Unity

2	Where does Unity start? Unity starts at the NA Home Group on how we carry the
3	message. What message we carry, if are Home Group are unified with the message of
4	complete abstinence from all mood changing chemicals and mind altering Drugs. All NA
5	Home Groups can have a format as long as they are unified in the message of recovery
6	from active addition and all addicts are welcome as it talks about in the Basic Text
7	Chapter Two "What Is the Narcotics Anonymous Program"
8	This Unity we talk about in the NA Program deals with are message from active addition
9	and how we recover through the twelve steps. That any addict anywhere can recover in
10	total complete freedom to go and come as they feel without feeling they have to be
11	here, they stay here on their own free will seeking recovery through the twelve steps.
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13	This program is a choice are sharing primary concerns itself with honest sharing on how
14	we stay clean through the NA Program. Are steps and traditions are set down in an
15	order that are unified in a set of principles that work to ensure that any addict can
16	recover through the program of NA without being forced on the addict. We have no
17	caste system in Narcotics Anonymous all addicts are welcome. It does not matter what
18	drugs we did, only in what we want to do about are problem, this is where are Unity of
19	are message is the same. There is no difference in the NA message the message is
20	unified in that any addict anywhere can stay clean and recover in the NA Program.

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1 Our traditions are written in order for a reason. We hear this over and over but what does it mean? We believe the principle of unity because without it the rest of our 2 traditions are compromised. Our literature says personal recovery depends on NA 3 unity, and that unity is dependent on how well we follow our traditions. What is the 4 biggest threat to NA from within? Not following our traditions causes disunity. Several 5 ask "how can we improve NA unity?" We need to start at home just like how we work 6 steps. The difference is with steps home starts with individuals. For our traditions 7 home is our home group. If each addict does there part to follow NA traditions in our 8 9 home "the principle of unity comes first because without unity of purpose all our other traditions are compromised"...Disunity happens when our traditions are altered, 10 changed or compromised. "How can we improve NA unity ". NA unity as a whole we 11 will grow. 12

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Where does Unity start? A dictionary defines Unity as a whole or totality as combiningall its parts into one.

So Unity starts at the NA Home Group. Home Groups are unified with the message of complete abstinence from all mood and mind altering chemicals for recovery to be possible. All NA Home Groups can have different meeting formats as long as they are unified with the message of recovery from active addition. All addicts are welcome as it mentions in our Basic Text Chapter Two "What Is the Narcotics Anonymous Program" This Unity we talk about in the NA Program is not the same as uniformity. Our diversity and unity of purpose leads to unity in action. That action is how we recover through

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abstinence and the twelve steps of NA. That any addict that come to our meetings have
the freedom to go and come as they feel without feeling they have to be here, or forced
to be here by outside forces, they here on their own free will and free to seek recovery
through the twelve steps of NA.

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6 Our program is a choice. Our sharing primarily concerns itself with addicts sharing on how we stay clean through the NA Program. Our steps and traditions are set down in an 7 order that are unified through a set of principles so simple in their practice, that any 8 addict can practice and recover through the program of NA. We have no caste system 9 in Narcotics Anonymous all addicts are welcome. It does not matter what drugs we did, 10 only in what we want to do about our problem, and how we can help. This is where our 11 Unity of our message is the same. There is no difference in the NA message no matter 12 what NA meeting we go to. The message is unified in that any addict anywhere can stay 13 clean and recover in the NA program. Work In Progress for review and input only 14



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