Ah, the promise of spring! Though our challenges are still difficult as we navigate a "new normal," new life is in the air. We're happy to celebrate spring ... and bring new activities for all!

Find the leader in you
Becoming a candidate for 2021! The search for new leaders is on, as NASW Indiana Chapter is now accepting nominations for its Board of Directors. We are looking for members who are committed to the profession and are looking to enhance their leadership skills.

It's a fantastic opportunity to become part of the professional social work community in Indiana and to lead the organization as it continues to grow. Any member in good standing can self-nominate or nominate colleagues with their consent.

Open positions include President Elect, Secretary, BSW/MSW Student Representatives, Delegate Assembly 2023, and Region 4 and 7 Representatives.

Questions about licensing?
We know the licensing process in Indiana can be intimidating and we're here to help. On Tuesday, April 20th, NASW Indiana will host an hour-long free webinar for both students and professionals. It's open to all, but registration is required. When you register, we encourage you to submit specific questions you have about the licensing process. Click here for information and to register.
April is Autism Awareness Month
We have two virtual Lunch & Learns in April to honor Autism Awareness Month! These one-hour Lunch & Learns are open to everyone in the state and are free to NASW members, $10 for non-members. Both offer one CE credit hour. First up, on Friday, April 16th at noon (EST) is "Grief and Loss on the Autism Spectrum," hosted by Region 10. Then on Friday, April 23rd, also at noon (EST), Region 7 is hosting "Adult Autistic Children and What to Expect after Turning 18." Click here to register for both!

Resources

- NASW Practice Alert: New Federal Rule Provides Patients with Access to Records. This document discusses the 21st Century Cures Act implemented on April 5, 2021. It requires social workers and other health care providers provide patients with immediate access to their health info in their electronic health records without charge. Read the alert here.
- Social Work profession awarded federal grant to develop interstate licensure compact. Multi-year initiative will improve access to social work services, enhance the mobility of social workers and strengthen the state licensure system. Read more.

Events/News

Next SOGI Committee meeting is April 13th @ 6:00 p.m. (EST)

Interested in our Sexual Orientation & Gender Identity (SOGI) Committee?
Open to all NASW members!

Exciting Sponsor & Exhibitor opportunities available - sign up now!

Social Work Licensure Prep Course, June 11 Registration opens soon!
Useful Links

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