



## 2025 Area World Service Committee Meeting Florida North AFG Convention Report – January 2025

Come **LISTEN TO YOUR HEART** in Al-Anon recovery. I can guarantee a rhythmic, warm, and loving recovery weekend surrounded by your Al-Anon Family! From what I have seen, you will not be disappointed for attending. I am so excited and honored to serve as the 2025 Florida North AFG Convention Chair. I am supported by some amazing, energetic and talented people who give of themselves 100% and tirelessly. We have filled most of the committee chair positions, however we are still looking for a sergeant-at-arms, a Spanish liaison, and volunteer coordinator chair.

Just in case you are wondering, the convention will be held at the beautiful, relaxing, and cozy, **Caribe Royale Hotel**, 8101 World Center Drive, Orlando, Florida 32821, August 29th, 30th, and 31<sup>st</sup>, 2025. To register for the convention on-line you may go to <https://www.afgarea9.org/convention2025.html> or you can go the same convention website and print a registration form if that is your heart's fancy.

Caribe rooms are \$169 per night for standard suites (occupancy 1-4) plus \$10/night resort fee, plus applicable taxes. Self-parking discounted to \$10/day rate is good for 3 days before and 3 days after convention. You can make a reservation by phone at 800-823-8300 or by the on-line link <https://book.passkey.com/e/50866101>

**REGISTER, REGISTER, REGISTER!** So far, we have 109 folks registered! Way to Go! Registration is only **\$40.00** before the start of this event and \$50.00 at the door. We are offering dining opportunities! There is a Saturday box lunch for \$39, a Saturday banquet for \$69; and a Sunday Breakfast Buffet for \$40. We also have convention memorabilia available when you register. We have T-Shirts, short sleeves \$20; long sleeves \$22 in many sizes. Then we have tote bags with 2025 convention heart logo for \$20.

There are **volunteer** opportunities that you can sign up for right on the website to suit every strength! Some ideas in case you are wondering exist for banquet, hospitality, raffle, serenity room, boutique, information, registration, greeting, literature, or wherever.

The best news is that **convention workshop packets are complete** and assigned, they are available for distribution here at AWSC for all districts, there are none left behind! The program chair is amazing, and the workshop titles are so clever, creative, and from the HEART!

I look forward to fellowship and sharing our hearts together at this year's 2025 Florida North AFG Convention.

Love in service,  
Cindy R.