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American Academy of
Healthcare Interior Designers



2024
Year in Review

Honoring the Past, Designing the Future

A Message from the President

Dear Fellow Certified Healthcare Interior Designers and Industry Partners,

As we reflect on 2024 and prepare for an exciting new year, I want to express my heartfelt gratitude to everyone who contributed to making this past year a resounding success. Your dedication and support were instrumental in advancing AAHID's mission.

In 2024, we made significant strides in implementing our strategic plan, focusing on building Community, fostering Education & Research, enhancing Recognition & Outreach for AAHID, and ensuring Organizational Continuity. Each of you played a vital role in these accomplishments - thank you!

Here are just a few highlights from our incredible year:

- We shared new research and provided educational opportunities **at five Community Connections events and presented at PDC, EFA and HCD.**
- We launched our new **Design Firm Partners** initiative to strengthen industry collaborations.
- We welcomed **nine new Industry Partners** and received continued support from our long-time partners.

from the president



Megan McNally,
CHID, CID, IIDA,
EDAC, NCIDQ

- We expanded our digital presence with a new Instagram account, featuring **CHID Spotlights** and **Featured Friday** posts to celebrate the achievements of our certificate holders.
- We provided mentorship and guidance to a new cohort of exam candidates, including the launch of a **candidate-led study group**.
- We conducted a comprehensive **needs assessment** and **job analysis** survey to better understand how AAHID can serve you.

One of the most memorable moments of 2024 was gathering at the Healthcare Design Conference in Indianapolis to celebrate AAHID's 20th Anniversary. This milestone event allowed us to educate, network, build relationships with industry partners, and advocate for the CHID Certified Healthcare Interior Designer® credential.

In the spring, we hosted small, in-person meet-ups in 2 states, creating opportunities to network and recruit new exam candidates. We look forward to welcoming many of these participants as they apply to sit for the CHID examination—a reminder that the application deadline is May 15, 2025. Please continue encouraging your peers to take this next step.

We are thrilled to announce that **thirty-five new CHID Certified Healthcare Interior Designers®** joined our community in 2024. Congratulations to those who successfully passed the examination!

from the president

As we enter 2025, I would like to say thank you to Barbara Dellinger and Sarah Tetens who have completed their term on the AAHID Board. They have made such an impact on AAHID and we are thrilled to keep them involved on our Committees.

I am honored to continue serving on the Board of Directors as President, alongside our dedicated 2025 Board: Sandy Goodman, Stephanie Fallon, Melinda Avila-Torio, Miriam Ganesh, Antonio Amadeo, Sarah Harvey, Marie Lukaszewski, Ghina Itani, and Lilliana Alvarado.

Stay tuned for more updates via email and social media. Together, we will continue to elevate the CHID credential and make an impact in the healthcare design community.

Wishing you a joyful and successful year ahead!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Megan McNally', with a stylized, cursive script.

Megan McNally, CHID, MN-CID, IIDA, EDAC, NCIDQ
2024-2025 AAHID President

from the
president

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.

2004
2005
2008
2014
2015
2019
2021

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.



2024

AAHID celebrates 20th anniversary with new engagement opportunities for Design Firm Partners (DFPs), expands their partnerships with allied organizations, institutes CHID Spotlights to showcase our certificants, and launches a Leadership Circle donation campaign.



Scan the QR code to watch our 20th Anniversary Video!

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, Design Firm 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.

Stay tuned for more!

history

2024 Board of Directors



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Megan McNally
CHID, EDAC, IIDA,
Minnesota-CID, NCIDQ
Ryan Companies



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



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RID, NCIDQ, IIDA,
CHID, EDAC
Baskervill



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Stephanie Fallon
MS, CHID, IIDA
PhiloWilke Partnership



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LEED AP
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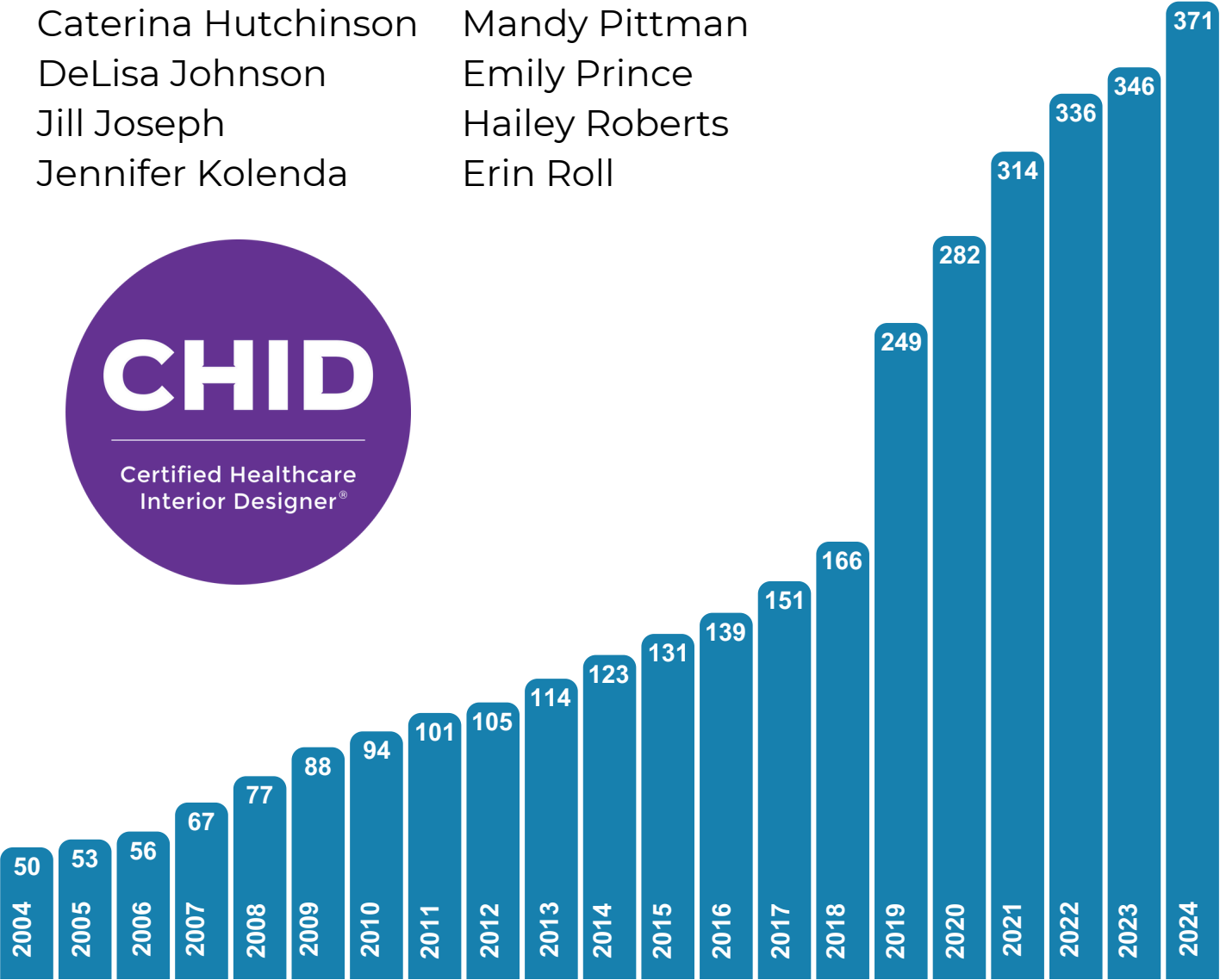
Executive Director
Kelly Podkova

Congratulations and Welcome 2024 CHIDs

Cara Adams
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Julie Barfuss
Allison Berry
Karen Blake
Paola Contreras
Parker Cutler
Emilie Diggs
Melyssa Feiler
Caterina Hutchinson
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Kristin Leija
Jenner Lillibridge
Nancy Logan
Karla Love
Dana McCollum
Meghan Mele
Susan O'Donnell
Mandy Pittman
Emily Prince
Hailey Roberts
Erin Roll

Ramon Sanchez
Sarah Savage
Margo Smith
Nikki Stokes
Elaine Stowell
Victoria Vaccaro
Shannon Wakeham
Emma Walsh
Michael Willis



certification

Congratulations to all of our Emeritus CHIDs

This distinguished group has made lasting contributions to healthcare interior design and now carries the Emeritus CHID appellation in recognition of their dedication and expertise. Whether retired or transitioning to new endeavors, their impact on the field remains invaluable. We celebrate their achievements and lasting legacy!



Teri Lura Bennett



Linda Bush



Lynda Hayslett



Virginia Hill



Alison Jones



Cindy Lescale



Sonya Odell



Erin Patterson



Kristen Wolfe

Thank You to Our Leadership Circle Donors

To celebrate AAHID's 20th Anniversary, AAHID launched a Leadership Circle donation campaign. With the support of our donors, AAHID is able to sustain, grow, and implement new programming to support the healthcare design community. Together, we will ensure that AAHID and the CHID credential continues to be recognized as the essential certification program for healthcare interior designers and recognized industry-wide for its dedication to advancing the quality of healthcare design.

Teri Lura Bennet
Barbara Dellinger
Kristin Ellingsen
Linda Gabel
Peggy Noakes

Sonya Odell
Kelly Podkova
Gwen Sandlin
Jocelyn Stroupe
Leah Zamora

appreciation

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

Each year, AAHID seeks dedicated leaders who are passionate about advancing professional healthcare interior design. Committed to driving positive change, AAHID focuses on strategic planning and service to enhance both the association and the built healthcare environment. Serving on the AAHID Board of Directors is a unique opportunity to influence the future of healthcare interior design, strengthen connections with CHID-certified professionals, and collaborate with allied organizations. Certified Healthcare Interior Designers® are encouraged to apply for a position on the AAHID Board of Directors. The application form is available on our website, with submissions due on **August 1st** each year.

Interested?

Contact AAHID at info@aahid.org.



2024 AAHID Board Photo from HCD 2024 in Indianapolis; (from left to right) Sarah Harvey, Barbara Dellinger, Megan McNally, Sandy Goodman, Antonio Amadeo, Melinda Avila-Torio, Stephanie Fallon

volunteer opportunities

Executive Committee

The AAHID Board of Directors elects its Officers—President, President-Elect, Immediate Past President, Secretary, and Treasurer—who meet monthly to oversee key organizational matters between board meetings. In collaboration with the Association Management Center (AMC), they coordinate the annual calendar of events, facilitate participation in healthcare conferences, and ensure the ongoing operations that sustain AAHID. Their efforts focus on delivering value to CHID-certified professionals, Founders, and Industry Partners while preserving the organization's archives.



Megan McNally



Sandy Goodman



Stephanie M. Fallon



Sarah Tetens



Melinda Avila-Torio



Stephanie M. Fallon



Sandy Goodman



Jennifer Hrosko



Kristie Stanfield



Kristen Ellingsen



Sandy Boyette



Antonio Amadeo



Jennifer Fink



Megan McNally



Mary Turgeon

Industry Partners (IP) Committee

This dedicated group of CHIDs fosters outreach and engagement between Industry Partners, the AAHID Board of Directors, CHIDs, and staff, ensuring meaningful collaboration. Together, they identify opportunities to enhance partnerships and maximize the value of these relationships.



Stephanie M. Fallon



Sarah Tetens



Pam Franklin



Christa Barr



Marie Lukaszewski



Sandy Goodman

2024 committees

Marketing & Social Media Committee

The AAHID Marketing and Social Media Committee actively promotes AAHID through LinkedIn and AAHID's new Instagram while also developing branded materials for AAHID-hosted events throughout the year. Their efforts ensure consistent messaging and increased visibility within the healthcare interior design community.



Sarah Tetens



Antonio Amadeo



Christa Barr



Ashleigh Cotter



Jennifer Mitchell



China Itani



Colette DeJean



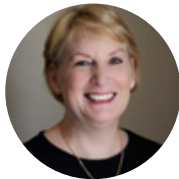
Kelsey Sulik

Nominating Committee

The Nominating Committee is responsible for reviewing, interviewing, and providing the board with a slate of candidates for AAHID's officers and Board of Directors. The 2024 Nominating Committee was pleased to recommend Miriam Ganesh as Secretary, and Lilliana Alvarado, and Ghina Itani as Directors on the 2025 Board.



Sandy Goodman



Kristen Ellingsen



Megan McNally



Stephanie M. Fallon



Barbara Dellinger



CHIDs at the 2024 AAHID Annual Reception in Indianapolis in conjunction with HCD.

2024 committees

Outreach Committee

The Outreach Committee plays a key role in connecting CHIDs by organizing study support initiatives, recognizing excellence in CHID and Industry projects, and fostering mentorship. They also collaborate with Founders and Allied Professional Organizations to educate emerging professionals about healthcare interior design and AAHID.



Isaac Holman



Lilliana Alvarado



Christine R. Emanuelson



Corinn Soro



Sarah Harvey



Hilary Thomas-Herd



Miriam M. Ganesh



Marie Lukaszewski

Research & Education Committee

The Research and Education Committee advances healthcare design knowledge by developing educational opportunities focused on evidence-based design (EBD). They support CHIDs in understanding and applying research, collaborate with allied organizations to review studies and provide CHID jurors, and facilitate white paper contributions from CHIDs and Industry Partners. The committee also proposes educational sessions for Executive Committee approval and coordinates presenters. Meetings are held as needed, with additional calls for AAHID session speakers.



Barbara Dellinger



Linda Gabel



Karen Welsko



Sarah Harvey



Teri Lura Bennett



Robert Van Den Bogaert



Miriam M. Ganesh



Danna Sigal



Sandy Goodman



Nichole Richard

Test Development Committee (TDC)

This committee is responsible for the preparation, administration, evaluation, and scoring of the CHID certification examination. This committee works closely with AAHID's Testing Company, CMS, to periodically review and revise the current CHID exam items, exam references, and candidate handbook to incorporate current best practices, psychometric analysis, and evaluation of the CHID candidate feedback to ensure the CHID is a defensible credentialing exam. Their generous gift of time and talent is the key to our exam's credibility and AAHID's success.



Antonio Amadeo



Melinda Avila-Torio



Robyn Dubick



Christine Brown



Jennifer Hrosko



Susan L. Quick



Su Kim



Sarah Harvey



Veronica Lee Burns



Steve Temple

All CHIDs at the AAHID Annual Reception at HCD 2024, celebrating our 20th Anniversary.



2024 committees

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).

organizations



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.



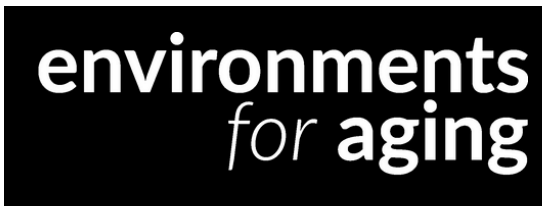
Durable Coated Fabrics Task Group (DCF)

DCF features CHIDs 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)

IIDA is an international membership organization representing 15,000+ interior designers, as well as students, and Industry Partners. Founded in 1994.



Interior Design Educators Council (IDEC)

IDEC is a membership organization, recognized as the leading organization and authority on interior design education and the advancement of interior design education, scholarship, and service.



International Design Continuing Education Council (IDCEC)

IDCEC recognizes that continuing education strengthens the design profession by improving competencies, knowledge and skills in specific subject areas. IDCEC provides learning opportunities and registry services to design professionals under one platform.

organizations

NeoCon

NeoCon

NeoCon has served as the world's leading platform and most important conference and trade show event of the year for the commercial interior design industry since 1969.

New Partners in 2024



Planning, Design, and Construction (PDC) Summit

The PDC Summit™ brings together thousands (up to 3,300+) from all disciplines of health care planning, design and construction to advance the health care built environment.



Nursing Institute for Healthcare Design (NIHD)

The Nursing Institute for Healthcare Design is a non-profit professional association that stands for the engagement and integration of clinical expertise into the planning and design of healthcare environments, which we achieve through education, advocacy and leadership. environment.



BIFMA

BIFMA is the not-for-profit trade association for business and institutional furniture manufacturers. Since 1973, BIFMA has been the voice of the commercial furniture industry.



Healthcare Facilities Symposium and Expo (HFSE)

The Healthcare Facilities Symposium & Expo is the go-to event for healthcare environment professionals, offering networking, innovation showcases, and insights into design, construction and management.

organizations

February 15th - Learn About Becoming a Certified Healthcare Interior Designer

Current CHIDs shared insights on the certification process, benefits, and success strategies to help aspiring healthcare interior designers advance their careers.

May 23rd - CHID Exam Candidate Introduction

CHID Examination applicants met with the AAHID leaders for a more in-depth review of what to expect on the examination.

June 6th - Aging, Accessibility, Autism, and Dementia - Designing for Everyone

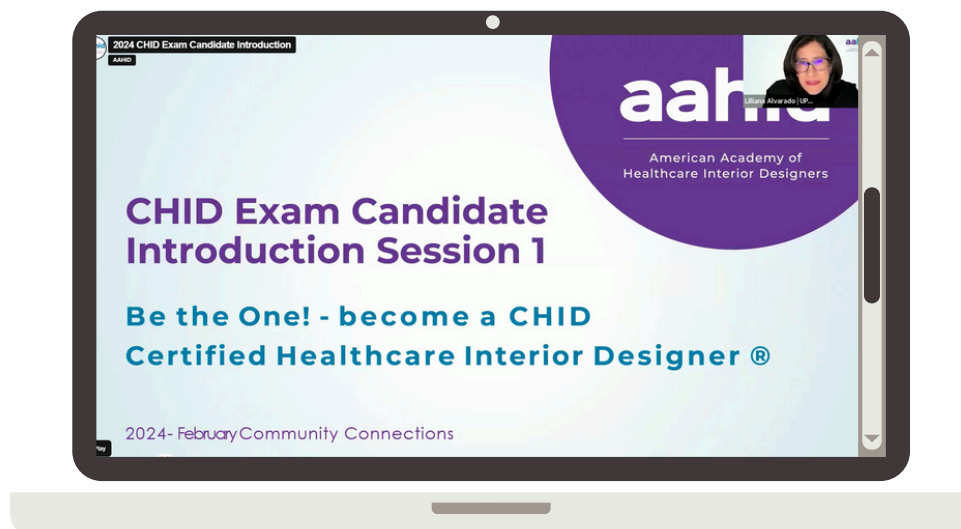
CHIDs learned about the evolution of ADAAG and its impact on inclusive design, showcases successful real-world solutions, and examines strategies to enhance healthcare environments by addressing sensory needs, including considerations for autism and dementia.

September 19th - Connect with Industry Partners

CHIDs met with Industry Partners to discuss 4 key topics shaping the future of healthcare design: Industry Trends, Research & Development/User Feedback, Artificial Intelligence, and open Q&A with IPs and CHIDs.

December 12th - All CHID Event

CHIDs and Industry Partners joined in celebrating the newest CHIDs, learned about AAHID's newest initiatives and exciting projects, and split into breakout groups to provide feedback on how AAHID can better support all of our constituents.



Planning, Design, and Construction (PDC) Summit

New in 2024, AAHID participated as a Supporting Organization (SO) at the PDC Summit in San Diego, CA in March.

Surface Material Failures: Let's Talk Pain Points and Solutions

Attendees learned to enhance their product selection process by evaluating key attributes such as durability, performance, cleanability, and suitability for healthcare environments. A panel of experts shared insights into cleaning and disinfecting procedures, common material failures caused by environmental contaminants and chemicals.

Environments for Aging (EFA) Conference and Expo

AAHID held one session at the EFA Conference and Expo in Atlanta, GA in April.

Aging, Accessibility, Autism and Dementia: Designing for Everyone?

Designing for everyone includes consideration of the capabilities of residents, patients, and the public. Experience with ADAAG has taught that incorporating accessibility solutions benefits everyone. This session discussed aging, accessibility, autism, and dementia and explored the benefits of incorporating elements of inclusion, equity, and diversity to improve all healthcare environments.

Healthcare Design Conference and Expo (HCD)

AAHID had two sessions at the HCD Conference and Expo in Indianapolis, IN.

The Persistent Challenges of Material Performance Specifications

The DCF Task Force presented on enhancing the material selection process by evaluating key attributes such as durability, performance, and cleanability to achieve successful outcomes in healthcare environments.

Designing for Invisible Disabilities: Understanding Neurodivergent Populations with Autism and Dementia Across the Healthcare Continuum

A panel of CHIDs led a thought-provoking discussion on designing inclusive, neurodiverse healthcare environments. They explored strategies for creating adaptable, calming spaces that integrate sensory-aware design, cultural preferences, and community connections while balancing innovation, feasibility, and long-term sustainability.



Standing room only at AAHID's Neurodivergent session at HCD 2024.

New in 2024 - Thank You to Our Design Firm Partner - CRGA Design

Design Firm Partners gain additional exposure in the healthcare design industry while also gaining access to resources, such as industry insights and best practices that can be beneficial for your business. By supporting AAHID, firms can be part of a platform that connects industry professionals and subject matter experts (CHIDs) in the United States and Canada throughout the year.

Being a Design Firm Partner can enhance your credibility and reputation within the healthcare design industry, signaling to others your commitment to your profession and staying current with healthcare design trends and topics.

CRGA DESIGN

ARCHITECTURE
INTERIOR DESIGN
PLANNING

design firm partner



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 2024.

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 2024 in Indianapolis, IN.

Annual Meeting and Reception Sponsors:

CD Level: AHF Products, Minted, Porcelanosa

Cassette Level: Norix Furniture

Record Level: Arcadia/Encore, C.F. Stinson, ECOsurface, MillerKnoll, Stance, Teknoflor

AAHID HCD Expo Booth Sponsors:

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industry partners

AAHID Reception IP Group Photo



2024 Industry Partners

The American Academy of Healthcare Interior Designers is proud to partner with industry leaders who share a commitment to transforming the healthcare environment through interior design.

Platinum

Medvion
Mohawk Group

Gold

Armstrong Flooring
Krug
MechoSystems

Silver

CF Stinson
Construction Specialties
Kwalu
Norix Group
SitOnIt Seating
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Bronze

AHF Contract
Allseating
Arcadia/Encore
Carolina Furniture
ECOSurfaces by Ecore
InPro
Integra Seating
Interwoven Healthcare (Kimball)
IOA (Images of America Inc)
LonSeal Flooring
Louisville Tile
Luxtech (Lightglass)
MillerKnoll/Herman Miller
Minted
OM Seating (Office Masters)
Patcraft
Porven LTD (Porcelanosa)
Shaw Contract Group
Skyline Art Services
Spartan Surfaces
Spec Furniture
Stance Healthcare
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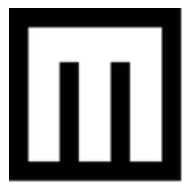
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SILVER PARTNERS

A row of Cora chairs, which have blue seats and grey patterned backs, arranged in a waiting area. The chairs are made of metal and have armrests. A small table with a bag and some items is next to them. The background is a light-colored wall and a wooden panel wall.

Ready to take on healthcare

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The logo for eco surfaces features the word "eco" in a bold, green, lowercase sans-serif font, followed by the word "surfaces" in a smaller, grey, lowercase sans-serif font.The logo for inpro features the word "inpro" in a bold, dark grey, lowercase sans-serif font. A small blue dot is positioned above the letter "i". A registered trademark symbol (®) is located to the upper right of the word.The logo for Integra features the word "Integra" in a bold, black, lowercase sans-serif font. A red vertical bar is positioned to the left of the letter "I". A registered trademark symbol (®) is located to the upper right of the word.The logo for XIOA features a stylized graphic of four interlocking 'X' shapes in grey and orange, followed by the letters "IOA" in a bold, grey, uppercase sans-serif font.

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The logo for interwoven features the word "interwoven" in a lowercase, sans-serif font. The letters are filled with a vibrant, multi-colored pattern that resembles a woven fabric or a watercolor effect, transitioning through shades of orange, red, and yellow.The logo for LONSEAL FLOORING consists of the word "LONSEAL" in a bold, uppercase, sans-serif font, followed by a registered trademark symbol (®). Below it, the word "FLOORING" is written in a smaller, uppercase, sans-serif font. The entire logo is in a dark blue color.The logo for Louisville Tile features a stylized, geometric design above the company name. The design is a square composed of several concentric, slightly offset lines, creating a sense of depth and movement. The lines are in a teal or dark green color.

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The logo for LUXTECH features a stylized, geometric icon to the left of the company name. The icon is a square composed of several concentric, slightly offset lines, creating a sense of depth and movement. The lines are in a yellow and light blue color.

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The logo for 'spec' is written in a bold, red, lowercase sans-serif font. A small 'TM' trademark symbol is located at the top right of the letter 'c'.The logo for 'Stance' is written in a bold, dark green, sans-serif font.The logo for 'Tarkett' features a dark blue circular icon on the left, containing a white stylized swirl or 'C' shape. To the right of the icon, the word 'Tarkett' is written in a bold, dark blue, sans-serif font.A circular logo with a blue background and a white stylized 'X' shape in the center.

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