## Nov. 2, 2019 AAPP Report-Fall Assembly 2019

Hi, I'm Jackie and a grateful member of Al-Anon and Alateen. I am the CT Area Alateen Process Person and this is my final report as A2P2.

Since my report at the Spring Assembly, CT has completed the AMIAS/Group Sponsor Recertification Process with World Service. We currently have 36 AMIAS/Group Sponsors in CT and 16 meetings. Thank you to the District Representatives and AMIAS who helped to make the Re-certification happen by the WSO deadline of July 1. Also since my last report, one new AMIAS' has joined our ranks.

I hope some of you were able to attend our open Alateen meetings during Alateen Awareness month in October. The Alateens like to have visitors and are eager to share their experience and strength and hope with them. They continue to amaze me with their openness, growth and ability to have fun despite what they are going through at home. The teens keep me on my toes as a Sponsor, forcing me to continually grow myself and to laugh with them and at myself more often.

Being the AAPP has been a very rewarding experience, mostly due to my continued appreciation for the dedication of my fellow AMIAS', the give and take between us at Sponsor meetings and events. In addition, I've been blessed to be able to have worked so closely with Elaine over the last 3 years, sharing the achievements and challenges of our service positions, as well as those in our personal lives. Much like the example the Alateens have set for me working their programs, her consistent practice of our legacies and principles has inspired me to be a better me. I'll never be able to thank her enough for her friendship and guidance.

I frequently extol the virtues of service to those I sponsor and even those I do not. Service has given me so many gifts, the gifts of growth and friendship are two of many and service to Alateen has been especially rewarding. Please seriously consider how you can best support CT Alateen and advance your own personal recovery through Alateen Service, it's the best!

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