, how MHIG can help, and how they can help MHIG
Sets realistic long-term goal (Q10...Retreat)		
System exists for groups to obtain abstinent OA speakers (Q50)		
Maintains a stock of OA-approved literature for new groups (Q48)		
Minutes and finances on website; financially sound and generous membership; 100% self-sufficient (Q15,22,24,25)		