

The Conference Policies and Procedures Committee Report to the 2026 World Service Conference

The Conference Policies and Procedures Committee met weekly over several months in 2025 to review, where needed clarify, and finalize a Conference Service Manual. Work was done to compile policies that have previously been adopted by the Conference and include policies and procedures that have been in practice. This manual is a starting point and can be amended and added to by future Conferences. It is intended to form a vital part of the Delegate Packet prepared for the annual meeting of the World Service Conference (WSC), and be made available to all members of A.R.T.S.

The purpose of the Manual is to ensure transparency and make sure that all A.R.T.S. members can participate in service at all levels.

The Committee has submitted the Conference Service Manual as a motion to be considered at the 2026 World Service Conference.