

**Southeast Florida Gam-Anon, Palm Beach Gardens Gam-Anon - Thursday Night -
COMBINED GA/GAM-ANON - Meetings**

Resource number: 77291297

A program of: Self-Help Support Groups Gam-Anon

Description

The Palm Beach Gardens Thursday Night Gam-Anon Meeting takes place at Gardens Presbyterian Church on Thursday nights from 7:00pm-9:00pm (ET) and is a COMBINED - (GA & GAM-ANON) & CLOSED meeting. GA & Gam-Anon Members attend this meeting together.

Description of Location: Gardens Presbyterian Church is located 1 block west of Military Trail.

GAM-ANON

-Gam-Anon is for persons adversely affected by the gambler, such as family members and friends. Members are provided opportunities for learning how to cope with the gambler and accompanying difficulties. It is similar in structure and function to GA. It is not necessary for the gambler to attend Gamblers Anonymous in order for a family member, friend or other loved one to participate in the Gam-Anon program. Members are provided opportunities for learning how to cope with the gambler and accompanying difficulties. It is similar in structure and function to GA.

-Gam-Anon has devised 20 Questions that individuals can answer for purposes of determining Are You Living with a Compulsive Gambler?

-Additional points you should know about GA and Gam-Anon include:

-Both GA and Gam-Anon (and other similar self-help groups) function based upon 12 guiding principles and 12 steps; hence the name 12-step programs. These self-help fellowships do not have leaders and members agreeing to chair a meeting or perform other functions do so as a service, which is voluntary. Furthermore, GA and Gam-Anon do not align themselves with outside organizations. As such, they do not become involved with political or other matters and do not accept financial contributions from outside entities.

-At times, callers and others will confuse the FCCG with GA by thinking the two organizations are synonymous. This is incorrect. GA is a self-help group of men and women who meet regularly to share their experience, strength and hope in abstaining from gambling. The FCCG is a not-for-profit independent corporation that provides prevention, education, resource referral and training programs. This is also true nationwide as all GA and Gam-Anon fellowships operate in the same manner regardless of location.

Phone Numbers

Marion R.	561-965-0139 Primary Meeting Contact	South Florida East Coast Gam-Anon Hotline	718-352-1671 Secondary Meeting Contact
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Site Information

Location	Gardens Presbyterian Church, 4677 Hood Road Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33418	Description of Location	1 block west of Military Trail.
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Resources from The Florida Council on Compulsive Gambling, Inc

Mailing Address	Gardens Presbyterian Church, 4677 Hood Road Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33418	Hours	Thu: 7:00pm (ET) - 9:00pm (ET);
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Program Information

Eligibility

Languages Offered English, English

Payment Options

Fees Free

Application Process

Documents Required

Normal Wait Time

Capacity

Volunteer Opportunities No

Coverage Areas

FL - Palm Beach County - Palm Bch
Gdns - 33418

FL - Palm Beach County - Palm Beach
Gardens - 33418

FL - Palm Beach County - Riviera
Beach - 33418
FL - Palm Beach County - West Palm
Bch - 33418
FL - Palm Beach County - West Palm
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Main Contact

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