

National Advocacy Conference Frequently Asked Questions

If your question(s) isn't answered here, PLEASE feel free to email staff@firstnac.org with your questions. We are happy to address any questions or concerns you may have!

Q: What does the conference registration fee cover?

A: Conference Registration covers the one and a half days of training, breakfast and lunch on Monday, and the Congressional reception on Tuesday evening. The registration fee does not include the hotel cost, although we do have a discounted rate at the Holiday Inn Capitol where the conference is held. Get Travel offers services to help organize flights if needed.

Q: Do I have to stay at the Holiday Inn Capitol?

A: Although it is not a requirement to stay at the Holiday Inn Capitol, we do recommend it because of the convenience of the proximity to Capitol Hill and our training rooms. Participants also get a special reduced room rate of \$280.48 per night and reduced parking rate of \$40 per night, per vehicle. This pricing includes tax.

Q: Who schedules meetings with Senators and Representatives?

A: We provide step-by-step guidance to participants to schedule their meetings. If there are multiple participants from the same state or have who have the same Senators/Representatives, one participant will take the lead to schedule the meeting. We will help you and guide you every step of the way and will provide any assistance you may need. We want to make sure all participants have a great NAC experience.

Q: Does my whole team have to attend?

A: Your team is welcome to attend but we recommend 12 people for the optimal group size for your Congressional meetings. We have had groups bring 20 students and some students come on their own, all are welcome.

Q: Can I attend as an individual?

A: Yes, you are welcome to attend the conference on your own or with a parent. We will pair you with an experienced participant if you prefer.