



Bridging the Gap
District 22, Area 93
PO Box 6819, Los Osos, CA 93412-6819

Volunteers are needed to be temporary contacts for A.A. members leaving correctional and treatment facilities.

Volunteers are also needed for long-term correspondence with A.A. members who are incarcerated.

Bridging the Gap (BTG) is a service committee of A.A. The basic design of this service commitment is the Outside A.A. Volunteers will be put in contact with Inside A.A. members who are incarcerated. The Central Office PO Box is used for correspondence. After the Inside member is released and is in their prearranged living situation (not A.A. provided), the BTG volunteer will take them up to six A.A. meetings. The intent is for the newly released member to be exposed to various A.A. groups, the basic A.A. program and be introduced to active A.A. members, and then be allowed to take their own A.A. journey from that point.

Volunteers are also needed to write to those incarcerated for a longer period who would like to correspond with an A.A. member on the outside.

The suggested sobriety time for volunteers is one year.

Both men and women are needed. Men will be matched with men, women with women. Volunteers are need from every community in the 22nd District.

If you are interested in being a BTG contact or want to volunteer to correspond, please contact

**David P. 805-801-6683 for men volunteers
or Bonnie N. 805-550-8081 for women volunteers**

Or send an email to btgslo@gmail.com .

**You will then be sent the Procedures & Guidelines,
and a volunteer form to complete and return.**

*I am responsible. When anyone, anywhere, reaches out for help,
I want the hand of AA always to be there. And for that: I am responsible.*