

Telephone Conference Call Committee Report  
Fall 2022 BOT Meeting

The Telephone Conference Call Committee and meeting administrators currently host 2 meetings a week: Wednesdays at 9 PM Eastern and Friday at 3:00 PM Eastern. The phone number is 264-807-9601; the participant code is 9131957#

The number of meetings was changed from 3 to 2 on July 1, 2022. The intention of increasing the meetings had been to offer options during the Covid quarantine, when physical meetings were not possible. Since the lifting of the quarantine and the increasing availability of physical meetings, it was determined that it was appropriate to return to the original vision of the Telephone Conference Call Committee.

The Wednesday night meeting is a comment meeting. Attendees who have 90 days or more of clean time are allowed to make up to three comments per meeting; those who give therapy are allowed to receive up to 3 comments.

Those who are new to the program and claim a desire to stop gambling are read the 20 Questions, either in the main room or in a newcomers room. Many of the meetings see at least one newcomer; it is not unusual to see 3-5 newcomers on any given evening. At the Friday afternoon meeting, held from 3:00-4:00 Eastern Time, newcomers are welcomed and read the 20 Questions following the meeting. Members with 90 days or more of clean time are encouraged to make comments sharing their experience, strength, and hope to the newcomer.

Current attendance ranges between 25-50 callers per meeting. Attendees range from newcomers up to those who have 40 or more years of clean time.

While the meeting can't offer sponsorship as we currently understand it, attendees are urged to reach out to others using a list of volunteers who offer support.

The US meetings use the same email address for all meetings: [weeklycallhelp@gmail.com](mailto:weeklycallhelp@gmail.com)  
We receive between 1 and 10 requests for assistance or information a day.

The US meetings are also always interested in training additional moderators. Again, please contact the Committee Chair.

The Canada-wide meeting continues to meet three times per week. Canadian meetings are held on Tuesday, Friday and Sunday.

Moderators for these meetings have been trained by members of the Telephone Conference Call committee and their formats have been approved. These meetings are also included on the list found on the Trustee Website. (Meeting times are listed by the local time of the originating cities.)

**A full list of Telephone Conference Call meetings and contact information can be found on the Trustee website.**

Respectfully Submitted,  
The Telephone Conference Call Committee