

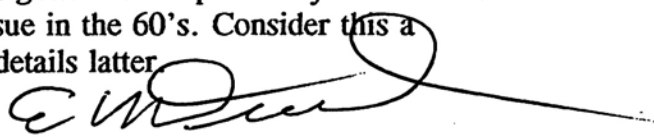
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This took a lot longer to do than I expected. I haven't gotten to the pictures yet but don't expect to find much since confidentiality was a big issue in the 60's. Consider this a summary report and maybe I'll be able to give more details latter



Outline of Narcotics Anonymous & Cleveland Harbor Light Complex (na_hlc_1.tab)

10\48	EVD 3\96	While I was a Cadet in the School For Officer's Training in NYC 1948 - 49, Brig Dorothy (Dolly) Berry was one of our instructors. She lectured on her work with Narcotics Anonymous in NYC where she worked with women drug addicts who were released from Lexington Federal Prison.
08/63	EVD 2\96	EVD had a series of ongoing discussions with R W McGuire about the need for a program for drug addicts in the Cleveland area. EVD contacted Brig Dolly Berry about her work with NA in NYC. Based upon the material sent, EVD & RWMc decided to start a Cleveland Chapter of NA.
11\63	HLC file	Organizational meeting of Cleveland Chapter of NA called by Capt Edward V Dimond (Director of HLC) and Robert W McGuire (Social Worker at Cooley Farm House of Corrections). Group is to be based upon NA material supplied by Brig Dolly Berry from her NYC group. Marvin Stone was named acting secretary.
11/63	Cleve Press 11/12/63	NA Group to Meet Tomorrow (11/13/63) at 7:30 pm at SA Harbor Light 830 Eagle Ave. The rehabilitative program, recently started in Cleveland area, is based on the same principles as AA. Habitual users of barbiturates and amphetamines, sleeping/pep pills, are urged to attend the meetings by Captain Edward Dimond of the SA.
11/63	Drum Beat (DB) 11\63	Flash: A NA Group will be meeting at HLC on Wednesdays at 7:30 pm
01/64	DB 12\64	NA Group has published the first issue of a newsletter.
01\64	NA Newsletter Issue 1	Mtgs every Wednesday, 2304 E 9th St; 7:30 - 10:00 pm; 2nd floor Suite W (Red Shield Hotel is part of HLC at corner of E 9th and Eagle Avenue. Marvin Stone Acting Secretary. Weekly meetings also being held at Cleveland House of Corrections.

01\64	EVD 2/96	Marvin Stone a professional drummer, came back to Cleveland from Los Vegas NE. Said he had been with a drug distribution ring and he was their guinea pig. He would test new shipments of drugs on himself to gage their strength. He lived briefly with his wife in the GC area. After a while he started drinking and, I think, married Ms Pat A.
02\64	NA Newsletter Issue 2	Julius N (postal worker who now has his job back after staying clean). John C (Cunduff long time alcoholic and drug user). Three groups meeting weekly. Downtown at HLC; Lexington in inner city; Cooley Farms House of Corrections on far east side. Dimond, Stone and Pat S (probably former Pat A) take part in "Contact" (Harv Morgan radio broadcast on KYW) program "Monkey On My Back" about narcotics. Also on program was Daniel Casriel, MD, author of "So Fair A House" about the Calif drug rehab program Synanon. NA watched the CBS TV show "The Business of Heroin" and a letter commending it was published by the Cleveland Plain Dealer. Emmett Cooper, PHD who conducts drug programs in the Mansfield OH Reformatory visited NA several times to discuss ideas about rehabilitation. He is with the Cleveland Post Office Personal Division. NA has a 5 person jazz combo practicing with Marvin Stone as leader. Nat Board of NA has been reorganized as Nat Advisory Council on Narcotics at 325 Broadway, Room 425, NY, NY 10007.
03\64	DB 3\64	NA has added two more weekly mtgs: Sundays at Cooley Farms, Tuesdays on Lexington Ave to the original Wednesdays at HLC at 7:30 pm.
04\64	HLC 15th Anniversary	Program for 4\19\64 lists NA meetings on Wednesdays 7:00 pm.
08\64	War Cry ?? 08\64	Story on HLC Officer's Conference talks about ancillary groups like NA being used at HLC.
10\64	All The World Vol XVI No 4	Somebody ? recently started work with narcotic addicts.
09\65	DB 09\65	Emmett Cooper PHD and a therapist at Mansfield Reformatory has been elected a NA Board Member. Also an active Board Member is Joe Germain, a long time volunteer at Mansfield Reformatory, who has been cooperating with Cooper on Cleveland releasees.
11\65	Photo by EVD	Harve Morgan on the radio WKYC ?
04\66	DB 04\66	Notice that R W McGuire died at age 52. He was active in NA and a frequent visitor to HLC.

10\66	DB 10\66	Story that Emmett Cooper is moving to Washington DC to be on the Postal Board of Appeal & Review.
10\66	EVD Report	Report by EVD to GC SA Advisory Board on the NA program sponsored by HLC with Capt Dimond as Board Chair.
11\66	Newspaper clip	NA meets Wed 8:30 pm at E 9th. Contact Major Dimond 781-3773. Harry Katz's letter on Halfway House plan by Rev James Redding (suggesting cooperation with HLC ???).
01\68	Newspaper clip	Members of NA to be on Studio 13 (Radio WERE with Pete Franklin) to discuss drug addiction. Contact NA Box 72 Novelty OH 44072 (Richard Klemmens).
03\69	DB 03\69	Lt Burt Miller (Narcotics Unit of Detective bureau of Cleveland Police Department) speaker at HLC NOALCO Club.
04\69	HLC 20th Ann Program	NA meets on Wednesdays 8:30 pm at HLC.
07\69	DB 07\69	NA Group meeting at HLC
03\70	Cleve Plain Dealer 3\22\70	Gordon S Friedman, a lawyer in the Public Defenders Office, will resign June 1 to start a free drug clinic through the Criminal Justice Coordination Council. It will be patterned after similar projects in San Francisco and Los Angeles. Friedman lives at 13020 Drexmore Road SE. Cleveland.
06\70	Cleve Press 06\22\70	Panel to discuss drug problems in Cleveland will meet 6\23\70 at Cleveland Metropolitan General Hospital at 7:00 pm. The NA coordinator for Cuyahoga County said NA is open to all who need it and is headquartered at 1710 Prospect Avenue (the relocated HLC).
09\70	HLC file	Tom D has been a volunteer lay leader of one of our weekly discussion groups (NA) for the past two years. Has been faithful in attendance and satisfactory as a lay leader.
10\70	HLC file	The NA group sponsored for the past 7 years by HLC is going into recess. All calls will be referred to the "Together" Group at the Free Clinic in University Circle.
9\72	Cleve Plain Dealer 9\23\72	NA has opened its meetings to the public. Meets at 8:00 pm Wednesdays at the Crisis Center 3408 Lorain Avenue and at 8:00 pm Fridays at the Epiphany School 11901 Oakfield Avenue SE.

9\72	HLC file	Richard Klemmens, formerly with the HLC NA group is now with the City of Cleveland Community Relations Board and working with drug addicts. He has been on several radio shows and has 3 groups meeting in Cleveland.
11\72	Cleveland Press 11\08\72	Richard K, 44, general services officer in Ohio for NA reports three weekly meetings with about 300 members in the Cleveland area. Mtgs are at 7:00 pm; Monday at Epephany School, 11901 Oakfield Avenue; Wednesday & Friday at Crisis Center, 3408 Lorain Avenue. FMI call 651-8200 or send \$1 to NA, PO Box 6521 Cleveland, 44101.
11\72	HLC file	Letter 11\27\72 from Major E V Dimond (HLC) to Brig W C French (NE Ohio Div Commander) re NA history. Started 11\6\63, sponsored by HLC with co-leaders Mickey McQuire (Cleveland House of Correction) and Capt EVD (HLC). Leadership was soon turned over to members and McQuire resigned. EVD became Board Chair and was joined in the weekly meetings at HLC by Emmett Cooper who also joined the NA Board. He was then Personnel Director of the Cleveland Post Office and now serving in Washington, DC. He is the twin brother of B J Cooper, presently head of the Ohio Department of Corrections. The group went through a series of leadership crises and a prolonged struggle over membership criteria but for most of seven years the group met weekly at HLC. The group recessed 10\01\70 and referrals made to the "Together Group", part of the Free Clinic. Meeting space was a problem and government emphasis was upon separating alcoholism and drug addiction programs. NA is active now under the leadership of a former HLC leader who is now with the Cleveland OEO program and is holding three meetings per week.
11\72	HLC file	Letter 11\27\72 from Major E V Dimond to Brig Dorothy (Dolly) Berry Hebron KY. Our last HLC NA leader has been given a complete pardon by Ohio Gov Gilliagan and is now attending college in Calif on a scholarship. Another of our members is working for the Cleveland Community Relations Dept and is keeping 3 weekly NA groups going.
05\75	HLC file	Letter from Mrs Harold Necker, General Secretary, Federation Antialcoolique Genevoise to NA HLC 830 Eagle Ave Cleveland OH. Wants to know if NA results are as good as AA.

03\78	HLC file	Letter 03\07\78 from E C Gauderer, MD (Rio de Janeiro Brazil) to HLC 830 Eagle Ave. We are a group of persons (psychiatrists, psychologists, lawyers, etc) who are interested in Drug Addiction and also installing a Recuperation Center for Drug Addicts in our country. We would be most grateful if your Institute, which has done a great deal of study on this subject, could send us information, etc.
06\92	DB 6\92	Ohio Dept of Alcohol & Drug Addiction Services has re-certified the HLC Out-Patient Treatment program. The auditor expressed his satisfaction with the program and staff. HLC admits 160 clients a year, and provides each client with 50 hours of intensive substance abuse treatment.