

**20th Anniversary
Advocacy Action Day**
*20 Years of Advocating for the
Addiction Profession*

March 4-6, 2007
Doubletree Crystal City
Arlington, VA

*For reservation information, visit
www.naadac.org*



Remember!
NAADAC 35th Anniversary
Annual Conference
in cooperation with the
Tennessee Association of Alcohol and
Drug Addiction Counselors
September 5-8, 2007
Nashville, TN

*Presentation proposals are currently being accepted.
For details on the conference, please visit
www.naadac.org or www.taadac.org*

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EARN 9.5 Business Hours

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naatp
national association of addiction treatment providers

In partnership with:

The Danya Institute


NASADAD
national association of substance abuse and mental health professionals




TCA
Therapeutic Communities of America

Conference Schedule

March 4, 2007

- Noon–6:00pm Registration
- 4:00pm–5:30pm Advocacy 101
An introduction or refresher on effective advocacy including how to communicate with legislators and their staff, key points to emphasize and how to leave the legislators wanting more.
- 5:30pm–8:30pm Exhibit Hall Grand Opening
Meet targeted exhibitors from around the nation who are supporting Advocacy Action day.
- 6:00pm–8:00pm PAC Reception and Auction
Support the only national addiction focused Political Action Committee (PAC) with speakers and a live auction. \$35 suggested donation.

March 5, 2007

- 8:00am–9:00am Continental Breakfast
- 8:00am–7:00pm Exhibit Hall Open
- 9:00am–Noon Mentoring Sessions and Speakers
Learn legislative expertise from national and local experts who have worked on and with Capitol Hill. Experienced advocates will be available to pair up and mentor new participants.
- 10:00am–10:30am Coffee Break
Sponsored by Bridging the Gaps 
- Noon–1:00pm Lunch
Sponsored by The Danya Institute 
- 1:00pm–4:00pm Policy Briefing
Learn about current legislation, funding and the ins and outs of addiction focused issues facing the Congress and Senate.
- 2:30pm–3:00pm Coffee Break
- 7:00pm–9:00pm Legislative Awards Dinner
NAADAC's Public Policy Committee will honor national figures with the Advocate and Legislator of the Year awards.

March 6, 2007

- 7:30am–Noon Exhibit Hall Open
- 7:30am–9:00am Continental Breakfast
- 9:00am–2:00pm Visits on Capitol Hill
NAADAC will arrange meetings with legislators. Please call toll-free 800.548.0497 or send an e-mail to naadac@naadac.org (please put "Appointments" in the subject line) by February 27, 2007.
- 2:00pm–6:00pm Debriefing Session
Talk about your experiences and let NAADAC know which legislators need follow up contact or further information.

General Information

Continuing Education Credits

NAADAC will award business hour certificates of attendance to all registered conference participants. Please fill out the NAADAC Education Credit Validation Form in your registration packet and return it to the NAADAC Registration Desk before you leave. You may also mail it to the NAADAC Office, 901 N. Washington Street, Suite 600, Alexandria, VA 22314.

Certificates will be mailed to you within four weeks of receipt.

9.5 business hours are available for continuing education.

This conference is approved for Continuing Education Hours by:

- NAADAC Provider #000189
- Massachusetts Chapter, National Association of Social Workers**
- New York Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services, Education and Training Provider Certification Bureau (OASAS)**
- National Board of Certified Counselors
- Social Work approved hours
- American Probation and Parole Association

**Recognized by all chapters of each state certifying body.

For more information, visit www.naadac.org

Hotel Reservations

Reservations should be made at the **Doubletree Crystal City**
300 Army Navy Drive, Arlington, VA
www.doubletreecrystalcityhotel.com

For reservations, call 703.416.4100 or call toll-free 866.999.8439.

Rooms must be booked by **February 9, 2007** to receive the special room rate of \$189 (plus applicable taxes). Please mention NAADAC when making your booking.

Washington, DC, Sightseeing

Take the opportunity to enjoy what Washington, DC has to offer. Here are five recommendations:

Tours of Washington, DC

Experience the splendor of the area and visit national monuments and federal buildings, the US Capitol and other popular landmarks in the area.

For information on tours in the Washington, DC, area, visit www.washingtondc.com/attractions.

Sporting Events and Concerts

The Verizon Center is home to the NBA's Washington Wizards, the WNBA's Washington Mystics, the NHL's Washington Capitals and the Georgetown Hoyas Men's Basketball team. Located in the heart of Chinatown, the Verizon Center is only a few steps away from the White House and hosts more than 220 events and concerts each year.

For information on upcoming events, visit www.mcicenter.com.

Smithsonian Institution

The Smithsonian Institution is the world's largest museum complex and research organization composed of 17 museums and the National Zoo in the Washington, DC, metropolitan area.

For information on upcoming events, visit www.si.edu

US National Arboretum

Established in 1927, the National Arboretum has one of the largest North American collections of flora from around the world.

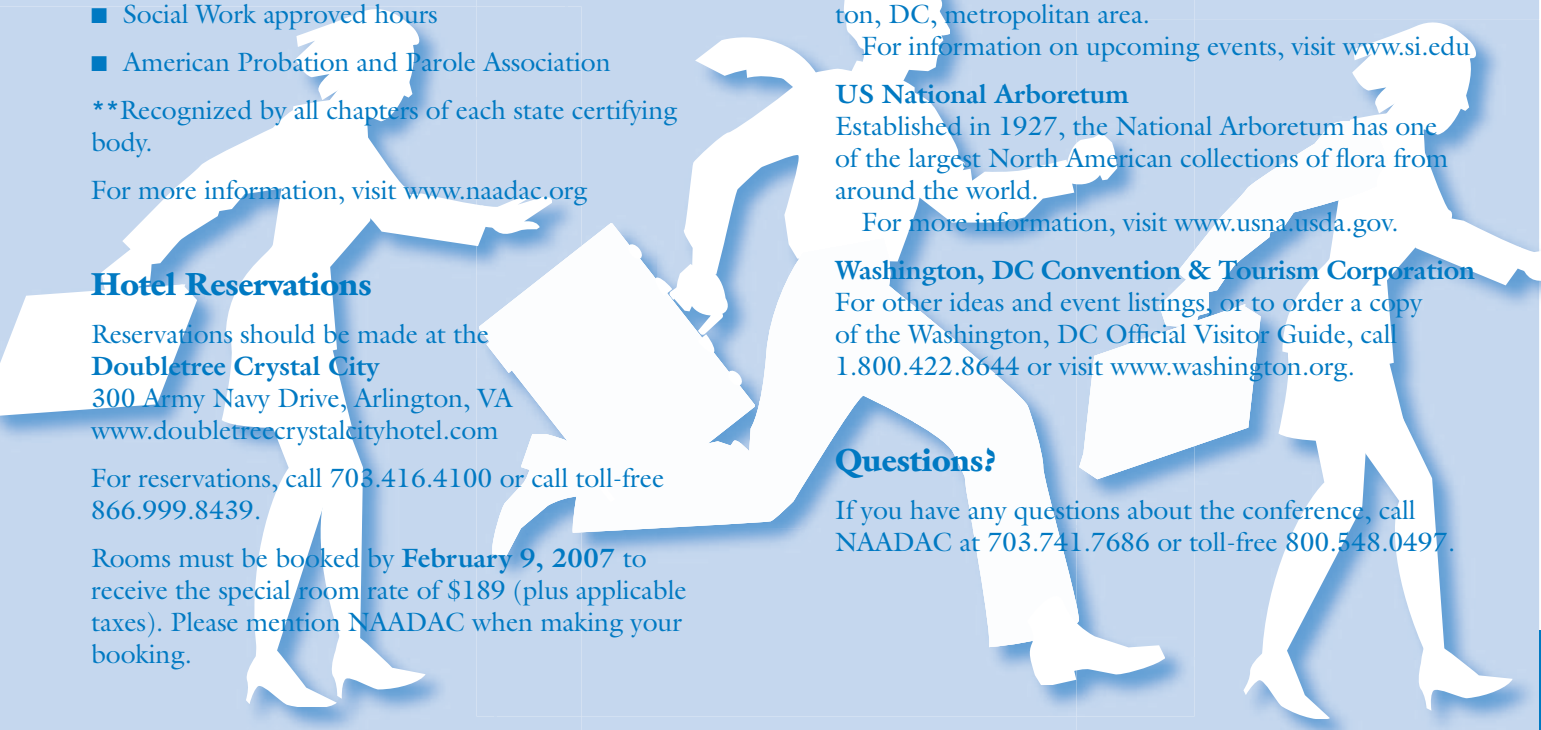
For more information, visit www.usna.usda.gov.

Washington, DC Convention & Tourism Corporation

For other ideas and event listings, or to order a copy of the Washington, DC Official Visitor Guide, call 1.800.422.8644 or visit www.washington.org.

Questions?

If you have any questions about the conference, call NAADAC at 703.741.7686 or toll-free 800.548.0497.



2007 Advocacy Action Day Registration Form

March 4-6, 2007 • DoubleTree Crystal City, 300 Army Navy Drive, Arlington VA 22202

YES, I want to attend the sessions at the rate checked below!

	EARLY BIRD SPECIAL! (Register by February 9!)	Regular Price (After February 9)
Students	<input type="checkbox"/> \$75	<input type="checkbox"/> \$100
NAADAC Members	<input type="checkbox"/> \$125	<input type="checkbox"/> \$150
Non-Members	<input type="checkbox"/> \$175	<input type="checkbox"/> \$200

This is my first NAADAC event. Yes No

For non-NAADAC members to receive the member rate for the conference, join NAADAC by calling 1.800.548.0497.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Ms. Mr. Dr. NAADAC Member ID # _____

Name _____

Home or Work Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Work Phone _____ Home Phone _____

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Email _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION

Check made payable to NAADAC and enclosed
(return by mail only).

Visa MasterCard American Express

Account # _____ Exp. Date _____

Signature _____

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Mail

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