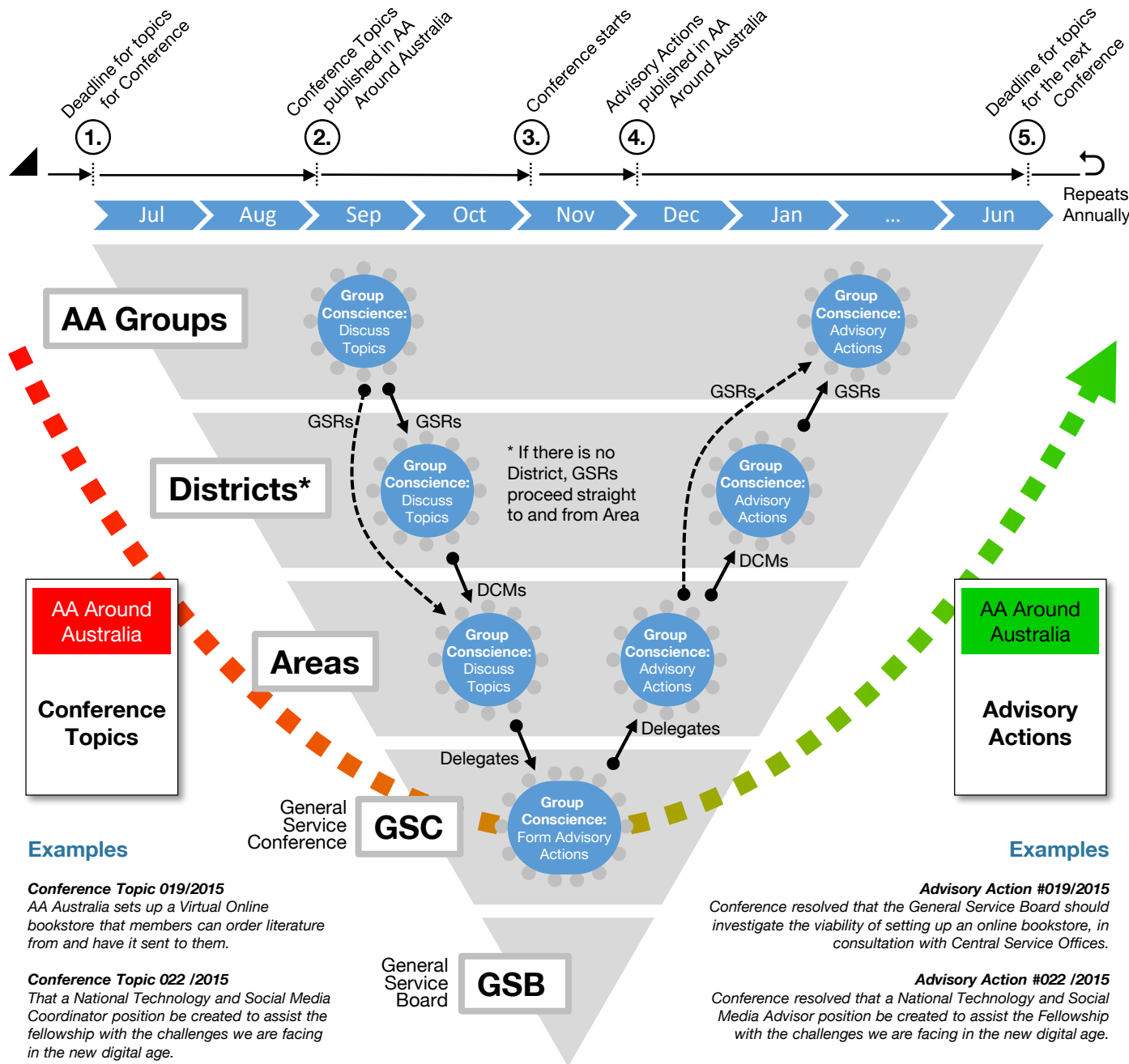


# The General Service Conference Annual Process Map



## AA's Group Conscience

The General Service Conference (GSC) means both the service structure of AA as well as the annual general meeting of Conference delegates.

The GSC begins with the group conscience. It also leads back to the group, since the group has final responsibility not just for initiating, but for implementing the decisions agreed upon by Conference. It is the practical means by which the 'group conscience' can express itself through the service structure in matters that concern AA as a whole.

## Topics for Conference

Each year, individual members, Groups, Areas and/or the GSB can submit topics for inclusion in the Conference agenda. Topics can be submitted through your Area Assembly or direct to the National Office [gso@aa.org.au](mailto:gso@aa.org.au) 48 Firth Street, Arncliffe, NSW 2205.

Please refer to the Topic Form for guidance on how to best prepare your topic for acceptance.

The accepted topics will be published in AA Around Australia which starts the group conscience discussion process. The outcome of which is taken by the Area Delegates to Conference to be expressed as Advisory Actions which are then published in AA Around Australia.

Conference is also the time for the General Service Board (GSB) to report back to the Fellowship on the work done since last Conference.

## More Information

- Topic Form available online at [www.aaservice.org.au](http://www.aaservice.org.au)
- The Australian Service Manual available online at <http://www.aaservice.org.au/members/servicemanual>
- Area E's website [www.areaeraa.info](http://www.areaeraa.info)

## Notes

- This process map is a general guide only; there may be variations and exceptions each year as necessary.
- All dates are approximate only – please refer to our website for exact dates.