

Your Recovery Voices Matter!

(BIPOC, LGBTQ+, indigenous people, immigrants, people with physical and intellectual disabilities, diverse religious/spiritual backgrounds, etc.)

Diversity and Representation

SCDA is seeking stories written by debtors of diverse backgrounds that uplift and better represent our experience, strength and hope across the fellowship.

Relatable/Empowering Stories

SCDA is looking for diverse stories that are relatable and empowering. Your recovery provides support to our new and existing DA/BDA members that often don't see themselves represented in these spaces.

















DA Recovery Story Submissions

Written submissions of your recovery story are needed to continue making inclusive features in our future Checks and Balances publications and/or to be highlighted on the **SCDA** website (www.socalda.org.)

Submission Information and Details

Submissions should be between 500-1,500 words. Send your recovery story submission via email to publicinfo@socalda.org. Your work will be carefully reviewed and considered by a representative(s) of the subcommittee. You will be notified via email if your submission is selected. Please allow 3-4 weeks for us to review all submissions. We are also looking for DA members of diverse backgrounds to review the submissions prior to publication.

We wish you a thriving recovery on this journey!

"Whatever your story, you are welcome in Debtors Anonymous. In D.A., we celebrate the rich, diverse experiences of people of all identities. We embrace members of any race, ethnicity, nationality, gender, sexual orientation, age, physical or mental ability, socioeconomic status, religious, spiritual, or philosophical expression, or any other trait. Our various experiences benefit our recovery, so we encourage all members to value differences and actively participate in making D.A. an inclusive fellowship. Together, we create accessible and welcoming spaces for anyone with the desire to stop incurring debt, so that we may all recover one day at a time."

- Inclusivity Statement, 2022 Debtors Anonymous Manual of Service