Best Practice Submission Form

Headline (Brief and informative description):

Safety Focused

More Detailed Description:

Meeting designed around safety: Safe location, safety guidelines (but no rules! examples are on this website), and clear and gentle signage to find meeting inside building. (examples of signs also available on this site)

Benefits from practice:

Newcomers are reassured by safety measures.
Safe locations encourage members to return.
With posted Safety Guidelines, members tend to feel safe even when sharing deeply.
With clear signs on door, interruptions are less likely.

Downsides:

Many safe locations are also more remote and harder to find.
Safety guidelines can be misused as a set of rules.

How to handle downside:

Provide contact tel# to provide clear directions, and word guidelines as “Try to ….”

Who benefits the most from this practice?

Everyone