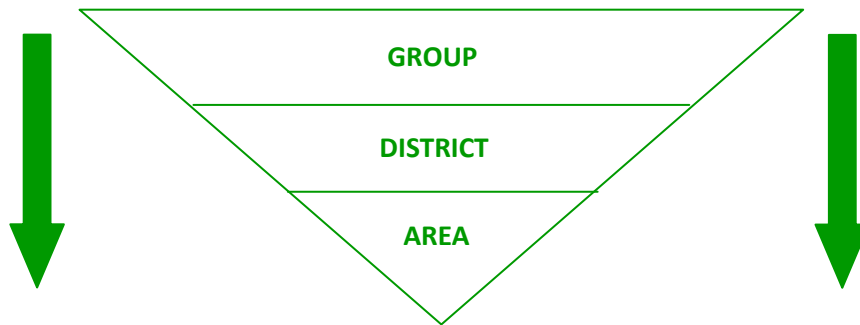


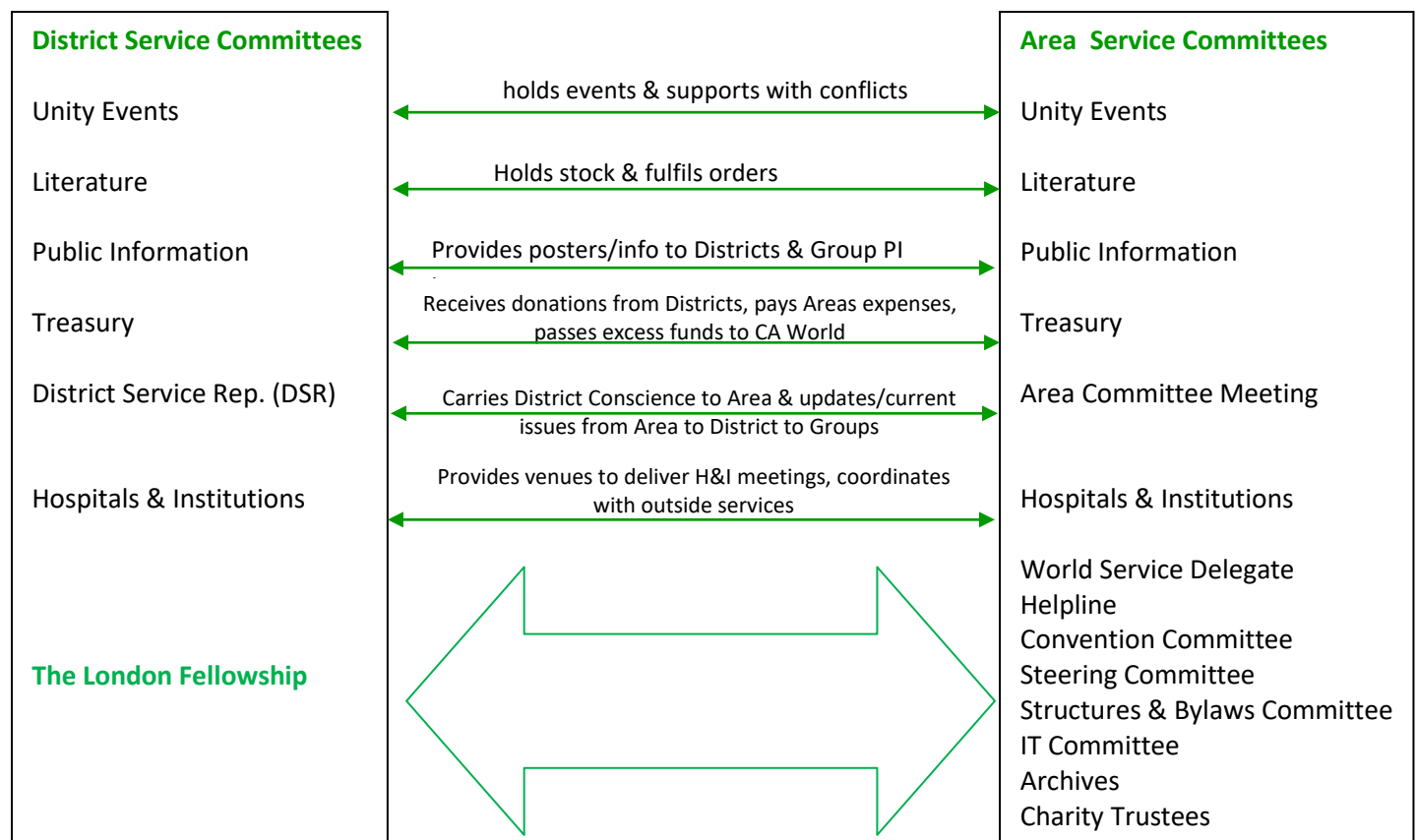
## District & Area Relationship



An area is usually a geographic unit within defined boundaries, like London or Wales. The primary function of an Area is to serve the common needs of its District(s) and Group(s) and to facilitate unification of the Fellowship. Each Area elects World Service Delegate(s). The Area Service Committee has several tasks such as establishing a permanent mailing address, incorporating the Area as a charity and operating a bank account.

**Monthly Area Service Committee Meetings:** These are administrative in nature where reports on day-to-day activities and issues are received, reviewed, and if appropriate, acted upon. These types of meetings may be held for these activities: **a.** Election of WSC Delegates and Area Officers. **b.** Treasurer's report. **c.** Local Convention report. **d.** WSC Delegate report. **e.** Old business/new business. **g.** Decision of major importance.

**Possible Voting Members Area Officers,** Committee Chairpersons, District Service Representatives, Group Service Representatives and Alternate GSR, WSC Delegates, Advisory Board/Steering Committee members, and other trusted servants.



### World Service Delegate (WSD)

Each area can elect 1 delegate for every 500 members. Delegate's are required to have a working knowledge of the World Service Manual, in particular the 12 Steps, 12 Traditions, 12 Concepts, the Standing Rules for the C.A. WSC, & Conference Charter. Prior to the annual World Service Conference (WSC) in the USA, the Delegate shares SR14 referral material with their area and its groups. The Delegates provide a crucial role in carrying the conscience of their respective Area to the WSC, voting on key matters that affect the worldwide fellowship and also sitting on World Service level committees.