

C.A. events are open to anyone interested in the Twelve Step Program of recovery, so please come and participate in our event so our fellowship can continue to grow. Our Fifth Tradition states: "Our primary purpose is to carry the message to the addict who still suffers".

Please support the Ohio Area Convention by registering. You must be registered to attend workshops, and to enter our hospitality room. It is from the support of each participant's registration that helps our convention be successful and allows us to carry the message of recovery.

## REGISTRATION

Would you like to chair \_\_\_\_\_ or speak \_\_\_\_\_ at a marathon meeting?

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_

STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

BADGE TO READ \_\_\_\_\_

AREA CODE/TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

_____ EARLY REGISTRATION	(Before March 10, 2025)	\$20.00
_____ LATE REGISTRATION	(After March 10, 2025)	\$30.00
_____ SATURDAY BANQUET		\$45.00
_____ SATURDAY DANCE		\$ 5.00
_____ FULL PACKAGE EARLY		\$70.00
_____ FULL PACKAGE LATE		\$80.00

DONATION FOR NEWCOMER'S SCHOLARSHIP \$ \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ \_\_\_\_\_

MAKE CHECK /MONEY ORDER PAYABLE & MAIL TO:

OHIO AREA CONVENTION

P.O. BOX 22102

AKRON, OH 44302

Cash App: \$OhioAreaCA

Please fill out Cash App Memo to give detailed info

## TENTATIVE CONVENTION AGENDA

### FRIDAY

REGISTRATION OPENS	5:00 P.M.
HOSPITALITY OPENS	5:00 P.M.
MEMORABILIA OPENS	5:00 P.M.
MARATHON MEETINGS BEGIN	6:00 P.M.
OPENING SPEAKER MEETING	8:00 P.M.
FRIDAY NIGHT KARAOKE (DONATIONS WELCOMED)	Following Speaker

### SATURDAY

REGISTRATION OPENS	10:00 A.M.
MARATHON MEETINGS CONTINUE	
WORKSHOP	10:00 A.M.
WORKSHOP	1:00 P.M.
WORKSHOP	3:00 P.M.
DOORS OPEN FOR BANQUET	6:00 P.M.
DINNER SERVED	6:30 P.M.
MAIN SPEAKER MEETING	8:00 P.M.

### SUNDAY

MARATHON MEETINGS END	8:00 A.M.
SPIRITUAL SPEAKER	10:00 A.M.
CONVENTION CLOSES	12:00 P.M.

#### FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

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## HOTEL INFORMATION/RESERVATIONS

Double Tree Worthington  
175 Hutchinson Dr.  
Columbus, OH 43235  
614-450-8000

**\$110.00+ tax guaranteed until March 31, 2025**

CHECK-IN: 3:00 P.M. EST CHECK-OUT: 11:00 A.M. EST

<https://www.hilton.com/en/book/reservation/rooms/?ctyhocn=CMHWNDT&arrivalDate=2025-04-10&departureDate=2025-04-13&groupCode=CDTCOO&room1NumAdults=1&cid=OM%2CWW%2CHILTONLINK%2CEN%2CDirectLink>

## WHO IS A C.A. MEMBER?

While the name “Cocaine Anonymous” may sound drug-specific, we wish to assure you that our program is not. Many of our members did a lot of cocaine; others used only a little, and some never even tried coke. We have members who drank only on occasion, those who casually referred to themselves as drunks, and others who were full-blown alcoholics. Whether we focused on a specific substance or used whatever we could get our hands on, we had one thing in common: eventually we all reached a point where we could not stop.

According to C.A.’s Third Tradition, the only requirement for membership is a desire to stop using cocaine and all other mind-altering substances. Whatever you may have been using, if it led you to this meeting, you’re probably in the right place. Over time, virtually every single one of us has realized that our real problem is not cocaine or any specific drug; it is the disease of addiction.

It can be tempting to focus on our differences rather than our similarities, but this can blind us to potential sources of support in our recovery. As we hear other members’ stories, the most important question to ask ourselves is not, “Would I have partied with these people?” but rather, “Do these people have a solution that can help me stay sober?” We encourage you to stick around and listen with an open mind.

With its all-inclusive Third Tradition and First Step, Cocaine Anonymous welcomes anyone with a drug or alcohol problem and offers a solution. C.A.’s Twelve Steps are not drug-specific, and Cocaine Anonymous is not a drug-specific Fellowship. It doesn’t matter to us if you drank or what type of drugs you used; if you have a desire to stop, you are welcome here!

**CA is not responsible for injuries that occur while at the convention.  
Parents are responsible for their children at all times while attending the convention.**

# The 35th Annual Ohio Area Convention

*“Plant a Seed...Grow a Miracle”*



*April 11-13, 2025*

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\*In spirit of Tradition 6: We are not allied with any sect, denomination, politics, organization, or institution.