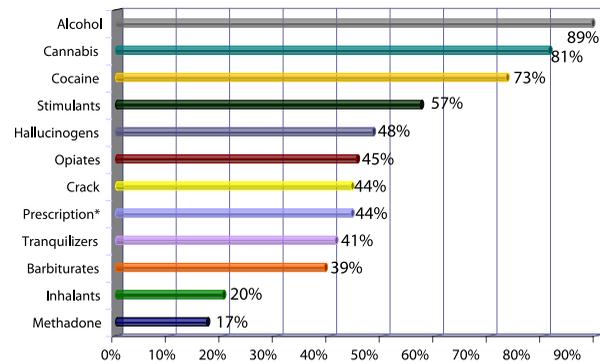


## Drugs Used on a Regular Basis

Multiple answers were allowed.



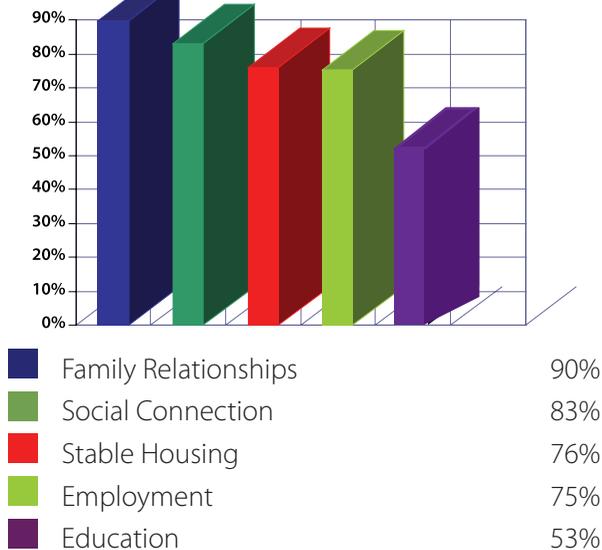
\* Prescription is based on the printed surveys only.

## Involvement in Other Twelve-Step Fellowships



## Quality of Life Improvement Areas

Multiple answers were allowed.



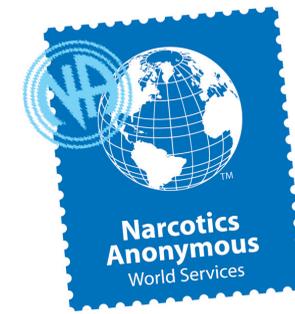
The 2007 Membership Survey marks the first time that members were asked to assess areas of their lives that have improved with NA attendance. The two areas that received overwhelming improvement were Family Relationships where 90% of our members stated enrichment, and Social Connectedness was realized by 83% of the respondents. NA literature states that active addiction is marked by increased isolation and destruction with relationships. Recovery in NA has helped survey respondents to repair the damage in their lives from drug addiction.

## About NA

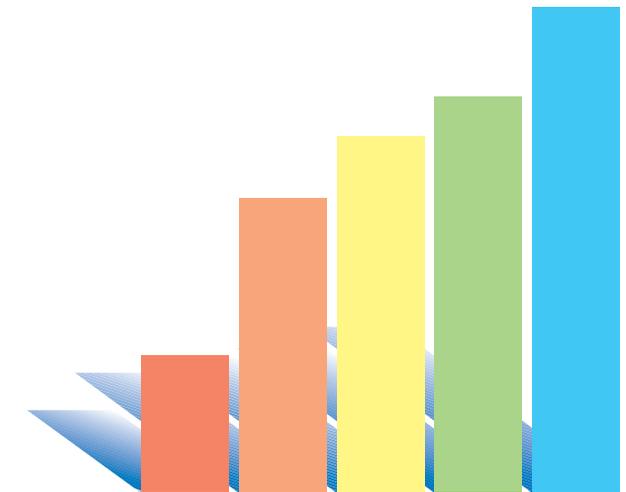
Narcotics Anonymous is a worldwide fellowship of recovering addicts whose primary purpose is to help addicts stop using drugs by utilizing a twelve-step approach. NA is not a religious organization and does not require any particular belief system. It teaches basic spiritual principles such as honesty, open-mindedness, and willingness, to name a few. The specific practical application of these principles is determined by the individual member.

NA members learn from one another how to live drug-free and recover from the effects of addiction. Although not associated with any religion, political group, organization, or institution, NA cooperates with professionals and the public by providing information about the fellowship.

In many communities, Narcotics Anonymous is listed in the white pages of the telephone directory. Another way to obtain local meeting information is by accessing the "NA Meeting Search" link at [www.na.org](http://www.na.org). Questions about NA meetings in other countries or general information about the fellowship can be obtained by contacting NA World Services.



## Membership Survey



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## NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS 2007 MEMBERSHIP SURVEY

At every NA world convention since 1996, NA World Services has distributed demographic surveys. In 2007, the survey was disseminated at the world convention which was held in San Antonio Texas. Additionally, this survey was available for members who choose to participate online and via mail and fax. This marks the first time in NA's history that a fellowshipwide demographic survey was offered. There were approximately 13,500 responses, which represents the largest sample to date. We collect this data to provide information about our fellowship, strengthen our public relations efforts, and learn more about how and where we carry our message of recovery.

### NA Membership

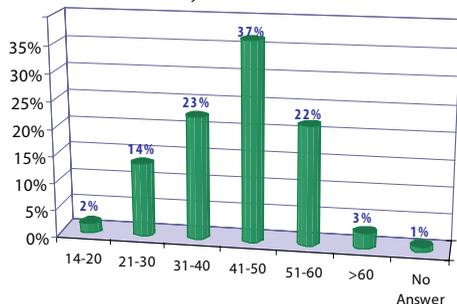
NA is comprised of people who come from many races, cultures, age groups, professions, and backgrounds. The only requirement to become an NA member is the desire to stop using drugs. The choice of joining the NA Fellowship rests with the individual.

There are no dues or fees for membership: we are self-supporting through our own contributions.

NA is a community-based organization that holds more than 50,000 weekly meetings in 130 countries.\*

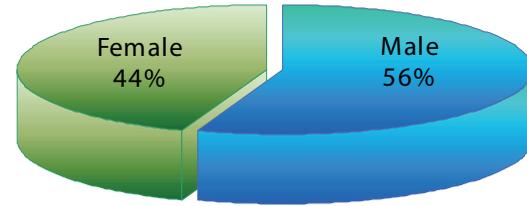
### Age

Based on survey responses, the average age of NA members is 42.8 years.



\*as of April 2008

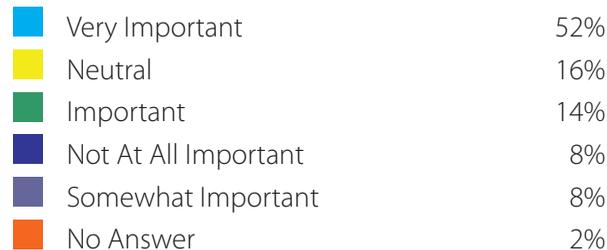
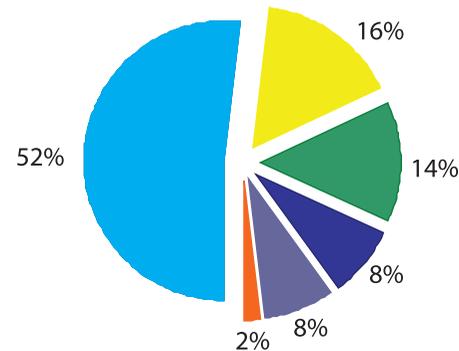
### Gender



### Ethnicity

The ethnic diversity of our membership seems to be representative of the geographic location, however the 2007 survey was made available at WCNA in San Antonio, in our international journal, *The NA Way Magazine*, and on our website. When we conducted this survey in 2007 in San Antonio, Texas, 73% of respondents were Caucasian, 14% were African-American, 7% were Hispanic, and 7% were other. In 2002 in Atlanta, Georgia, 49% of respondents were Caucasian, 39% were African-American, 4% were Hispanic, and 8% were other.

### Importance of First NA Meeting



### Influence to Attend First NA Meeting

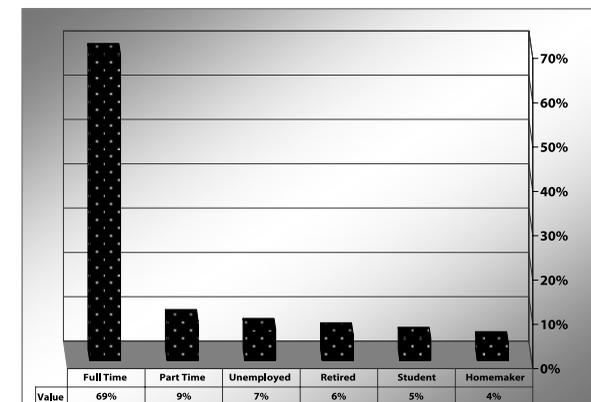
Multiple answers were permitted. The top twelve choices are listed.

❖ NA Member	58%
❖ Treatment/Counseling Agency	55%
❖ Family	39%
❖ Other	37%
❖ NA Literature	18%
❖ AA Member/Group	15%
❖ Court Order	10%
❖ Probation/Parole Officer	9%
❖ Non-NA Friend/Neighbor	8%
❖ Healthcare Provider	8%
❖ Correctional Facility	8%
❖ Employer/Fellow Worker	6%

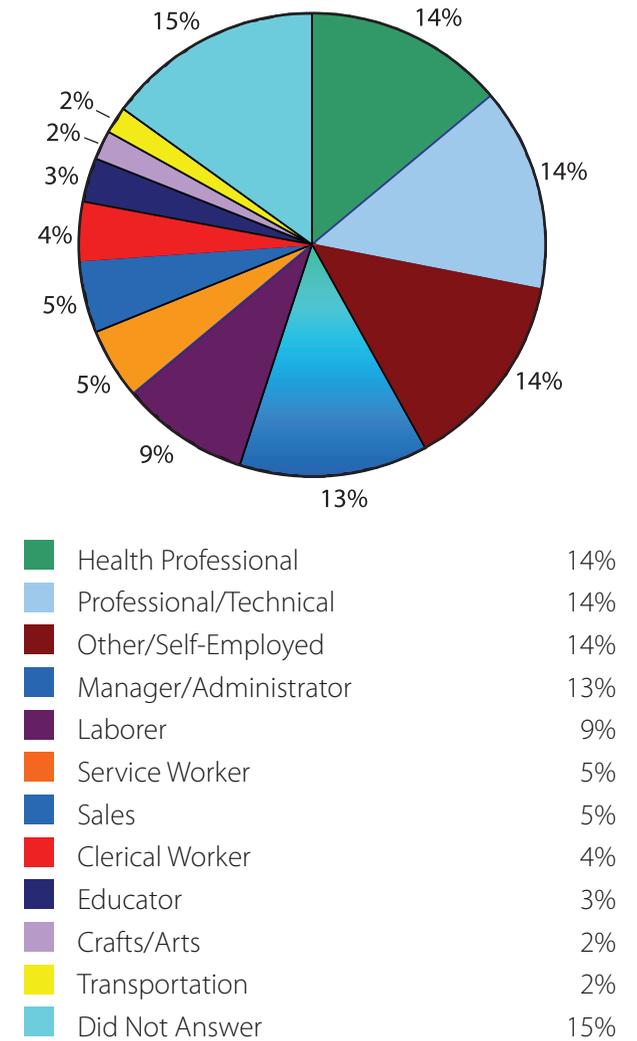
### Meeting Attendance

Regular attendance at NA meetings provides the opportunity to experience the NA message of recovery. Members surveyed attend an average of 4.2 meetings per week.

### Employment Status



### Occupation



### Years Drug-Free

