



# CONNECTING PEOPLE AROUND THE WORLD AL-ANON FAMILY GROUPS

## 2008 Al-Anon International Convention

## Quick Answers

### When and where will the International Convention be held?

July 4-6, 2008 in Pittsburgh, PA

### How do I get Registration/Housing forms?

Registration and Housing forms will be mailed to all registered groups, Literature Distribution Centers, Al-Anon Information Services, and General Service Offices at the end of August or the beginning of September 2007. So ask in your group. [At the end of August or the beginning of September 2007]

### Where else will Registration/Housing forms be available?

On the Members' Web site,  
([www.al-anon.alateen.org/members](http://www.al-anon.alateen.org/members)).

### How can I complete my Registration/Housing form?

The form can be submitted on-line, by surface mail, or by fax.

### Will there be a number I can call for additional information?

Yes, the number will be listed on the Registration form. However, **you cannot register by phone.**

### What is the registration fee?

- \$105.00 - **By** December 31, 2007
- \$125.00 - **From** January 1 - May 31, 2008
- \$150.00 - **After** May 31 or on-site

### Why do I have to pay to attend? I thought Al-Anon was free.

There are Al-Anon meetings in the Pittsburgh area throughout the weekend that are open to everyone. However, the International Convention is a paid event. The registration fee helps to cover the expenses of the event, so that the convention will be self-supporting.

### Is housing included in the registration fee?

No. You will need to register first in order to make your housing reservations.

### Will I get a better deal by circumventing the housing process?

You may. However, we ask members not to do this. Receiving credit for the room block will lower overall costs and make Al-Anon Family Groups more credible for future international conventions. In order for Al-Anon Family Groups to receive credit toward the room block, we ask that you use the Housing Reservation section on the official form.

### Will Alateen and A.A. activities be available for my family?

Yes, Alateen has scheduled a variety of daytime meetings and workshops on Friday and Saturday. A.A. will also have daytime meetings and workshops on Friday and Saturday.

### Will there be any service-related events?

Plans are underway for a special series of service workshops on Thursday, July 3, before the Convention starts. **Space will be limited.**