LEGISLATIVE UPDATES

Thank You to the Latest Kids Online Safety Act Co-Sponsors (S. 1409)

There are now 47 co-sponsors!

Senator Elizabeth Warren (D-MA)  Senator Josh Hawley (R-MO)
EDC took to Capitol Hill to educate Congress on the ways social media exacerbates eating disorders and addressed why passing the Kids Online Safety Act is urgently needed to improve safety for children online.

URGE YOUR SENATORS TO BECOME A CO-SPONSOR

EDC MEMBER UPDATES

THANK YOU FOR BEING AN EDC MEMBER!

CAROLINA RESOURCE CENTER FOR EATING DISORDERS

Carolina Resource Center for Eating Disorders (CRC for ED) is the only nonprofit in NC providing education, resources, and support to individuals, families, and professionals concerned with disordered eating and recovery from eating disorders. Programming includes professional development and community outreach, resource and referral services through a Helpline and treatment directory, weekly virtual support group, and independent clinical assessments. All services are provided at no cost.

View one of their important resources: https://bit.ly/38nqg2.

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EATING DISORDER COALITION OF IOWA

Join the Eating Disorder Coalition of Iowa for a half-day of live, didactic and interactive presentations geared toward increasing skills in working with the eating disorder population.

Intended Audience includes: health care providers including social workers, counselors, psychologists, dietitians and other allied professionals. Individuals in recovery, caregivers, coaches, teachers, students, and community members are welcome to attend for non-CEU participation.

For more information and to register: https://bit.ly/44FfI09.
EDCare

EDCare is thrilled to announce the expansion of their services in Denver, CO! EDCare now offers a gender-inclusive Partial Hospitalization Program (PHP) and transitional Intensive Outpatient Program (IOP) for adolescents, ages 13-17, and their families.

For more information, contact Danielle Mauro at DMauro@eatingdisorder-care.com.

STRIPED

Strategic Training Initiative for the Prevention of Eating Disorders

Harvard STRIPED has published a new report on how to approach the de-implementation of universal BMI surveillance

For more information: https://bit.ly/3EPCeRh.

Monte Nido & Affiliates

Monte Nido & Affiliates was published in the Journal of Eating Disorders: "Eating Disorder Patients With and Without PISD Treated in Residential Care. Discharge and 6-month Follow-up Results."

To learn more about research on the intersections of eating disorders and trauma, visit: https://bit.ly/3Y1SH2y.

The full article can be found at https://bit.ly/44m6vB8.

MEDA

Multi-Service Eating Disorder Association

Do you want to speak at the 2024 National MEDA Conference? The request for proposals is out and ready for you! The RFP is due on October 13, 2023. This year’s MEDA conference will be held on May 16 and 17, 2024 at the Newton Marriott.

If you have any questions, contact conference@medainc.org.

For more information and to apply: https://bit.ly/3KOjkgk.
**The Renfrew Center**


Covering an array of topics, in addition to those traditionally included in the program, we will explore compassion fatigue, intergenerational trauma, infertility/miscarriage, social media stress, intersectional identities and much more.

For more information, please visit [www.renfrewconference.com](http://www.renfrewconference.com) or contact [conference@renfrewcenter.com](mailto:conference@renfrewcenter.com).

**Project HEAL**

Join Project HEAL and EDRD Pro on October 20 for InformED, the Inaugural Community Forum where we talk about current events that matter in the eating disorder community. Sessions go from 10:30am-4pm EST.

Sponsorship opportunities are available; please email Cathy at caths@projectheal.org for more information.


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**NCEED National Center of Excellence for Eating Disorders**

Earlier this year, NCEED worked with the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) to provide SBIRT-ED training specifically to medical residents in its Primary Care Training Enhancement (PCTE) program.

This exciting collaboration is reflective of federal appropriations for eating disorder training passed in December 2022.

This represents a major advancement in increasing the capacity of primary care providers to engage in eating disorder work.

**The Eating Disorder Foundation**

Join the Eating Disorder Foundation in celebration of their 20th anniversary on Saturday, October 7th. Celebrate their achievements and help raise funds to ensure free support, education and advocacy are available to individuals as well as families and friends.

This year they will honor the esteemed Dr. Adele Lofrance for her significant achievements in the field of eating disorders.

To attend or to become a sponsor, contact [info@eatingdisorderfoundation.org](mailto:info@eatingdisorderfoundation.org).
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SUN CLOUD HEALTH

Suncloud Health has opened an IOP/PHP program in Gaithersburg, MD for adults with eating disorders, mental health, addiction and/or trauma-related conditions. With a dedicated team of experts, they provide integrated specialty care to those with complex, multi-occurring disorders.

For more information, please email info@suncloudhealth.com or call 844-441-2286

BECOME AN EDC AMBASSADOR

Ambassadors are key leaders in their states and help the EDC connect Members of Congress to their constituents.

Share Your Story: One of the most valuable ways to make an impact.

Email Your Members of Congress: A great way for Members of Congress to see the impact of eating disorders in their district/state.

Attend meetings with your Members of Congress to advocate for EDC’s legislation.

Participate in EDC's Days of Action and Annual Advocacy Day

SIGN UP
**EDC STORY COLLECTIONS**

Help power EDC’s advocacy by sharing YOUR story.

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Stories may be shared with Members of Congress to show constituent support.

**SHARE YOUR STORY**

**EDC MEMBERS**

**Champions Circle**
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- Monte Nido & Affiliates
- REDC
- Strategic Training Initiative for Prevention of Eating Disorders (STRIPED)

**Executive Circle**
- Eating Recovery Center
- Equip Health
- National Alliance for Eating Disorders
- National Eating Disorders Association (NEDA)

**Policy Circle**
- Be Real USA
- Galen Healthcare Solutions
- Suncloud Health
- The Renfrew Center
- Timberline Knolls
Within Health

**Leadership Circle**
Academy for Eating Disorders
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**Advocacy Circle**
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**Support Circle**
Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics
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Anorexia Nervosa & Associated Disorders
Carolina Resource Center for Eating Disorders
Eating Disorders Coalition of Iowa (EDIC)
International Federation of Eating Disorders Dietitians (IFEDD)
McCallum Place
Rogers Behavioral Health
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