ICE BREAKER PHONE CHALLENGE



Submit your list to the Challenge Chair via email at <u>curlyq1270@yahoo.com</u> by March 15, 2016.

Include your meeting's day, time, and place: Tuesday Night, 7:00-8:00 PM, Brick, New Jersey

Contact e-mail and phone number:

Intergroup the meeting belongs to:

Central Jersey Intergroup

- 1. I am just making an outreach call
- 2. My sponsor requires me to make 3 calls a day
- 3. My phone weighs 2000 pounds but I picked it up to call you
- 4. I was so afraid to call
- 5. I was hoping you wouldn't answer, I would rather eat
- 6. Your share about bulimia was just what I needed to hear
- 7. I am struggling with abstinence and my sponsor gave me homework to call 5 people and ask what their food plans were
- 8. Calls are not my thing, so I don't know what to say
- 9. I am not yet sponsoring, but need to do service so I am making calls
- 10. I just wanted to say thanks for your share
- 11. I loved your share and would like to talk a bit more on that topic
- 12. I needed to talk to someone who can relate to my issue
- 13. I missed you at the meeting
- 14. I am not willing to do what it takes and need a kick in the butt
- 15. Just called to check in on you
- 16. I saw your name in the IG newsletter to take calls
- 17. I am in a dark place and could use some positive program
- 18. The food is calling so I needed to talk
- 19. I was on the way to the vending machine and was looking for someone to talk me down off the ledge
- 20. I am at a party surrounded by my red foods and need help
- 21. Haven't heard from you for awhile
- 22. Miss hearing your voice
- 23. How are you?
- 24. I am looking for variety in my food, do you have any recipes to share
- 25. Wanted to call to welcome you to our meeting
- 26. Would you like to join me for tea after the meeting
- 27. I pulled your name out of our We Care Book
- 28. I saw your name on the holiday call list
- 29. I hope I haven't called at a bad time
- 30. I was afraid to call
- 31. I don't want to take much of your time
- 32. I don't know what to say but I need to talk
- 33. Yo, what's up
- 34. I have questions about sponsoring and am looking for suggestions
- 35. Maybe this is a bad time, but step 1 reminds me that I am powerless to find the right time
- 36. Can you talk
- 37. Oh bummer, I was hoping to get voicemail
- 38. Are you the person who spoke at IDEA Day
- 39. Do you use any of the online tools
- 40. I need help working the steps

41. I am looking for advice on finding a sponsor 42. I can't keep lying and saying that I am ok, I need to share this with someone 43. Que pasa 44. Just called to let you know I care 45. Calling to see what's new with you 46. I don't get this ODAAT thing, do you 47. Didn't expect anyone to answer the phone....We Care book says you only take calls after 7PM 48. Hello dear friend... . We met at the meeting 49. This is from 50. I am using my tools and working my program by making calls 51. Qu'est que passe 52. Hello _____'s voicemail, how are you....please let ______know that I called 53. This is an obscene phone call because my defects are screaming 54. I have been abstinent for 30 days and just needed to share that with someone 55. Been praying for your recovery 56. Do you need a ride to the meeting 57. Have you tried any of the phone meetings 58. How can I support you in program 59. I am vegetarian and am searching for some good recipes 60. Wondering if you can recommend any Step meetings in the immediate area 61. Was listening to a recording on the IG web and had an "ah ha" moment I just have to share 62. Been praying for you, how is it going 63. Just wanted to wish you love, peace and abstinence
64. Working for my "program" karma points by making phone calls 65. Haven't seen you for a while and miss you 66. You have been on my mind 67. Can we talk about what Step 3 means for you....I am struggling with what it means to "turn my will over" 68. Having trouble "wrapping my mind" around a spiritual experience" 69. What's with all the God and HP talk? Thought this was a program to loose weight 70. Can we pray together for a few minutes? 71. I am working it by making calls am not ver consecute but need to do verice so I em making calls 72. Hey, ya busy 73. Want to join us for an abstinent dinner before the meeting 74. What are you grateful for today 75. Have you found a concept of HP that works for you 76. How many meetings do you go to each week 77. Called to let you know about the OA podcast 70. Are you going to Unity Day, I am looking for a ride
79. I am afraid to ask for a sponsor, how did you do that
80. Why do we read AA book in OA 78. Are you going to Unity Day, I am looking for a ride 80. Why do we read AA book in OA 80. Why do we read AA book in OA81. I have "a hole in my heart" that only talking to you can fill 82. I didn't get my dose of your inspiration this week 83. What are you grateful for today 84. What did you do to "pay it forward" today 85. I was struggling yesterday and heard your voice in my head saying that the food solves nothing 86. What do you do to "act as if" for impatience 87. How does your group support member's recovery 88. Good morning to you 89. Thank you for answering, I was dreading talking to another answering machine 90. Setting up a carpool, would you like to join us 91. Want to go for tea after the meeting this week 92. Just checking in on you 93. What's God got to do with losing weight 94. What do you do to support other members in recovery 95. What service can I do when I am not abstinent 96. Help...I need somebody 97. Amazing stuff you share 98. Help me please, I am ready to dive into a binge 99. My food is a mess and so am I 100. I need to be honest with someone 101. I don't know what it is, but I have been struggling lately

102. I am so ashamed to say that I am not ok

- 103. My food was good today....how was yours
- 104. All is ok....today I have hope
- 105. Happy Monday (or Friday....or whatever day)!
- 106. My day got away from me, I am sorry to be calling so late
- 107. Wishing you an abstinent day
- 108. Reaching out to wish you a God-focused and God-filled day
- 109. I am calling to commit to being abstinent today
- 110. Today I am asking for God's help and showing my willingness to change by making calls
- 111. Being grateful for all my blessings....you are one of them
- 112. So you and I didn't win the lottery today, but I am rich with program
- 113. I need a "booster shot" of program to protect me from the food bug
- 114. Hearing your voice always makes me smile
- 115. I have learned so much from your shares and wanted you to know how much you are appreciated
- 116. Working my defects makes me depressed...how do I face them without needing to eat over them
- 117. Mulling over what is at the root of my difficulties and need another opinion
- 118. Hope you are having a wonderful week (or weekend)
- 119. I know you have a lot going on right now and wanted to know how I could support you
- 120. I apologize for not calling sooner
- 121. Wanted to thank you for your service
- 122. Touching base with my peeps
- 123. OMG can you believe this....I am making an outreach call
- 124. So sorry to hear about your struggles at meeting
- 125. For today I am keeping my head out of the clouds and taking small actions, like making calls
- 126. I get crazy during the afternoon and need to use my tools to stay out of the food
- 127. People in the rooms are driving me nuts, how do I deal with my judgements
- 128. I am reaching out to put my hand in yours for love and understanding
- 129. I wanted to make sure I spoke to you before the weekend
- 130. I learned a lot at the Friday meeting and wanted to share some of my Ah ha's
- 131. I notice how much better I am feeling when I am making calls
- 132. Feeling overwhelmed by life and need to talk
- 133. I am cranky today and need to talk to someone who understands and can set be straight
- 134. Yesterday's food wasn't satisfying, I felt sick...is this withdrawal
- 135. Not sure there is hope for me
- 136. Being in your company yesterday enhanced a beautiful day
- 137. Top of the morning to you, will I get to see your smiling face tonight
- 138. Wishing you love, peace and abstinence
- 139. Please tell me that it all gets easier
- 140. I have a thought for the day that I wanted to share
- 141. You haven't seen me for a while, I left program and am trying to re-enter
- 142. I wish our paths crossed more



Thursday evening Hillsborough NJ 08844 - Group# 47678

Ice Breakers List:

- Actually I was ordering pizza and I dialed the wrong number.
- I'm holding a loaded Ice Cream Cone and I'm not afraid to use it.
- Somebody left their Abstinence at the Meeting a while ago, and I was just calling around to see who lost it.
- My HP said I should call.
- Will you recite the Serenity Prayer with me?
- Would you like to carpool to xyz meeting with me?
- Morning, thank you for picking up my call. I needed to hear an understanding voice today.
- Wow! What about that 'For Today' reading!
- My sponsor said it is very important to make these calls and said I need to keep calling until I talk to 3 actual people - so thank you so much for answering. Your #1!! (or 2 or 3).
- Did you have a chance to read the Voices of Recovery i thought it was great can I share part of it with you?
- I really need to make an outreach call are you okay if I tell you why?
- I'm scared making these calls I hope I didn't disturb you but I'm so glad you answered do you have a minute or 2?
- I really appreciated your share at the xx meeting and wanted to follow-up with you. OR .. I could really identify with what you said.
- I'm really grateful you wrote your name and number in the we care book. I
 wanted to follow-up with you from the meeting.