

ASSEMBLY OF REGIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

2009 Calendar of Activities

DEADLINE	GRANT/AWARD/ACTIVITY	DESCRIPTION
<i>ongoing</i>	Assembly Infrastructure Grants (AIG) Follow-up:	Aid/infrastructure grants (AIG) to regional organizations that are beginning, struggling, or revitalizing. Grants will be awarded up to \$1,000, on a first come first served basis, and until funds are exhausted. Report submission annually.
<i>ongoing</i>	Medical Student Psychiatry Special Interest Groups Grants (SIG) Follow-up:	Encourage and facilitate medical student involvement with the Medical Student Psychiatry Special Interest Groups at local medical schools. Due within 3 months after events.
<i>ongoing</i>	"Special Friends" Award	Recognizes local or national media people for coverage or programming that is child sensitive, concerned with child issues, and/or positive for children.
<i>ongoing</i>	Regional Organization Member Directory Grants (<i>up to \$500</i>)	Sponsored by the American Professional Agency (AmPro), funding is granted for production of regional organization membership directories. <i>Application is made directly to AmPro (800-421-6694, ask for psychiatry department).</i>
4-5 weeks before the meeting	Roll Call of States Forms	Due to the National Office for inclusion in the Assembly meeting book.
2-3 weeks before the meeting	Early Registration for Spring/October Meeting	Deadline for the \$50 fee. Forms can be faxed or emailed with credit card payment information to (202) 966-2037, mailed to the National Office, or REGISTER ONLINE. Onsite registration is \$75 (no cash accepted).
December 1, 2008	2008 AACAP/Assembly Advocacy and Collaboration Grants: <i>Follow-up materials due</i>	Intended to fund advocacy activities designed to improve care for the mental health needs of children, adolescents, and families within a specific community, city or state.

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June 30	2009 Catcher in the Rye Awards Nominations Due	Recognizes and promotes advocacy for children in three categories: individual, AACAP component, and regional organization.
June 30	2009 Regional Organization Communication Award Nominations Due	Recognizes a regional organization that "BEST" advances the AACAP mission through newsletters (paper and electronic) and/or its website.
Late-July	Mail Fall Assembly Meeting Materials	
October 28 <i>6:30 am-3:00 pm</i>	Assembly Meeting	Hilton Hawaiian Village Honolulu, HI
October 28 <i>3:00 – 4:00 pm</i>	New Delegate Orientation <i>(same room as Assembly meeting)</i>	Hilton Hawaiian Village Honolulu, HI