May 26, 2021: OA MAI remains committed to protecting all its members but especially vulnerable members and members who give care to other vulnerable people. As some meetings transition back to face-to-face, please be aware of the public health guidelines for your locality, as well as the guidelines of the venue where your meeting is held.

By attending any face-to-face OA meeting within the Milwaukee Area Intergroup, you are acknowledging that an inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where vaccinated and unvaccinated people are likely to be present. Your attendance indicates that you voluntarily assume all risks related to exposure to COVID-19 and agree not to hold Overeaters Anonymous, the Milwaukee Area Intergroup or any of their directors, officers, contractors, volunteers or members liable for any illness or injury.

The Milwaukee Area Intergroup is a service body, not a governing body. According to our principles each meeting is autonomous, making its own decisions based on its group-conscience process.

The CDC has stated that fully vaccinated individuals no longer need to wear masks indoors. For the most current information see CDC guidelines, including recommendations for Choosing Safer Activities <u>https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/daily-life-coping/participate-in-activities.html</u>

IDENTIFYING VIRTUAL, PHONE AND IN-PERSON MEETINGS: OA MAI will continue to update the <u>MAI Virtual Meetings List</u> as information becomes available. If you are unsure of the details, please call the contact person of the meeting for clarification. To find contact information, go to the website's MEETINGS / EVENTS Calendar (this list includes meetings that have been suspended in the past year, or are in transition) and click on the particular meeting.

SERVICE: Consider serving fellow members in these ways:

- Call members who are not seen at meetings, who may be isolated
- Share announcements and reach out to members who are limited to phone only or not attending meetings anymore