

Concept Scavenger Hunt – The 2018-2021 Al-Anon/Alateen Service Manual (P-24/27) version two (2)

1. In which year did the Al-Anon Conference unanimously approve the idea of Al-Anon developing its own Concepts of Service?

- ☐ 1951
- ☐ 1968
- ☐ 1961

2. In which Concept does the *Service Manual* state:

“Unity of purpose had pretty much replaced the early dissimilarity of groups.”

- ☐ Concept Five
- ☐ Concept Two
- ☐ Concept One

3. In which Concept does the *Service Manual* state:

“Our World Service Conference (WSC) is the active voice and the effective group conscience of our society in world affairs.”

- ☐ Concept One
- ☐ Concept Two
- ☐ Concept Twelve

4. In which Concept does the *Service Manual* state:

“Within the scope of their defined or implied responsibilities, the WSO, its committees, Staff or executives should each have the right to decide when to act wholly on their own and when to refer a problem to the next higher authority.”

- ☐ Concept Three
- ☐ Concept Nine
- ☐ Concept Twelve

5. In which Concept does this excerpt appear?

“But the Right of Participation in our service structure is of such high importance to our future that we are urged to preserve this traditional right in the face of every attempt to whittle it down.”

- ☐ Concept Four
- ☐ Concept Eight
- ☐ Concept Eleven

6. In which Concept would we find:

“When any minority considers an issue to be so grave that a mistaken decision could seriously affect Al-Anon as a whole, it has the actual duty to present a minority appeal to the body that made the decision.”

- ☐ Concept Four
- ☐ Concept Five
- ☐ Concept Nine

7. In which Concept would we find:

“While the Trustees must operate under the close observation, guidance, and sometimes the direction of the WSC, it is nevertheless true that only the Trustees can evaluate and handle most of the innumerable transactions involved in our World Service operation.”

- ☐ Concept Six
- ☐ Concept Seven
- ☐ Concept Two

8. Find in the *Service Manual*:

“Just as the WSC should avoid the overuse of its traditional authority, so should the Board of Trustees avoid overuse of its legal authority.”

- ☐ Page 189
- ☐ Page 200
- ☐ Page 190

9. In which Concept does the *Service Manual* state:

“Our Trustees realized they could no longer be concerned, as a body, with the endless details that arose daily, weekly, and monthly in the routine conduct of the World Service Office.”

- ☐ Concept Nine
- ☐ Concept Eight
- ☐ Concept Ten

10. Within the pages of Concept Nine, on which page would you find:

“Good leadership never passes the buck. Once assured of sufficient backing, it freely makes decisions and puts them into action, provided of course that such actions be within the framework of its defined authority and responsibility.”

- ☐ Page 193
- ☐ Page 194
- ☐ Page 195

11. In which Concept would you find:

“Let us always be sure that there is an abundance of final or ultimate authority to correct or to reorganize; but let us be equally sure that all of our trusted servants have a clearly defined and adequate authority to do their daily work and to discharge their clear responsibilities.”

- ☐ Concept Six
- ☐ Concept Ten
- ☐ Concept Eleven

12. In which Concept does it state:

“This means careful consideration of these committees, the personal qualifications of their members, the manner of their induction into service, the way in which they relate to each other, and the special rights and duties of our executives, Staff and consultants.”

- ☐ Concept One
- ☐ Concept Five
- ☐ Concept Eleven

13. In which Concept would you find:

“Counsel prudence—prudence in personal relations, prudence in money matters and prudence in our contacts with the world around us. For Al-Anon, prudence is a middle ground, a channel between fear on one hand and recklessness on the other.”

- ☐ Concept Nine
- ☐ Concept Twelve
- ☐ Concept Seven

14. On which page does the following statement appear?

“It is easier for us to fool ourselves that we are right and that our indignation is justified. However, anger and resentment betray us and we recognize we’ve had a ‘slip.’ Therefore, no humanly administered system of penalties is needed in our fellowship.”

- ☐ Page 214
- ☐ Page 201
- ☐ Page 216