

# Under the Sea



## 2010 National Conference Call for Workshops General Information

The 2010 SADD National Conference Workshop Committee is now accepting innovative workshop proposals for the 2010 SADD National Conference in June 2010 in Orlando, Florida. Our conference opens on Sunday, June 27, and concludes on Wednesday, June 30. One-hour workshop sessions will run Monday, June 28, and Tuesday, June 29. Submit your proposal today!

If you have an expertise in youth leadership or chapter development or extensive knowledge in the areas of alcohol and other drug use, safe driving issues, teen violence, body image, suicide, or one of the many other issues facing young people today, please submit a proposal. Youth, adults, groups, and organizations are all encouraged to apply! Please see below for additional information and the proposal process.

### Workshop Format & Expectations

Each workshop will be *one hour* in length. We will provide you with an estimate of the number of participants to expect when workshops are finalized. Conference participants are current middle school or high school students and adult advisors or chaperones.

We expect that all workshops will accomplish the following.

- Present a program or activity that is relevant to one of the topic areas listed below and aligned with SADD's mission.
- Engage participants in a dynamic, interactive learning process.
- Provide participants with concrete tools and advice they can bring back to their own schools and communities.

### Workshop Topic Areas

SADD is a peer-to-peer youth education, prevention, and activism organization whose mission is to provide students with the best prevention tools possible to deal with the issues of underage drinking, other drug use, risky and impaired driving, and other destructive decisions. With your help, we hope to offer conference participants the opportunity to explore a wide range of relevant topics including, *but not limited to*, the following.

- Leadership development
- Chapter/group development
- Underage drinking prevention
- Substance abuse prevention
- Traffic/highway safety
- Risky and impaired driving
- Advocacy
- Peer education
- Suicide prevention
- Violence prevention
- Healthy lifestyles
- Fund-raising strategies
- Innovative chapter programming
- Advisor development

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## Conference Attendance

If you wish to attend the full conference, we request that you register with WorldStrides, our logistics partner, for a conference package. Unfortunately, due to our limited budget, we are unable to pay travel costs or to compensate workshop presenters. To register for a conference package or for conference registration information, visit [sadd.org](http://sadd.org).

If you are unable to attend the full conference but plan to spend the night with us at the Hyatt Regency Grand Cypress Hotel, we strongly encourage you to make your hotel reservations through WorldStrides for the best available price. Overnight accommodations are available for \$176 per night, **which includes all taxes and fees**. Upon proposal acceptance, we will provide all presenters with information pertaining to overnight accommodations and how to go about making your reservations.

## A/V Equipment Requests

We do our best to accommodate **basic** A/V requests; however, due to our limited budget, we are unable to provide or rent A/V equipment such as LCD projectors, DVD players, etc. for presenters. Should you require these items, please be prepared to cover the expense. We will put you in direct contact with the on-site A/V company at the conference site if you request an item that we are unable to provide. Thank you for your understanding

SADD will provide (if requested):

- Screen for projection
- Table for projector or other materials
- Flipchart/easel
- Markers
- Tape

SADD is unable to provide:

- LCD projector
- Laptop computer
- Internet access
- VCR/DVD player
- Television
- Sound for video clips
- Microphone (*unless we determine that the room requires it*)



## Proposal Selection Process

Although we are unable to select all of the proposals that are submitted, we are committed to having the most appropriate and well-rounded selection of workshops for the conference. Workshop proposal forms are due no later than **Friday, January 22, 2010**, and will be reviewed by a committee of youth and adults in February. Decision notifications will be provided by e-mail during the week of March 1, 2010.

Please **click here** for the Call for Workshops proposal form, and submit your completed proposal with the necessary supporting documents by e-mail, fax, or mail. **Electronic submissions are strongly encouraged and appreciated.**

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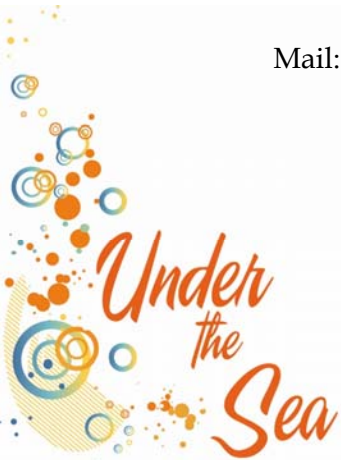
**Proposal submission deadline:**

**Friday, January 22, 2010**

(Decision Notification: Week of March 1, 2010)

*Questions?*

Please contact Emily Socha toll-free at 877-SADD-INC (723-3462) or at [esocho@sadd.org](mailto:esocho@sadd.org).



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**WORKSHOP PROPOSAL FORM**

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**GENERAL INFORMATION**

Proposed Workshop Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Coordinating Presenter & Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Presenters (if any): \_\_\_\_\_

Institution/Organization/Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

- I/My organization may be interested in exhibiting at the 2010 SADD National Conference.  
Please send me information regarding the Exhibit Hall

**WORKSHOP SPECIFICS**

Target Audience (select all that apply):  Youth  Advisors  Other Adults

Desired Audience Size (select one):  Fewer than 30  30-50  50+  No preference

Room Set-Up Requested (e.g., chairs in a circle, rounds of 10, theater-style, etc.):

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**Audio/Visual Needs:** Please review the information provided in the overview pertaining to A/V requests. We are unable to provide equipment such as LCD projectors and VCR/DVD players. We are happy to provide flip charts, easels, markers, etc. if requested. Please indicate your A/V needs below.

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**Topic area(s) to address (please select all that apply):**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Leadership development       | <input type="checkbox"/> Suicide prevention             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chapter/group development    | <input type="checkbox"/> Violence prevention            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Underage drinking prevention | <input type="checkbox"/> Healthy lifestyles             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Substance abuse prevention   | <input type="checkbox"/> Fund-raising strategies        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Traffic/highway safety       | <input type="checkbox"/> Innovative chapter programming |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Risky and impaired driving   | <input type="checkbox"/> Advisor development            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Advocacy                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify: _____)  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Peer education               |   |



**Workshop Sessions - Scheduling Preferences:** Please indicate *all* sessions that you are **available** to present your workshop. Presenters will **not** be scheduled for more than one session unless you indicate your interest below *and* we discuss it with you personally.

**Monday, June 28, 2010**

- Session #1, 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM
- Session #2, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
- Session #3, 2:45 PM - 3:45 PM

**Tuesday, June 29, 2010**

- Session #4, 9:45 AM - 10:45 AM
- Session #5, 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM
- Session #6, 1:15 PM - 2:15 PM

I would be willing to present my workshop more than once.  Yes  No  Unsure

**Please provide the following information on a separate page (or pages).**

- **Detailed Workshop Overview.** *Proposal will be evaluated primarily on this description. Be sure to include the following details.*
  - Key points and learning objectives
  - Description of the tools and information that participants will be able to bring back to their own schools and communities
  - Interactive opportunities
  - Previous experience presenting this workshop
- **Brief Workshop Description (for conference program).** Please provide a creative description of your workshop for inclusion in the conference program booklet, which all participants will receive. Please limit the description to 125 words. Thank you!

Please send completed proposals to SADD by **Friday, January 22, 2010.**

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