



ASAM  
**ANNUAL CONFERENCE**  
Innovations in Addiction Medicine and Science  
April 4-7, 2024 | Dallas, TX



# CONFERENCE *preview*



## ASAM 55<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference

April 4-7, 2024 | Dallas, TX

### Pre-Conference Courses

April 4, 2024 | 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

#### **WOMEN & ADDICTION:**

Screening, Treatment, and Whole Person Care

#### **PAIN & ADDICTION:**

Common Threads XXV

*Save \$100*

**REGISTER BY FEBRUARY 14  
FOR EARLY BIRD DISCOUNT**



In support of improving patient care, the American Society of Addiction Medicine is jointly accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education (ACCME), the Accreditation Council for Pharmacy Education (ACPE), and the American Nurses Credentialing Center (ANCC), to provide continuing education for the healthcare team.

# WHY ATTEND THE ASAM ANNUAL CONFERENCE



ASAM is a professional medical society representing over 7,000 physicians, clinicians, and associated professionals in the field of addiction medicine. At the Annual Conference, ASAM brings together members and non-members to connect, learn, and inspire.



## *Connect*

ASAM offers meaningful opportunities to meet colleagues from across the globe that share your passion for treating addiction. Build your network and find your professional community.



## *Learn*

ASAM presents the latest innovations and research to help ensure your professional success. Strengthen your skills and be equipped to provide the best care for your patients.



## *Inspire*

ASAM re-energizes attendees with thought-provoking topics, powerful speakers, and motivating award winners. Leave the conference excited and ready for the future!

# SCHEDULE-AT-A-GLANCE

## Wednesday, April 3

5:00 pm	8:00 pm	ASAM Registration Open
9:00 pm	10:00 pm	Mutual Help (Open Meeting)

## Thursday, April 4

7:00 am	8:00 am	Mutual Help (Open Meeting)
7:30 am	7:00 pm	ASAM Registration Open
8:00 am	9:00 am	Pre-Conference Course Breakfast
9:00 am	4:30 pm	Pain & Addiction: Common Threads Course XXV
9:00 am	4:30 pm	Women & Addiction Course
3:00 pm	7:00 pm	ASAM Booth Open
5:00 pm	Conference Begins	
5:00 pm	7:00 pm	Exhibit Hall Open
5:00 pm	7:00 pm	Welcome Reception
7:00 pm	8:00 pm	Concurrent Sessions #1
9:00 pm	10:00 pm	Mutual Help (Open Meeting)

## Friday, April 5

7:00 am	8:00 am	Morning Fitness Class
7:00 am	8:00 am	Mutual Help (Open Meeting)
7:30 am	8:30 am	Breakfast
7:30 am	3:00 pm	Exhibit Hall Open
7:30 am	4:00 pm	ASAM Registration Open
7:30 am	6:00 pm	ASAM Booth Open
8:30 am	9:45 am	Opening General Session
9:45 am	10:30 am	Break
9:45 am	10:30 am	Scientific Poster Session 1A
10:30 am	11:45 am	Concurrent Sessions #2
11:45 am	1:15 pm	Lunch Break
12:15 pm	1:15 pm	Scientific Poster Session 1B
1:15 pm	2:30 pm	Concurrent Sessions #3
2:30 pm	3:00 pm	Break
3:00 pm	4:15 pm	Concurrent Sessions #4
4:15 pm	4:30 pm	Break
4:30 pm	5:30 pm	General Session

6:00 pm	8:00 pm	Attendee Party
9:00 pm	10:00 pm	Mutual Help (Open Meeting)

## Saturday, April 6

7:00 am	8:00 am	Morning Fitness Class
7:00 am	8:00 am	Mutual Help (Open Meeting)
7:30 am	8:30 am	Breakfast
7:30 am	1:30 pm	Exhibit Hall Open
7:30 am	2:00 pm	ASAM Registration Open
7:30 am	5:00 pm	ASAM Booth Open
8:30 am	9:45 am	Policy & Science General Session
9:45 am	10:30 am	Break
9:45 am	10:30 am	Scientific Poster Session 2A
10:30 am	11:45 pm	Concurrent Sessions #5
11:45 am	1:15 pm	Lunch Break
12:15 pm	1:15 pm	Scientific Poster Session 2B
1:15 pm	2:30 pm	Concurrent Sessions #6
2:30 pm	2:45 pm	Break
2:45 pm	3:45 pm	ASAM State of the Organization
3:45 pm	4:00 pm	Break
4:00 pm	5:15 pm	Concurrent Sessions #7
7:00 pm	9:00 pm	Movie Night
9:00 pm	10:00 pm	Mutual Help (Open Meeting)

## Sunday, April 7

7:00 am	8:00 am	Mutual Help (Open Meeting)
7:30 am	8:30 am	Breakfast
7:30 am	10:00 am	ASAM Registration Open
7:30 am	11:30 am	ASAM Booth Open
8:30 am	9:45 am	Concurrent Sessions #8
9:45 am	10:15 am	Break
10:15 am	11:30 am	Concurrent Sessions #9
11:30 am	Conference Ends	



Full Program Available Online

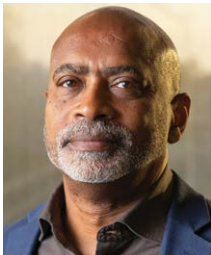


# SESSION SPOTLIGHT

## OPENING GENERAL SESSION

### Broadening Perspectives to Narrow the Treatment Gap

Friday, April 5 | 8:30 am - 9:45 am



**Ricky Bluthenthal**  
PhD



**Calla Harrington**  
LICSW, MPH



**Marlene Martin**  
MD, FASAM



**Elizabeth Salisbury-Afshar**  
MD, MPH, FAAFP,  
FACPM, DFASAM



**Hansel E. Tookes, III**  
MD, MPH

## GENERAL SESSION

### The Future of Addiction Care: Transformed Systems, Practices, and Lives

Friday, April 5 | 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm



**Brian Hurley**  
MD, MBA, FAPA,  
DFASAM



**Lipi Roy**  
MD, MPH, FASAM



**Jasleen Salwan**  
MD, MPH, FASAM



**R. Corey Waller**  
MD, MS, FACEP,  
DFASAM

## POLICY & SCIENCE GENERAL SESSION

### Methadone in the Modern Era

Saturday, April 6 | 8:30 am - 9:45 am



**Aaron Ferguson**  
BSW, LCDC



**Yngvild K. Olsen**  
MD, MPH,  
DFASAM



**Ruth Potee**  
MD, DFASAM



**Stephen M. Taylor**  
MD, MPH, DFAPA,  
DFASAM

# ESSENTIAL EDUCATION

## What are you looking for?



### Latest research?

Browse the extensive poster gallery, highlighting 90+ field-changing studies.



### Big picture ideas?

Attend general sessions for thought provoking insights from national leaders.



### Building skills?

Participate in interactive workshop sessions and get hands-on practice with new techniques.



### Outside perspectives?

Discover updates from ASAM's partner organizations in collaborative sessions.



### Deep dives?

Explore the focus sessions and gain practical new knowledge on important topics.

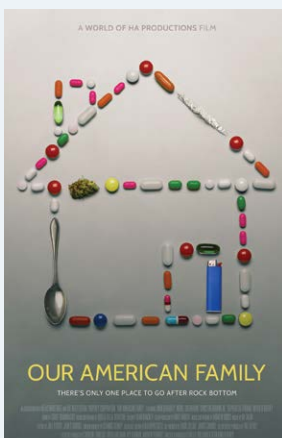


### Film & fun?

Grab some popcorn and watch a documentary at the movie night.



## MOVIE NIGHT



### Our American Family

Saturday, April 6  
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Captured at a pivotal “nothing to lose” moment over the course of a year, Our American Family is a radically honest portrait of five family members grappling with the legacy of generational addiction as they fight to heal resentments and pull each other out of the deepest depths.

## EXPLORE FULL CONFERENCE *schedule*

Speaker information, session descriptions, poster abstracts, and more is available on the conference website.

<https://annualconference.asam.org/>

# PRE-CONFERENCE COURSES

Thursday, April 4, 2024 | 9:00 am – 4:30 pm (Separate Registration Required)

## PAIN & ADDICTION:

Common Threads XXV

**CELEBRATING  
25 YEARS OF  
EDUCATIONAL  
INNOVATION!**

### Overview

The Pain & Addiction: Common Threads Course is one of ASAM's longest-running and most popular courses. This advanced course deepens learners' understanding of complex topics and improves treatment of patients who fall somewhere in the gray area around pain and addiction. Participants will learn the latest research developments influencing best practices as well as evidence-based strategies to integrate these techniques into practice.

### Audience

Experienced healthcare providers who want to stay abreast of new research and practices in pain and addiction.

### Theme

Navigating Gray Areas in Pain Care: Evidence, Experience, and Perception.

### Topics

- Right to Pain Relief
- State of Evidence-based Pain Care
- Talking to Patients About Safe and Effective Pain Management
- Central Sensitization in OUD and Pain
- Complex Persistent Opioid Dependence
- Update on Evidence-Based Cannabis Use for Pain
- Impact of Relaxing State Cannabis Laws
- Alcohol Use Disorder and Chronic Pain
- Hallucinogens in Chronic Pain and SUD Treatment

## WOMEN & ADDICTION:

Screening, Treatment, and Whole Person Care

### Overview

The Women & Addiction Course will equip healthcare providers with the necessary tools to make a meaningful difference in the lives of women facing addiction. Participants will discuss gender-specific issues, stigma, and unique challenges faced by women with substance use disorders. You will learn about pharmacotherapy and treatment options appropriate during pregnancy and postpartum and holistic care for women across their lifespan.

### Audience

Healthcare providers who treat patients with addiction and want to support women in making informed decisions about their care and their journey toward recovery.

### Topics

- Gender Differences in Addiction and Treatment
- Providing Compassionate Care
- Adolescents and Young Adulthood: Reproductive Choices and Social Pressures
- Adulthood: Reproductive and Non-Reproductive Related Issues
- Aging: Generational Trauma, Retraumatization, and Psychological Influences



# CELEBRATE AWARDEES



## **John P. McGovern Award**

Petros Levounis, MD, MA, DFASAM



## **Training Director Award**

Scott A. Teitelbaum, MD, DFASAM



## **R. Brinkley Smithers Award**

Yngvild K. Olsen, MD, MPH, DFASAM



## **Public Policy Award**

Senator Edward Markey (D-MA)



## **Annual Award**

Anthony Albanese MD, DFASAM



## **Media Award**

Teri Sforza



## **Promotion of Inclusion, Diversity, Equality, and Justice in Addiction Medicine Award**

Gabrielle Jones, PhD

## **2024 Distinguished Fellows**

Sharone A. Abramowitz, MD, DFASAM

Keyghobad Farid Araki, MD, FRCPC, DFASAM

John R. Brooklyn, MD, DFASAM

J. Luke Engeriser, MD, DFASAM

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Olapeju Simoyan, MD, MPH, BDS, FAAFP, DFASAM

John Symeonides, MD, DFASAM



Scholarship recipients, abstract award winners, and more available online



# CONNECTION & COMMUNITY



## Tex-Mix & Mingle Welcome Reception

Howdy y'all and welcome to ASAM! This exciting event is your opportunity to connect and collaborate with colleagues and friends within the vibrant atmosphere of the Exhibit Hall.



## Rodeo Reception

Everything is bigger in Texas including the fun! We're bringing the heart and soul of the Lone Star State to you with mouthwatering BBQ, mesmerizing trick ropers, and boot-scootin' line dancing. Get ready to dust off those boots and kick up your heels!



## Ice Cream Social

Grab a sweet treat and a good seat to listen to some awesome ASAM "deets"!



## Networking Lounges

Visit these unique spaces to make new friends, discuss topics important to you, and build relationships to last a lifetime. See where you can go with your peers!



## Fitness Classes

Join us for FREE fitness classes to jump start your day! Classes will be held on Friday and Saturday mornings.

## Inclusivity

We are all able to grow and learn better together within an inclusive and connected community. ASAM is committed to cultivating and preserving an accessible environment in which learners can participate and feel welcome.

### ASAM Offers:

- Twice Daily Mutual Help
- Lactation Room
- Alcohol-Free Environment
- Anti-Harassment Policies
- ADA Accommodations
- Code of Conduct

*More details available online*



## Explore Grapevine

Take advantage of the complimentary shuttle to explore historic downtown Grapevine. Conference attendees receive special discounts at local businesses through their badge program.



# EXPERIENCE INNOVATION

The Exhibit Hall is an exciting destination for fun and engagement, providing a range of activities that facilitate connections among attendees and exhibitors alike!

Explore these featured activities:

- Career Corner
- Game Area
- Photo Lounges
- Networking Lounges
- Breakfast, Lunch & Breaks



## Exhibitors

Use this opportunity to engage with attendees, expand brand awareness, and recruit top talent.

## Attendees

Explore products and services from over 100 organizations while enjoying multiple social activities.



## EXHIBIT HALL SCHEDULE

Thursday, April 4 | 5:00 pm - 7:00 pm

Friday, April 5 | 7:30 am - 3:00 pm

Saturday, April 6 | 7:30 am - 1:30 pm

## WANT TO EXHIBIT?

Contact [aosteen@asam.org](mailto:aosteen@asam.org) | 240.235.0800  
for additional information.

## INTERESTED IN SPONSORSHIP?

Download and explore the [Exhibitor & Sponsor Prospectus](#).

# REGISTRATION

## YOUR FULL CONFERENCE REGISTRATION INCLUDES ACCESS TO:



2,000+ Colleagues



Movie Night



350+ Expert Presenters



Meals & Networking Events



100+ Posters



ASAM Events App



100+ Industry Exhibits



Online Poster Gallery



70+ Peer-Presented Sessions



On-Demand Session Recordings



3 General Sessions



Continuing Education Credits

**Register Online Today! <https://annualconference.asam.org>**



## Full Registrants Receive On-Demand Recordings

Revisit sessions you attended or catch the ones you missed in the ASAM eLearning Center – hundreds of hours of recorded sessions available for 3 years after the live event!



Join ASAM to receive exclusive discounts on the Annual Conference.

## YOUR SAFETY IS OUR PRIORITY

ASAM is committed to the health and safety of its meeting participants by implementing preventive measures and complying with guidance from federal, state, and local authorities. Check the conference website for more detailed information.



# LONE STAR

## *adventure awaits*

Dallas offers conference attendees a dynamic combination of urban sophistication and Texan charm. The headquarters hotel, the **Gaylord Texan Resort and Convention Center** is just minutes away from the beautifully preserved historic downtown Grapevine with its quaint shops and vibrant Main Street providing a perfect backdrop for post-conference relaxation and networking.



The headquarters hotel  
**ALWAYS** sells out.  
*Book your room today!*

- Conveniently located near 2 airports
- Reduced rate inclusive of resort fee
- Complimentary shuttle to destinations in Grapevine



### Don't Miss the Eclipse

Consider extending your stay to experience a total solar eclipse! Dallas is on the path of totality for the celestial event on Monday, April 8, 2024. This will be the last total eclipse visible from the contiguous United States until 2044!

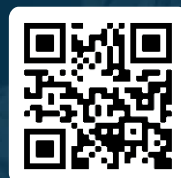


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