

2013 Conference of Affiliates



Each year, NCADD Affiliates and others convene at the Conference of Affiliates for three days of training, networking and socializing. The 2013 Conference was held October 23-25 at the Hilton Arlington Ballston in Arlington, VA and had a strong public policy and advocacy component, including an event on Capitol Hill.

The Conference opened Wednesday morning with a keynote address by **Eric Goplerud, PhD**, Senior Vice President of NORC's Department of Substance Abuse, Mental Health, and Criminal Justice Studies. **Kevin Sabet, PhD**, Director, Drug Policy Institute and Assistant Professor, University of Florida College of Medicine, followed with a presentation on "Understanding the Current Policy Agenda re. Marijuana."

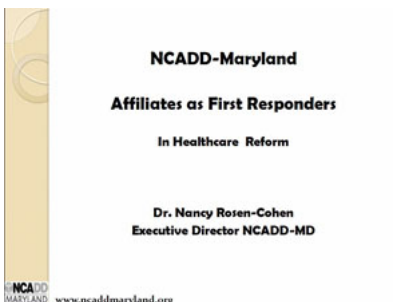
Following Dr. Sabet's presentation, the attendees heard from **David Mineta**, Deputy Director of the White House Office of National Drug Control Policy (ONDCP) on its policy shift to a public health model. A panel discussion on "Affiliates as First Responders in Health Care Reform" began the afternoon with presentations by **Gabrielle de la Gueronniere, JD**, Director for National Policy at the Legal Action Center, **Kevin Malone**, Senior Analyst in SDAMHSA's Office of Policy, Planning and Innovations, and two Affiliate Executive Directors--**Anne Doolen** of the North Carolina Affiliate, and **Nancy Rosen-Cohen, PhD**, of the Maryland Affiliate. A panel on "Our Critical Partners" with **Rob Morrison**, Executive Director of National Association of State Alcohol and Drug Abuse Directors (NASADAD) and **Charles Ingoglia**, Senior Vice President, Public Policy and Practice Improvement, National Council for Behavioral Health followed.

The afternoon concluded with NCADD Vice President of Policy and Advocacy, **John Magnuson**, preparing the participants for the "Visit to Capitol Hill" which took place the next morning and where all participants made visits to members of their congressional delegation. ([NCADDPolicyAgenda](#).) On Thursday afternoon, after a debriefing on the Capitol Hill experience, **Dr. Westley Clark**, Director of the Center for Substance Abuse Treatment (CSAP) addressed the group. Friday morning brought two perennial

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favorite portions of the Conference--the Round Robin, where attendees share information with one another, and a presentation of the Prevention & Education Award-winning program. This year's award recipient was NCADD of Middlesex County, in East Brunswick, NJ. **Steve Liga**, Affiliate CEO, presented on its "We're Not Buying It" program.

The following presentations were given at the conference:



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