Netiquette for PIR®

Given that every meeting is autonomous except in matters that concern PIR® as a whole, we offer these statements as topics for discussion in individual meetings. Individual meetings can decide whether or not to adopt any or all of these statements but the Literature Committee has written them exclusively for the purpose of having conversation on the topics these statements cover.

Zoom-Related topics

Chat Function

The chat function will/will not be disabled during the sharing portion of the meeting so members are able to better focus on spoken shares (if not disabled, the following could be added: Please be considerate in using the chat function during peoples' shares as some find the chatting distracting and disrespectful during their shares. If this is the case with you, we suggest that at the beginning of your share you ask people not to chat while you're sharing.

Private Chats

If you wish to contact someone in a private message, we recommend that you first send a private message asking for permission to engage in such an exchange.

Info for phone users: Use (star) *9 to raise your virtual hand and (star) *6 to mute/unmute if you've dialed in by phone.

Zoom Meeting Etiquette Statement:

Since PIR® is a gathering of people from many 12-Step groups recovering from a wide range of compulsive behaviors and addictions, we ask that you be mindful of what you are doing on camera and what you share during this meeting. Please be considerate and turn off your camera while moving around, eating, drinking, smoking, vaping or engaging in other activities that some may find distracting or triggering. Make sure that you mute yourself when you are not sharing. If you've already shared, please allow everyone else to share before asking to share again or "double-dip."

Timekeeper Statement:

In this group we'll limit shares to (3 minutes suggested)__ minutes. Could we get a timekeeper? (pause). Thank you (to volunteer timekeeper). The timekeeper will give a one minute warning and a signal for "time" in the chat function. If you need a verbal warning please announce that at the beginning of your share.

Safety Statement:

If you feel unsafe or triggered by something someone is doing/saying in this meeting please private message the chair/host.

Under The Influence Statement:

If you're currently under the influence please refrain from sharing today and instead listen for the experience/strength/hope you would like to have. Please stay around for the parking lot to connect with members to help you in your recovery process.

Possible closing statement

The opinions expressed here were strictly those of the persons who gave them and shouldn't be taken to represent the views of PIR® as a whole. Take what you like and leave the rest. The things you heard here were spoken in confidence and should be treated as confidential. What you hear here, let it stay here.

Tags

M = Man/Male Identifying.	**W** = Woman/Female Identifying.	**Q** = LGBTQIA+.	**MM** = Mixed Meeting.
FB = Feedback permitted.	**S** = Speaker discussion.	**T** = Topic discussion.	**L** = Literature discussion.
BB = Big Book study and discussion.	**TT** = Twelve Traditions discussion.	**O** = Open.	**C** = Closed.
B = Beginner/Newcomer.	**M** = Meditation.	**SS** = Step Study.	**SLAA** = SLAA discussion.
CODA = CoDa discussion.	**ANON** = Al Anon discussion.	**ACA** = ACA discussion.	**ND** = Neurodivergent friendly.

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