

South Carolina Chapter of the
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
ON INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

proudly presents the

2012 SCAAIDD Annual Conference

October 10th, 11th, and 12th, 2012

Crown Reef Resort:
2913 South Ocean Boulevard
Myrtle Beach, SC 29577

The South Carolina Chapter of the American Association on Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities was established in order to advance the knowledge and skills of individuals in the field of mental retardation and related disabilities. Our goal is to provide a fun, exciting, and inexpensive forum for the exchange of information and ideas by inviting national and statewide leaders in the field to share their knowledge and experience.

The South Carolina Chapter of



will be presenting the 2012 Conference



History of
Excellence:

Past and Present

Wednesday-Friday, October 10,11,12, 2012

Great training and networking opportunities with a special track
geared to Direct Support Professionals

We received a number of requests to go Back to the Beach – so here we go. Last year's conference was a very well attended and brought people together from all over the state. The sessions were informative and registration was at capacity. Register early this year to not miss out. The sponsors and exhibitors are already signed up. We have a large contingent of sponsors and exhibitors, some of your old favorites, and some new. The planning committee has been working all year to put this together and provide discussion and presentations on current topics and ongoing solutions.

Accommodations provided by [Crown Reef Resort](#):

2913 South Ocean Boulevard
Myrtle Beach, SC 29577 ([map it](#))

- Nightly room rates are \$54 per night.
- For reservations, call Crown Reef at (877) 435-9125 or (843) 626-8077 and request registration code 5588

Registration:

- \$60 (AAIDD members), \$70 (non-members)
- To confirm registration, email information to jhitchman@ddsn.sc.gov or call (843) 495-3302
 - Payment (cash or check) will be accepted upon arrival at the conference
 - Registration includes:
 - Wednesday evening reception (light hors d'oeuvre)
 - Thursday buffet breakfast and lunch
 - Friday morning buffet breakfast

Pre-conference Symposium:

Sponsored and presented by Therap Services - providers of electronic documentation services.

Come and hear from the providers in South Carolina about their experiences of using Therap and find out -
How electronic documentation will improve quality and outcomes
How you can always be prepared for a survey
How staff can always know what they should know
How to do more with less

Hosted by Therap Services

October 10, 2012, 10am-Noon. [Register Online](#)

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Southeastern Paper Group
South Carolina Autism Society
South Carolina Equipment Distribution Program
Sure Hands Lift & Care Systems

Wednesday, October 10, 2012

10:00 am - 12:00 pm
12:00 pm

Pre-conference symposium (Therap Services)
Registration Begins

Wednesday, October 10, 2012

1:30 pm - 2:30 pm	Opening Keynote Speaker
2:45 pm - 3:45 pm	Concurrent Session (4)
6:00 pm - 8:30 pm	Reception
8:30 pm - 11:00 pm	Hospitality Room

Thursday, October 11, 2012

7:30 am - 9:00 am	Buffet Breakfast
9:15 am - 10:15 am	Concurrent Sessions (4)
10:30 am - 11:30 am	Concurrent Sessions (4)
12:00 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch
1:45 pm - 2:45 pm	Concurrent Sessions (4)
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Concurrent Sessions (4)
8:00 pm - 11:00 pm	Hospitality Room

Friday, October 12, 2012

7:30 am - 9:00 am	Buffet Breakfast
9:15 am - 10:30 am	Business Meeting / Awards Ceremony
10:30 am - 12:00 pm	Closing Keynote Speaker

SCAAIDD Officers

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American Association
on Intellectual and
Developmental Disabilities

Give Honor Where Honor Is Due!

Do you know someone who goes above and beyond the call of duty? What better way to recognize their efforts than to nominate them for a **SCAAIDD Annual Award**? We are looking for deserving persons in our field to receive SCAAIDD's Annual Awards. The nominee does not have to be an SCAAIDD member. These awards will be presented at the SCAAIDD Conference in Myrtle Beach October 10-12, 2012.

Award categories are:

Self Advocate of the Year

Student of the Year

Direct Support Staff of the Year

Outstanding Service to the Field Award.

Nominations must be returned by **September 26, 2012** to:

Renee Staggs
Tri-Development Center
PO Box 698
Aiken, SC 29803
803-642-8860
rstaggs@aikentdc.org

Attached are nomination forms for the **2012 SCAAIDD Annual Awards**. Please feel free to duplicate the forms if you have multiple nominations.

SCAAIDD ANNUAL AWARDS 2012

Outstanding Service to the Field Award:

Research/Education & Training/Supervision & Management

This SCAAIDD award recognizes excellence in one of three areas: 1) research, 2) education or training of staff and/or other professionals, or 3) management of a program that directly supports or advocates for persons with mental retardation.

Nominees must either conduct research in the area of intellectual disabilities; provide education or training to persons who support individuals with intellectual disabilities or develop and/or implement

management or advocacy practices that support persons with intellectual disabilities. It is desirable that nominees have AAIDD membership, but this is not a requirement.

Name of Nominee: _____

Address of Nominee: _____

Phone: (_____) _____

Fax: (_____) _____

Nominated by: _____ Phone: (_____) _____

Email: _____ AAIDD Member Number: _____

Please attach a brief description of the impact which the person is likely to have, or has had on: improving our understanding of persons with mental retardation; improving supports, services or advocacy efforts for persons with intellectual disabilities; or contributing to the prevention of intellectual and related disabilities.

Provide supporting documentation such as letters, news clippings, photos, etc.

In lieu of supporting documents, provide a professional reference (name, title, organization, address, phone & fax number) who can verify the nomination.

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Self Advocacy Award

SCAAIDD's Self-Advocacy Award honors a self-advocate who has contributed to improved services and supports within their community and statewide.

Nominees must be a current or previous recipient of services for a developmental disability. They should also be a member of a self-advocacy organization.

Name of Nominee: _____

Address of Nominee: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ Fax: (_____) _____

Nominated by: _____ Phone: (_____) _____

Email: _____ AAMR Member Number: _____

Please attach a brief description of self-advocacy activities of the nominee. These may include membership on local or statewide disability committees or professional boards, attendance and presentations at conferences, letter-writing campaigns, or other advocacy efforts. Explain how the self-advocacy has improved services and supports for those with developmental disabilities.

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Outstanding Service to the Field Award:
Direct Support Professional

SCAAIDD's Direct Support Professional - Outstanding Service to the Field Award recognizes excellence in education or training of individuals with developmental disabilities.

Nominees must provide direct supports to individuals with developmental disabilities. They may be employed in any relevant setting and serve any age group. It is desirable that nominees have AAIDD membership, but this is not a requirement.

Name of Nominee: _____

Address of Nominee: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ Fax: (_____) _____

Nominated by: _____ Phone: (_____) _____

Email: _____ AAIDD Member Number: _____

Please attach a brief description of the training or education provided and its value to individuals with developmental disabilities. Explain how the training or education promotes personal growth, independence and a normal lifestyle.

Provide supporting documentation such as letters, news clippings, photos, etc.

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