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American Academy of
Healthcare Interior Designers

2022

Year in Review

TOGETHER Leading the Way

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from the president

As we reflect on 2022, we have a lot to be thankful for. We welcomed thirty new CHID Certified Healthcare Interior Designers® to our community. We had a wonderful year of engagement with our fellow CHIDs and our Industry Partners. We engaged with our certificants and Industry Partners in six Community Connections events. We were recognized as leaders in the healthcare industry as several of our certificants served as jurors for the 2022 Touchstone and Nightingale Awards and three of our CHIDs were appointed to serve on the 2026 Facility Guidelines Institute Health Guidelines Revision Committee. Many of our CHIDs presented educational sessions and coaching workshops at national conferences throughout the year to share their knowledge and expertise.

Most importantly, our Board of Directors worked together to develop a strategic plan to guide us forward for the coming years. We solidified the mission and vision for the American Academy of Healthcare Interior Designers (AAHID), and we defined the four pillars of our strategic plan.

- Developing a diverse community that connects our CHIDs, industry partners, and the greater healthcare industry by Creating Community
- Contributing to the knowledge base of our community through Education and Research
- Advocating for the recognition of AAHID through our efforts to promote greater Recognition and Outreach
- Ensuring the continuity of the organization by retaining our CHIDs and recruiting new examination candidates through our focus on Organizational Continuity



Sandy Goodman
CHID, IIDA, EDAC,
LEED AP, LLSSBB

from the president

We have found, as we move forward into 2023 to begin the implementation of our strategic plan, that it takes a village. We have made a concerted effort to engage more of our CHIDs in the day-to-day work of achieving our goals through the work of our committees, and through this work, we are strengthening our community. Our Marketing and Outreach Committees are tackling big goals. The team is advocating for recognition of AAHID through partnering with our allied professional organizations and our industry partners on collaborative efforts including social media campaigns, research, and educational opportunities. We are speaking with healthcare organizations about the importance of having a CHID Certified Healthcare Interior Designer® on their project teams. The team is recruiting examination candidates and supporting them through study preparation groups and mentorship opportunities. We are reaching out to colleges and universities and speaking to design students about the importance of healthcare design to help build the next generation of CHID Certified Healthcare Interior Designers®. All these efforts help us to ensure the continuity of our organization and increase the value of the CHID credential. Please reach out to us at info@AAHID.org if you would like to get more involved in our community.

Finally, keep an eye on your inbox and your social media platforms for more news from AAHID and please join us for our 2023 Community Connection Series of engagement and educational opportunities. We have a lot of activities planned and we welcome your involvement. It takes a village!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Sandy Goodman", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the left.

Sandy Goodman, CHID, IIDA, NIHD, EDAC, LEED AP, LSSBB
2023 AAHID Board President

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Thanks to the 1995 downturn in Houston's oil & gas industry, I found my passion: Healthcare Interior Design. I accepted a position with Watkins Carter Hamilton Architects. I knew NOTHING about hospital design, but was grateful for the job opportunity! This turn of events led me to find my passion for healthcare interior design and art, and to experience the incredible development of healthcare design over the past 27+ years! In 2004, Dan Lee, Lew Vassberg, and I followed ACHA's lead to establish the AAHID board of designers, supported by healthcare industry manufacturers, to create AAHID. It was an incredible experience!

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Louise Nicholson-Carter
RID, CHID, IIDA, EDAC
AAHID Founder

Art program – Signature art piece in the Main Reception Area
Occu-Health Surgery Center, Houston, TX

Mission

The mission of AAHID is the certification of interior designers qualified by education, examination, training, and experience to provide interior design services to safeguard public health, safety, and welfare in the healthcare industry.

Vision

The vision of the American Academy of Healthcare Interior Designers is to be the essential certification program for healthcare interior designers.

About

Founded in 2004, the American Academy of Healthcare Interior Designers (AAHID) is a non-profit, 501(c)3 organization that certifies interior designers in the United States and Canada specializing in healthcare design of acute care, ambulatory, and residential care facilities, who have earned the coveted appellation CHID Certified Healthcare Interior Designer®. AAHID is not a membership organization. AAHID is led by volunteers who serve on the board of directors and various committees, to maintain the certification process and provide connections to enhance CHID community engagement.

Purpose

Establish, maintain, and administer the only certification program for practitioners in the field of healthcare interior design through an examination process that includes exam candidate application review and administering the credentialing exam. Those who pass are recognized as healthcare professionals proficient in the expertise required to uphold the highest standards of professionalism and integrity, as represented by the CHID Certified Healthcare Interior Designer® credential and appellation.

Require ongoing continuing education for recertification to help maintain the highest standards of professionalism, integrity, and competence. Support research and education to encourage use of best practices and evidence-based design to inform the healthcare environment.

Serve as a forum and source of information to assist facilities, practitioners, firms, and the general public in the area of healthcare interior design, in order to safeguard the health, safety, and welfare of the public, patients, residents, and providers of healthcare.

Value our Industry Partners encouraging collaborative engagement to transform the healthcare environment, improve safety, achieve positive outcomes, and maximize efficiency.



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AAHID Strategic Plan 2022-2027

Board approved – December 2, 2022

MISSION: The mission of AAHID is the certification of interior designers qualified by education, examination, training, and experience to provide interior design services to safeguard public health, safety and welfare in the healthcare industry.

VISION: The vision of AAHID is to be the essential certification program for healthcare interior designers.

Strategic Drivers – AAHID Core Values

1. CREATING COMMUNITY: Creating a diverse, community that connects the certificants, industry partners, and the greater healthcare industry, which promotes mentorship, collaboration, and outreach to enhance the wellbeing of patients, residents, and healthcare providers.

1.1 Post new content every month on AAHID's **LinkedIn** page. Rotate content originators among CHID. Goal to increase followers by 20% each year. (1,729 in 2022)

1.2 Provide 4 to 5 *CHID Community Connections* events annually for HID, CHID, and IP's.

1.3 Provide an online forum for CHID to CHID communication, accessed from AAHID website.

1.4 Partner with Allied Professional Organizations to support activities of mutual interest.

2. Sharing KNOWLEDGE AND EXPERTISE: Promote educational opportunities and evidence-based research beneficial to all CHID, exam candidates, Industry Partners, and future healthcare design professionals.

2.1 Develop and present a minimum of three (3) IDCEC-approved educational sessions annually at major conferences, i.e. HCD, EFA, PDC, and/or Leading Age.

2.2. Provide a minimum of two (2) educational *CHID Community Connections* events annually with current content.

2.3 Develop educational resources available on the AAHID website, i.e. white papers, Allied Professional Organization information, research, and presentations.

2.4 Provide connections for exam candidates for study prep, and mentorship opportunities.

3. Increasing RECOGNITION AND OUTREACH: Advocating for the recognition of AAHID as the premier certification program for healthcare interior designers through collaboration with allied professional organizations and the greater healthcare community.

3.1 Engage with CIDQ and CHD at least twice annually to inform their licensed healthcare interior designers about the benefits of earning the CHID credential.

3.2 Establish relationships with four college/university architecture/interior design programs to introduce healthcare interior design and earning their CHID.

3.3 Work with Allied Professional Organizations and Associations to promote a CHID on healthcare projects.

3.4 Offer opportunities for Industry Partners to sponsor CHID exam candidates.

4. Assuring ORGANIZATIONAL CONTINUITY: Ensuring the continuity of the organization by retaining the CHIDs and by recruiting new examination candidates, providing opportunities for industry partners and volunteers, and maintaining AAHID governance structure and consistency in communication.

4.1 Recruit CHID to serve on AAHID committees. Goal: to have at least 2 CHID, who are not Board members, serve on each available committee.

4.2 Identify CHID to serve as potential AAHID Board members, Goal: to have 5 or more candidates each year.

4.3 Survey CHID to learn what they value about, and how we might add value to being CHID. To be completed annually to inform annual planning efforts.

4.4 Goal: To have 600 CHID certificants by 2027. As of 12/2022 we have 345+, goal requires gain of 53 annually.

Dan Lee, Lew Vassberg, Louise Nicholson-Carter, and Margaret Simmons meet to discuss starting a Healthcare Interior Designer professional accreditation organization.

The first 50 professional interior designers who were part of the original establishment of the AAHID examination are referred to as Founders.

AAHID moves offices from Dallas to Washington DC. New logo.

AAHID partners with AMC moving offices from DC to Chicago. New logo.

AAHID appellation changed to CHID Certified Healthcare Interior Designer. Logo created.

AAHID celebrates 15th anniversary with a new exam, online proctored exam delivery, and streamlined application process. Record number of 84 new CHID passed.

New website and logos created. Connections Series of virtual meetings between Board, CHID, Industry Partners, and Founders implemented to promote knowledge sharing and collaboration.

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Healthcare Interior Designers

In 2004 fifty dedicated healthcare designers created the American Academy of Healthcare Interior Designers credentialing organization and examination to certify healthcare interior designers with the knowledge and experience required to advance the best practice of healthcare interior design.

In 2015 the CHID Certified Healthcare Interior Designer® appellation was created and registered to set apart those who qualified. The CHID appellation represents the “gold standard” for excellence in healthcare interior design. That standard is maintained through the tireless efforts of the many people who have served on AAHID boards and committees.

Together with Industry Partners and allied professional organizations, we continue to work together to advance professional healthcare interior design best practices.

Preserving AAHID's Past...

The AAHID Executive committee is gathering historic documents and ephemera in order to preserve the history of AAHID.

For more information, or if you can provide any AAHID historic documents, please contact AAHID at info@aahid.org

2024 will be AAHID's 20th anniversary!

Stay tuned for more information!

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As a Senior Living Design practitioner, obtaining a CHID certification was important for several reasons. For those growing into this later stage of life, designers are required to understand all sectors of healthcare. There is not one area of specialty that can stand alone without being well informed of the other areas of care. The CHID certification provides that necessary platform to support the project mission and its team for all opportunities, large or small, renovation or new.



Melinda Avila-Torio

NCIDQ, RID, CHID, CASP, LEED AP
AAHID Board Member

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Plymouth Harbor Assisted Living;
Sarasota, Florida

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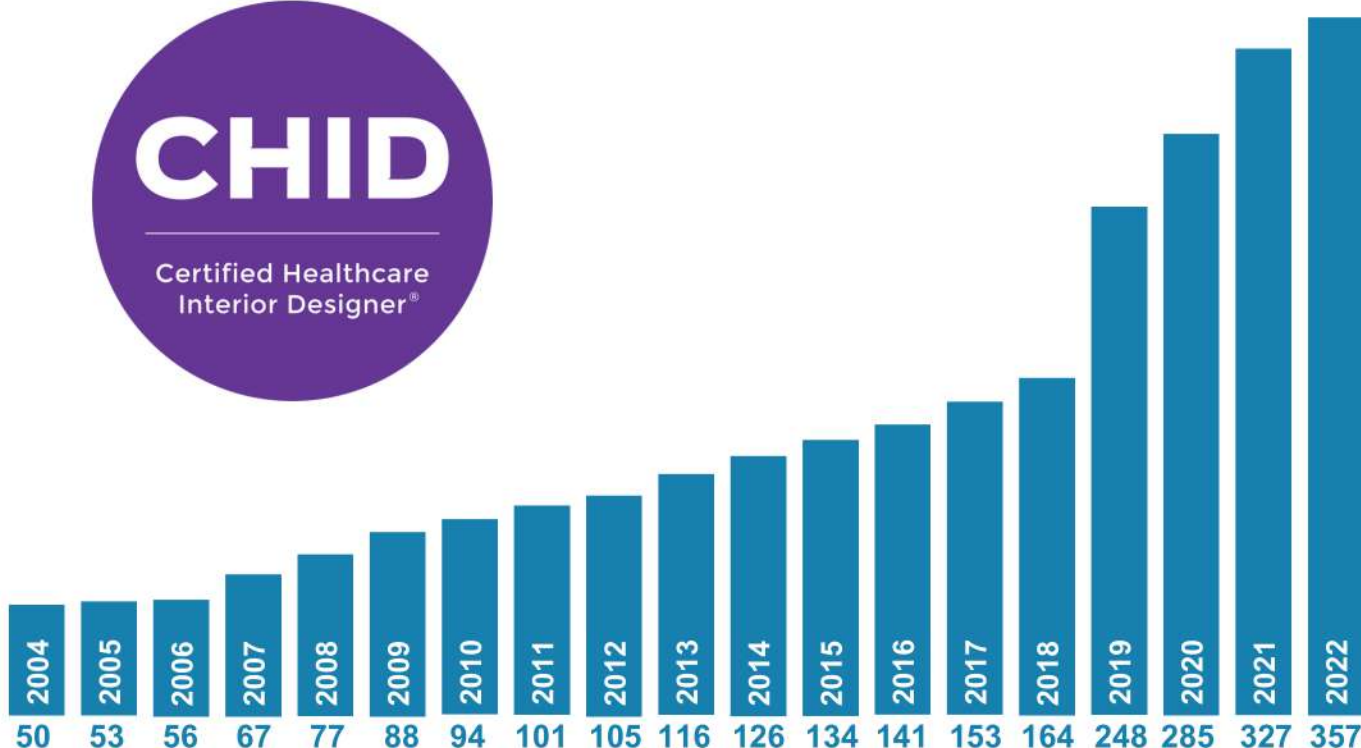
Aimee Platt
CHID, IIDA, LEED AP
CannonDesign

Congratulations and Welcome 2022 CHIDs

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Be recognized for your excellence, commitment, and knowledge of acute, ambulatory, and residential care facility design.

Learn more at aahid.org

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Fall 2023 CHID Examination
Application Deadline: May 15
Exam Window: September 1-30
No Retake Fee in 2023!

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Opportunities to get involved!

If you are you passionate about quality healthcare interior design, join us by applying to serve on one of our committees or the Board of Directors.

Board of Directors

AAHID needs qualified leaders who are passionate about professional healthcare interior design. AAHID is committed to directing positive change for the association and the built healthcare environment, through strategic planning and service. The AAHID Board of Directors represents a unique opportunity to advance the practice of healthcare interior design, by shaping the future of AAHID, and strengthening our relationships with CHID's, and with allied professional organizations. CHID Certified Healthcare Interior Designers® are encouraged to apply to join the AAHID Board of Directors. The application form is available on our website, and is due by September 1.

Interested?

Contact AAHID at info@aahid.org



2022 AAHID Board photo from HCD 2022 in San Antonio; Sarah Tetens (Director), Stephanie Fallon (Director), Sandy Goodman (President-Elect), Megan McNally (Secretary/Treasurer), Aimee Platt (Director & Founder), Barbara Dellinger (Director & Founder), Teri Lura Bennett (President), and Kristin Ellingsen (Immediate Past President).

volunteer opportunities

Executive Committee

The Board of Directors elects Officers: President, President-Elect, Immediate Past President, and Secretary/Treasurer who meet monthly to attend to AAHID business between board meetings. Together with the Association Management Center (AMC) they plan the calendar of events, participation at healthcare conferences, and sustain the efforts required to maintain our organization, with the goal of providing value to our CHID, Founders, and Industry Partners, and maintaining the AAHID archives.



Teri Goodman



Kristen Ellingsen



Sandy Goodman



Megan McNally

CHID Exam Candidates Application Review Committee

This trusted group of dedicated CHID carefully review each potential exam candidate application to assure that a prospective CHID has met the exam candidate requirements, including the training, education and experience, to take the exam to become a CHID Certified Healthcare Interior Design® professional.



Kristie Stanfield



Sandy Boyette



Kristen Ellingsen



Eileen Amano-Peterman



Mary Turgeon



Jennifer Hrosko



Mary Porter

Industry Partners (IP) Committee

This dedicated group of CHID coordinate outreach and engagement between our Industry Partners, AAHID Board of Directors, Executive committee, CHIDs, and association management staff. The group works together to determine how to add value to our collaboration.



Sandy Goodman



Megan McNally



Kristen Ellingsen

Marketing & Social Media Committee

In August of 2022 the Marketing and Social Media committee organized and presented a CHID Community Connections event panel discussion on "What's happening in today's Behavioral Health Units?". Ongoing throughout the year the committee continued the work begun when AAHID revised the logo in 2021, continuing the re-branding effort to include updating all communication materials including flyers, notices, and the website. In October, the committee designed, coordinated and implemented the AAHID Trade Show Booth at HCD 2022 in San Antonio assisted by booth sponsors and Industry Partners Mecho, Spec, and Tarkett.



Stephanie M. Fallon



Aimee Platt



Colette DeJean



Kelsey Sulik



Jennifer Mitchell



2022 HCD AAHID Booth and Board of Directors

Nominating Committee

Responsible for providing the board with a slate of candidates to fill vacancies among our officers and board of directors. The 2022 Nominating Committee was pleased to recommend Antonio Amedeo and Melinda Torio-Avila to fill the vacant positions on our 2023 board.



Kristen Ellingsen



Teri Lura Bennett



Sarah Tetens



Libby Laguta

Outreach Committee (previously Study Prep)

Organize initiatives and listening opportunities to assist candidates with study preparations. Provide recognition of excellence among CHID and Industry projects. Work to empower current CHID and Founders to provide mentorship opportunities, and partner with our Allied Professional Organizations to educate emerging professionals about healthcare interior design and AAHID.



Megan McNally



Isaac Holman



Christina Hill



Lilliana Alvarado



Corinn Soro



Christine R. Emanuelson



Karen Welsko



Sara Bailey



Susan Sanders



Robert Van Der Bogaert



Ashleigh Cotter



Jennifer Fink



Miriam M. Ganesh



Steven Templet



Lauren Kuhlke

Research & Education Committee

Expanding our knowledge base to include and promote a better understanding of the use of research in healthcare interior design is part of AAHID's 2022- 2027 Strategic Plan. Whether using current research, doing our own, or being part of a research team, research plays a key role in developing and implementing successful design projects. Our goals for this committee include planning and implementing opportunities to educate designers regarding evidence-based design (EBD) principles, presenting research and/or case studies at conferences, partnering with the Center for Health Design (CHD) to provide CHID jurors or write research abstract summaries, and providing opportunities to publish white papers written by CHIDs and/or Industry Partners.

Test Development Committee (TDC)

A dedicated group of CHID, who conscientiously work to maintain the CHID exam's credibility, respond to appropriate feedback, and with the help of our Test Delivery Vendor (CMS), analyze psychometric data to maintain the excellence of the CHID credentialing exam. At the end of 2022 the effort to update the 2023 exam to incorporate changes required by the publication of FGI 2022 were already underway. Their generous gift of time and talent is the key to our exam's credibility and AAHID's success.



Barbara Dellinger



Linda Gabel



Sarah Tetens



Karen Welsko



Sarah K. Harvey



Teri Lura Bennett



Antonio Amadeo



Sarah K. Harvey



Sarah Tetens



Celeste Kovar



Christine Brown



Robyn Dubick



Jennifer Hrosko



Linda Gabel



Melinda Avila-Torio



Susan L. Quick



Su Kim



Ann Marie Jackson



The CHID credential helps demonstrate that I have the qualifications to design healing environments that help improve outcomes for patients, residents, family members, and caregivers. Through the study process, I learned more about specialty spaces, broadening and advancing my knowledge of the complex and ever-changing field of healthcare.



Victoria Numbers
RID, MSIA, CHID
2022 CHID



March 21-23, 2022

AAHID and CHID were invited by Interiors and Sources magazine to attend Design Connections in Chicago, at The Merchandise Mart.

The Board participated in a brainstorming session, achieving consensus on AAHID's four core Values: Creating Community, Education and Research, Recognition and Outreach, and Organizational Continuity. Discussions about Values and existing committees lead to conversations about creating a new Outreach committee, and finalizing AAHID's 2022 - 2027 strategic plan.



CHID at 2022 Design Connections at NeoCon Chicago:
 Left to Right,
Back Row; Lynette Tedder (F), Whitney Hendrickson, Janna Kotlyar
Fifth Row: Miriam Ganesh, Marie Lukaszewski, Susan Sanders, Jeanne Phillips
Fourth Row: Jessica Whitlock, Kellie Searcy, Karen Mulvaney
Third Row: Kathleen Benoit, Robert Van Den Bogaert, Michelle Clark, Danna Sigal
Second Row: Janet Kobylka (F), Melanie Mangione, Lillian Alvarado, Nannette Emerson, Helen Lanes,
Front Row: Teri Lura Bennett, Sandy Goodman, Barbara Dellinger (F), Sarah Tetens, Kristin Ellingsen, Megan McNally, and Stephanie Fallon
 Missing from photo: Andrea Hyde (F)
 Founder (F)

April 14, 2022

CHID Community Connections Event: CHID Exam Introduction for 2022 Exam Candidates; an opportunity for those considering taking the exam to find out more information and ask questions.

May 11, 2022

Revision to current Mission Statement: The Board voted to add the phrase “safeguard public health, safety, and welfare” to our current Mission Statement so that it now reads: “The mission of AAHID is the certification of interior designers qualified by education, examination, training, and experience to provide interior design services to safeguard public health, safety, and welfare in the healthcare industry.” (May 11, 2022, Board of Directors Minutes)

May - June 2022

AAHID contacted The Center for Health Design (CHD) about adding more CHID as HCD 2022 Touchstone Award jurors. Solicitation to all CHID with EDAC credentials (70+), yielded eighteen (18) interested in serving as Touchstone Jurors. CHD selected the following four CHID to serve; AnnMarie Jackson, Helen Lanes, Megan McNally, and Teri Lura Bennett.



Ann Marie Jackson



Helen Lanes



Megan McNally



Teri Lura Bennett

June 2, 2022

CHID Community Connections Event: AAHID Study Prep committee provided a successful session featuring an interview between Isaac Holman and Jane Rohde, moderated by Megan McNally, on Facility Guidelines Institute (FGI) basics, changes to the 2022 FGI, with an emphasis on changes in the Residential Health and Senior Living sector. A virtual Zoom program attended by 100 participants, which could have been more since we maxed out at 100!



Megan McNally



Isaac Holman



Jane Rhode

June 15, 2022

CHID Community Connections Event: CHID Exam Introduction presented to 43 eligible candidates for the 2022 CHID exam. Our outreach to CIDQ helped get the message out to their 1000+ NCIDQ certificate holders with healthcare experience, resulting in 11 people signing up to take the 2022 CHID exam.

July 14, 2022

CHID Community Connections Event: CHID Examination process/prep overview recording presented with opportunity for live Q&A afterwards.

August 11, 2022

CHID Community Connections Event: Marketing and Social Media committee presented a moderated panel discussion entitled **"What's happening in today's Behavioral Health Units?"** Panelists were Jair C. Soares, M.D., Ph.D.; Kevin Turner, AIA, Principal Architect, human eXperience; Shannon Oliveira, CHID, RID, IIDA, Senior Associate, CannonDesign; Suzanne Phillips Fawley, CHID, Behavioral Health Interior and Product Design Consultant, Stance Healthcare. Panel Moderator(s): Aimee Platt, CHID, IIDA, LEED AP, Associate Vice President, CannonDesign and Stephanie Fallon, M.S., IIDA, CHID, Associate Partner, Director of Interiors, PhiloWilke Partnership. Live Q&A followed. Attended by over 60 participants.

September 1-30, 2022

CHID Examination window opened for the 45 approved 2022 CHID exam applicants.

Fall 2022

We were pleased to announce that three CHID will be serving on the 2026 Facility Guidelines Institute Health Guidelines Revision Committee, as subject matter experts (SME) working to advance quality healthcare interior design reviewing and revising this premier resource document.



Laurie Wagner



Linda Gabel



Adair Pagnotta

Research and Education committee submitted an education session proposal for EFA in April of 2023; CHID's Christine Craik, Corinn Soro, and Jane Rohde, will present "Re-Imagining the Future of Residential Healthcare".



Christine Weber Craik



Corinn Soro



Jane Rhode

BIFMA requested CHID input into the review of the American National Standard For Office and Institutional Furnishings, ANSI/BIFMA X8.1-2022 Furniture Surfaces: Design and Durability for Cleaning, Sanitizing, and Disinfecting Standard. Andrea Hyde, Barbara Dellinger, and Linda Gabel worked with the review committee to incorporate healthcare specific information as part of a “Voice of the Customer” section.

CHID who have provided their expertise on behalf of Center for Health Design as Touchstone and Nightingale Jurors; Aimee Platt, AnnMarie Jackson, Isaac Holman, Megan McNally, and Teri Lura Bennett. Participating as coaches at Saturday’s EDAC Coaching Workshop were Jane Rohde and Teri Lura Bennett.

October 8-11, 2022, HCD in San Antonio

20+ CHIDs shared their knowledge and experience to advance quality healthcare design as presenters, moderators, coaches, and jurors. Bravo!

AAHID sponsored education sessions; A19 Now You Know: Flooring Selection for Healthcare Environments and its Implications for Infection Control & Prevention and D01 Durability and Performance Requirements: Are Your Specifications Informed?, which provided information on surface material selection, performance standards, and infection control attributes, and were well attended.

AAHID Annual Meeting and Reception: gathering CHID’s, IP’s, and friends, just as the trade Expo closed and before folks departed for their dinner engagements. All were welcome and enjoyed each other’s company. Reception sponsors: Mecho, Mohawk, Kwalu, Medvicon, Stinson, and Teknoflor.



Trade Expo corner booth #566, next to lunch and across from the CHD booths, was a busy spot. Booth sponsors were Mohawk, Spec, Stinson, and Tarkett. Marketing and Social Media committee chairs Aimee Platt and Stephanie Fallon designed, coordinated, and arranged the booth fit out, while AAHID's Board and AMC staff Sarah Bilissis, Tyler Meder, and Adrienne Stokes served as booth hosts, helping those who dropped by to connect and field questions. AAHID branded giveaways were lanyards, pens, napkins, CHID buttons, and candy!

December 2022

CHID Community Connections Event: New CHID Welcome event to provide orientation to AAHID, recertification requirements, including CEU's, and correct use of the CHID appellation.

Summary of 2022 CHID Exam activity: Total number of applicants for the 2022 CHID exam: 45. Net gain of 30 new CHID for 2022. Total number of CHID $327 + 30 = 357$.

2022 AAHID Board of Directors



2023 Board of Directors

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President-Elect: Megan McNally

Immediate Past President: Teri Lura Bennett

Secretary/Treasurer: Stephanie Fallon

Director(s)-at-Large: Antonio Amadeo, Melinda Avila-Torio, Barbara Dellinger, and Sarah Tetens

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Attendees will learn the latest healthcare design
strategies, network with industry colleagues, and
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Allied Professional Organizations

AAHID values the support and encouragement of Allied Professional Organizations. Many were instrumental during our founding, sharing time, energy, and resources. AAHID continually works to strengthen partnerships which advance the creation of quality healthcare environments.



American Society of Interiors Designers (ASID)

ASID is a membership organization representing 13,500+ interior designers, as well as students, and Industry Partners. Founded in 1975.



**THE CENTER FOR
HEALTH DESIGN®**

Center for Health Design (CHD)

CHD promotes excellence in healthcare interior design working closely with AAHID to provide education sessions at conferences, webinars, design team jurors, and subject matter experts.



Council
for Interior
Design
Accreditation

Council for Interior Design Accreditation (CIDA)

CIDA advances the interior design profession as the definitive source for quality standards and accreditation in higher education. More than 170 interior design programs are currently accredited by CIDA, serving 20,000+ students. CIDA is recognized by the Council for Higher Education Accreditation (CHEA).



Council for
Interior Design
Qualification

Council for Interior Design Qualifications (CIDQ)

CIDQ is a credentialing organization providing NCIDQ certification for professional interior designers. Since 2004 they have supported AAHID credentialing of healthcare interior designers. AAHID encourages CHID exam candidates to earn their NCIDQ credential.



Durable Coated Fabrics Task Group (DCF)

DCF features CHID who have partnered with manufacturers and trade associations to explore solutions to the problem of premature material performance failures, through direct observation, data gathering, research, and providing education sessions. DCF has worked with CFFA to create the CFFA-HC-201 minimum performance testing standard. DCF was founded in 2017.



Evidence-based Design Accreditation and Certification (EDAC)

EDAC is a credentialing organization for individuals who demonstrate the application of evidence-based process to the design and construction of all settings that contribute to health, safety and wellbeing including measuring and reporting results. Many CHID's are also EDAC certified.



Environments for Aging (EFA)

EFA is dedicated to recognizing the unique needs and requirements of Residential and Senior Living facilities to safeguard the safety and wellbeing of one of our most vulnerable populations.

organizations



Facility Guidelines Institute (FGI)

FGI publications represent the industry standard for best practices in creation of safe healthcare environments. FGI publications help inform the CHID credentialing exam. AAHID provides CHID to serve on the 2026 Facility Guidelines Institute Health Guidelines Revision Committee

healthcare design

Healthcare Design (HCD)

HCD is the Healthcare industry's premier conference, trade expo, and networking opportunity for interior designers, architects, manufacturers, distributors, and allied associations. AAHID actively participates in the annual HCD conference by providing education sessions, a trade expo booth, and scheduling the AAHID Annual Meeting and Reception.

IIDA

International Interior Design Association (IIDA)

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Our Industry Partners Make Our Work Possible

Developing and maintaining industry partner relations is essential to further the mission of AAHID. Industry Partners play a major role in facilitating outreach efforts to potential CHID Exam candidates and providing networking opportunities for current CHID certificants. AAHID is grateful for the generosity of Industry Partners. Their support is a major help in enhancing the visibility and growth of the CHID credential.

Based on input from Industry Partners, the board updated the Industry Partner Benefits for 2023.

Network and Share Expertise

The healthcare design industry provides several forums throughout the year for AAHID to expand its reach, gain visibility, promote CHID certification, and support Industry Partners.

Thank you to everyone who participated in our programs and opportunities at HCD 2022 in San Antonio.

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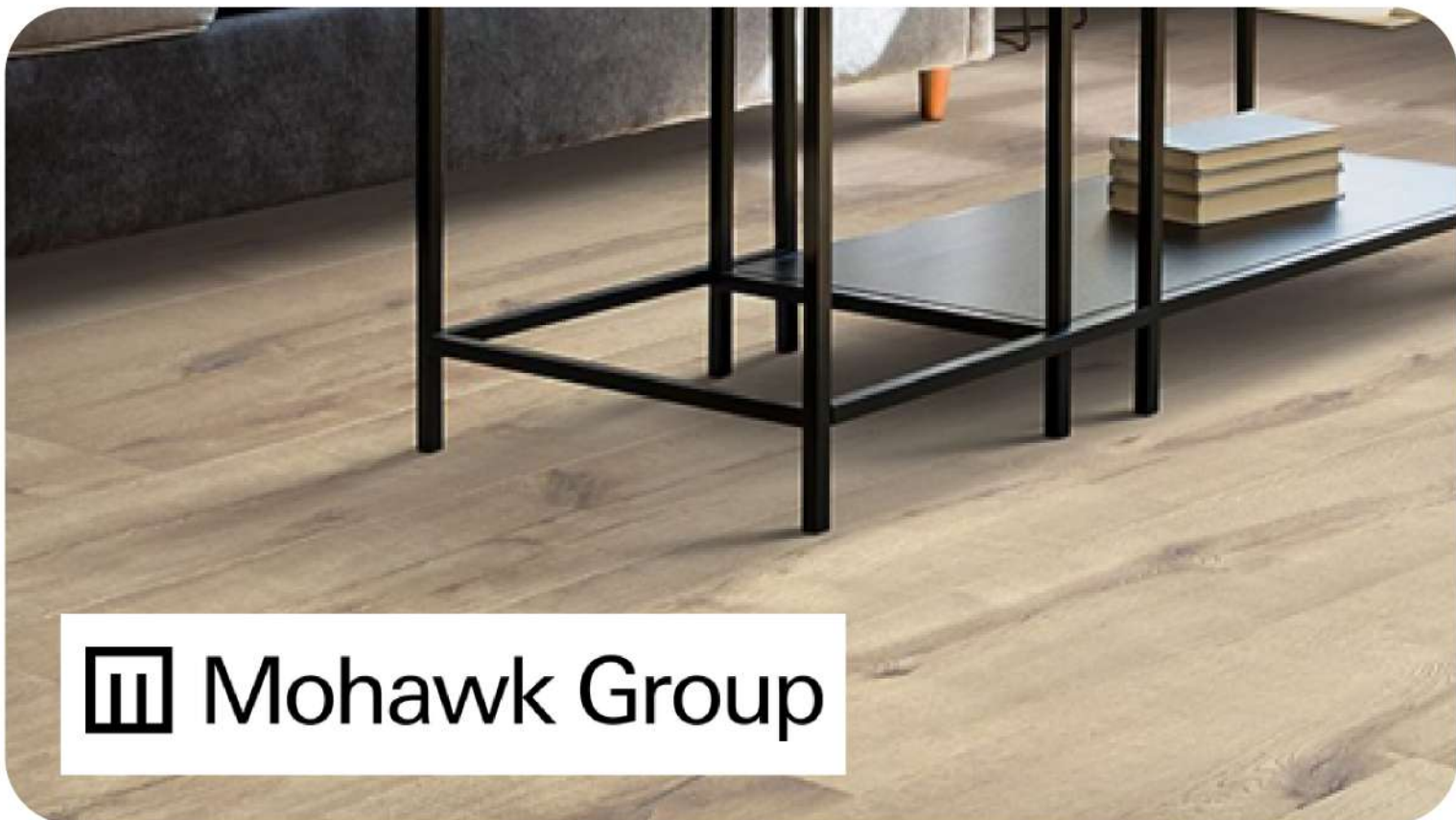
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Network - AAHID is a bridge between healthcare administrators, designers, affiliated associations, and the healthcare industry at large.

Make the Difference - Help AAHID actively promote awareness of the CHID credential and the benefits for the interior design profession and the industry.

A variety of opportunities and benefits are provided to AAHID Industry Partners, depending upon the selected partnership level.

Learn more about Industry Partner Benefits and Opportunities on our Website, AAHID.org.

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