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A Recovery Fellowship for Healthcare Professionals and Their Loved Ones

October 2024 Newsletter

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IDAA Recovery News and Updates

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Not a member? Join Today!

If you are not a member of IDAA you are missing out on a number of services that are only available to IDAA Members through the **IDAA Member Compass!**

1st Year Discount, use code: *IDAA2024*

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Today



IDAA 2025 - SPOKANE

IDAA Conference July 9-13, 2025

- Spokane, WA:

- [Register Now](#) (Early Bird Rates!)
- [Spokane Merchandise](#)
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IDAA Saturday Speaker Meeting



IDAA Saturday Speaker Meeting Recording

We're thrilled to share that the recording of our recent Saturday Speaker meeting is now available in the archive section of the members-only portal!

Speaker: Nikki V.

Location: Orlando, FL

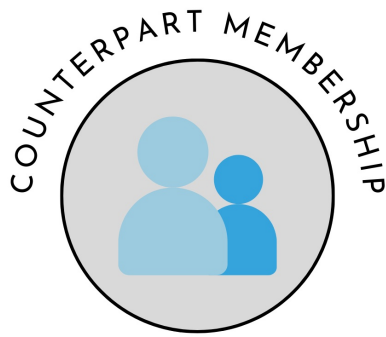
Specialty: Dermatologist

Don't miss the chance to listen to each

speaker's unique experiences, strengths, and the hope. Visit the portal now to access the recording!

[Saturday Speaker Archives \(Click Here\)](#)

**Must be logged in to access*



New Membership Type!

This exclusive membership allows your spouse or significant other to enjoy their own login, access the member directory (optional), and become more connected to the IDAA community. **It is available only to spouses, significant others or partners of current Doctoral (or Equivalent) Members and IDAA Family Recovery Members.**

[Click Here](#) to learn more.



An IDAA community of spouses, partners, parents, and children supporting medical professionals with substance use disorder.

IDAA Family Recovery

We're excited to share that our IDAA Family Recovery Committee held its first quarterly virtual meeting this month! All current IDAA Family Recovery members are encouraged to attend. The committee dates for 2025 are below:

- January 28, 2025
- April 22, 2025
- July 12, 2025 (Saturday in person in Spokane)
- October 28, 2025

More information is sent directly to all Family Recovery Members. [Click here](#) to learn more about IDAA's Family Recovery Community.

Become a Family Recovery Member



Giving Tuesday

As the holiday season approaches, we want to remind you about GivingTuesday on **December 3, 2024**. Your donations will support the IDAA Scholarship Fund, helping individuals attend the Annual Conference regardless of financial circumstances. Additional details to come in November!

IDAA Ambassador

Conference Season is Here!

become an
IDAA
AMBASSADOR



Are you planning to attend an upcoming conference? NAADAC? NEPG? AAAP?...

We are seeking IDAA Ambassadors to help spread the message of hope and recovery and IDAA fellowship at upcoming conferences. Please reach out if you are interested or need printed materials, info@idaa.org.

Already served as an ambassador? Please remember to complete the form ([click here](#)) so we can track where IDAA has been represented!

[Click Here for Additional Details & Resources!](#)



Donor-Advised Fund



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A donor-advised fund (DAF) is a personal investment account for charitable or philanthropic giving. It allows individuals/families to make charitable contributions to the donor-advised fund and then distribute directly from the fund to qualified nonprofit organizations of their choice, such as IDAA. Benefits include immediate tax deductions for contributions and the ability to grow donations tax-free

through investment before disbursement.

If you are interested in learning more about donor-advised funds, please contact your financial advisor or broker.



Virtual Member Meeting

IDAA will be hosting a virtual Member Meeting on **Saturday, February 15th, at 6 PM EST**. This meeting will be similar to the Town Hall Meeting held during our annual conference.

We understand that not everyone can attend in person each year, so we're excited to offer this opportunity for everyone to participate!

*You must be an IDAA member to attend.
More details to follow.*



PAST CONFERENCE RECORDINGS NEEDED

IDAA Archives Needed!

Central Office is in the process of adding past conference recordings to the archive section of our Member Compass. We are currently seeking recordings from the conferences held in 2004 and 2012, both of which took place in Orlando, FL.

Please email info@idaa.org if you have either!

COME WEST!



IDAA 2025 - SPOKANE

July 9-13, 2025

Lock in Early Bird Rates!

Come west to the 76th Annual IDAA Conference in Spokane, Washington, from July 9-13, 2025! Explore your authentic self as we delve into the meaning of "To Thine Own Self Be True."

Register today ([click here](#))

Book your lodging ([click here](#))

Help us spread the word by sharing our conference flyer ([click here](#))

NEPG 2024

November 7-10, 2024
The Nonantum
Kennebunkport, ME

46th Annual Meeting



Register for the Conference and Hotel @
neprofessionalgroup.org

New England Professional Group Meeting

Join NEPG at The Nonantum in Kennebunkport, ME November 7-10th, 2024 as they walk the path of recovery in the fellowship of friends and colleagues. Conference registration includes snack break, coffee, Friday and Saturday luncheon and Saturday Banquet Buffet.

A limited amount of scholarships are also available. Learn more [here](#).

[Register Here](#)

Forever Sober

We are deeply saddened to share the news of the passing of the following IDAA members:

Molly O'Griffin

9/28/1976- 9/21/2024

Forever Sober



Upcoming International and US Meetings:

November 7-10, 2024

- **46th Annual New England Professionals Group (NEPG) Conference**
- Venue: The Nonantum, Kennebunkport, ME
- [Click Here for Details](#)

February 20-23, 2025

- **Western Doctors in Recovery (WDR)**
- Venue: Hyatt in La Jolla
- [Click Here for Details](#)

June 6-8, 2025

- **28th Annual Australian & NZ Doctors in Recovery Annual Meeting**
- Location: Cairns, Queensland, Australia
- [Click Here for Details](#)

July 9-13, 2025

- **76th Annual IDAA Annual Conference – International Doctors in AA**
- Venue: The Davenport Grand - Spokane, Washington
- [Click Here for Details](#)

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What is IDAA?

IDAA is a nonprofit organization committed to empowering healthcare professionals and their families in their journey to recovery from substance abuse disorder. We connect individuals struggling or in recovery from substance abuse and loved ones to supportive communities, both online and in person. Here, they can find inspiration, strength, and hope as they hear personal stories of recovery from addiction as told by fellow healthcare professionals. To further our mission, we gather annually for a conference, delving into the educational depths of addiction as a disease and providing invaluable spiritual support to one another.

Get In Touch

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Mission Statement: The mission of IDAA is to carry the message of recovery to healthcare professionals and their families.

Vision Statement: IDAA envisions recovery for all healthcare professionals and their families impacted by addictive disorders.

IDAA Inclusivity Statement: IDAA envisions Recovery for all health care professionals and their families impacted by addictive disorders. We celebrate Diversity and are committed to Equity and Inclusion of

people from all Racial, Ethnic, Cultural, Sexual/Gender and Spiritual identities. Many Recovery Pathways in addition to AA are represented at the IDAA Annual Meeting, Regional Meetings, and on our virtual and email meetings.

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