



# acdis 2024 DISCOVER

New Horizons for CDI

INDIANAPOLIS | APRIL 8–11, 2024

## An Inside Look at the 2024 ACDIS Conference

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## Total Eclipse of the Chart

### Theme is DISCOVER

What's on the horizon for you and for CDI?

What will we discover together?

### We'll discover a rare celestial marvel

Total solar eclipse at 3:06 p.m. on Monday, April 8, 2024

Indy is located in the center of the "Path of Totality": We'll experience a total solar eclipse for 3 minutes and 46 seconds

### Eclipse occurs during registration time—before opening reception begins at 4:00 p.m.

Eclipse glasses available at the registration desk (sponsored by Iodine)

Step outside from the registration area into the ACDIS open-air spot, perfect to view the eclipse

# The Main Event

- Back in an all-new city, and we were so excited for our 16th annual conference that we just couldn't wait until May!
  - April 8-11, 2024
- Indianapolis, Indiana
  - Fantastic city with tons to see and do right outside the door
  - Safe, walkable, everything is connected with walkways
- The JW Marriott hotel hosts the conference sessions and is one of the conference hotels you can stay in
  - Details of all three hotels are on the website so you can see which works for you: <https://acdis.org/national-conference>
  - All hotels are connected to the JW and the conference—no need to go outside
  - <https://book.passkey.com/event/50532124/owner/1463968/list/hotels/all>
- The exhibit hall is in the Indiana Convention Center
  - Short skywalk from the conference sessions

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# Tracks and Sessions

- The conference features five tracks this year:
  1. **Clinical & Coding**
  2. **New for 2024: Professional Development & Collaboration**
  3. **Quality & Regulatory**
  4. **New for 2024: Program Development & Denials Management**
  5. **Innovation & Expansion**
  
- Hot topics for 2024:
  - The latest clinical topics, including sepsis, encephalopathy, malnutrition, and SDOH codes
  - CDI and UR/UM collaboration
  - Professional development topics including leveraging power dynamics, mentoring, retention, and emotional intelligence
  - 2024 HCC changes, PSIs, and CDI compliance
  - Proactive denials prevention, using clinical guidelines to minimize denials, and data-driven second-level reviews
  - Pediatric topics including behavioral health, length of stay and mortality, critical illness, and obstetrics
  - Expansion topics including beginning outpatient CDI, and high- and low-tech CDI solutions



# Keynotes

- Tuesday, April 9: Paul Long
  - *The FUNdamentals of Meaningful Leadership*
  - What if everyone in your organization could identify true fulfillment, feel empowered to create it, and embraced joy through the process?
  - He will help us find our joy and enable us all to flourish
- Wednesday, April 10: Karen McCullough
  - *Time to Recharge: Managing Your Energy, Not Your Time*
  - Strategies to recharge your batteries—and how to be an energy source for others
- Thursday, April 11: The real Ted Lasso!!!
  - *What's Your MVP? Leadership Lessons from the Coach who Inspired Ted Lasso*
  - We're closing out the conference with Donnie Campbell, the Kansas basketball coach who coached Jason Sudeikis in his youth and inspired the Ted Lasso character
  - Donnie weaves together his personal stories of inspiration with tactical take-aways that are more than applicable and welcomed in today's challenging environment.



# Posters



**Dedicated poster viewing break on  
Wednesday, April 10**

# Special Events

- Dedicated networking event for first-time attendees
  - 5:00 – 6:00 p.m. near the ACDIS booth (during the opening reception in the exhibit hall)
- Facilitated networking for those interested in pediatric CDI, outpatient CDI, CDI educators, and new/emerging leaders
  - During lunch on Tuesday, April 9
  - Discussions facilitated by ACDIS instructors
- Local chapter and networking groups
  - During lunch on Wednesday, April 10
  - Make friends and connect with local peers
  - No chapter for your state? Start one!



# 2024 ACDIS Achievement Awards

- CDI Professional of the Year
- **NEW!** Accomplishment in CDI
- Excellence in Provider Engagement
- Diversity in CDI
- Melissa Varnavas Spirit of Service

**Plus, join us for a surprise you  
won't want to miss!**





# ACDIS Symposium: Outpatient CDI



- Unparalleled networking and education for those already in outpatient CDI and those who want to know how to start
- April 7-8, 2024: One track on Day 1 and two tracks on Day 2
  - Tracks are not themed: Simply select the session that sounds best
- Fantastic keynote: *Get Mentally Fit: Emotional & Positive Intelligence and The Leader You Came to Be* with Tara Renze
- One networking reception (end of Day 1)
- Exhibit hall: Chat with outpatient vendors and exhibitors, plus mix and mingle with attendees
- Special discount extended if purchased with ACDIS conference:
  - Symposium regular price: \$955.00
    - 15% discount when purchased with main conference: \$811.75 (price for Symposium)
  - Symposium Early Bird: \$855.00
    - 15% discount when purchased with main conference: \$726.75 (price for Symposium)
  - Symposium ACDIS Member discount: \$855.00
    - 15% discount when purchased with main conference: \$726.75 (price for Symposium)
  - Symposium Early Bird plus ACDIS Member: \$755.00
    - 15% discount when purchased with main conference: \$641.75 (price for Symposium)



# ACDIS Physician Advisor Forum

The well-loved pre-con has a new name, new approach, and a vibrant lineup of speakers!

- **Day 1:** Two pathways to choose from:
  - *Pathway 1: Physician Advisor 101: Core Skills and Responsibilities*
    - For those new to CDI and new physician advisors
    - Workshop approach taught by industry veteran Trey La Charité, MD, FACP, SFHM, CCS, CCDS
    - Those who pick this pathway should stay in the pathway
  - *Pathway 2: Expanding the Physician Advisor Role*
    - For those who have been in the role for some time
    - Intermediate and advanced-level presentations from physician advisors on the forefront of advancing the profession
  - Concludes with a networking reception
- **Day 2:** Brings everyone back together for learning and networking

**Pricing: \$1,399**

15% discount when  
purchased with main  
conference: \$1,189.15



## CEUs Galore!



- The ACDIS conference has been approved for 13 continuing education credits from the following credentialing bodies:
  - ACDIS
  - ACCME
  - AHIMA
  - ANCC
  - NAHRI
- The ACDIS Symposium: Outpatient CDI has been approved for 11 CEUs from the following:
  - ACDIS
  - ACCME
  - ANCC
  - AHIMA
  - AAPC
  - NAHRI
- The ACDIS Physician Advisor Forum has been approved for 12 CEUs from the following:
  - ACDIS
  - ACCME
  - AHIMA
  - NAHRI



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## Welcome to the Circle City!

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# Eclipse Events

- Closest Eclipse event is at **White River State Park**
  - Walking distance from the convention center
  - Events begin at 11 a.m.
  - 40 food trucks
  - <https://whiteriverstatepark.org/event/solar-eclipse/>



# Indianapolis Restaurants

- Indy was named the most “Underrated Food City in America” by *Condé Nast Traveler*, and for good reason.
- Try classics like the searing shrimp cocktail at **St. Elmo**, the piled-high reuben at **Shapiro's**, or the oversized pork tenderloin that is served almost everywhere.
- James Beard-recognized chefs are on display at [Bluebeard](#), [Vida](#), and [Milktooth](#).
- If you can't decide what to eat, wander into a [food hall at The Garage](#), [AMP](#), or [City Market](#).
- From local restaurants to [acclaimed breweries](#), Indy is fit for [foodies](#).



# Downtown Restaurants

VIEW:  Grid  List | SORT:  Recommended  Near Me |  Show Map













**Regions**

- Downtown (245)
- Broad Ripple (121)
- Carmel (63)
- Greenwood (61)
- Castleton (60)

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**Categories**

- African (2)
- Asian (27)
- Breakfast & Brunch (28)
- Burgers & Dogs (13)
- Casual Dining (40)
- Coffee Shops (19)
- Deli & Bakeries (21)
- European (17)
- Fast Food (2)
- Fine Dining (15)
- Food Trucks (1)
- Indian (4)
- Italian (16)
- Mexican & Latin (32)
- Middle Eastern (4)
- Pizza (9)
- Southern (23)
- Sport Bars & Brew Pubs (36)
- Steakhouses & Seafood (33)
- Sweets Treats (25)
- Vegetarian/Vegan (18)

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# Shopping

- Circle Centre Mall

- Connected to the Indiana Convention Center
- 60+ retailers
- 24 dining options
- Regal United Artist Cinema
- Hours vary: Typically, Monday through Saturday 11:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m. and Sunday 12:00 – 6:00 p.m.



- Indy Boutiques

- Mass Ave: includes many locally run businesses and restaurants





# Other Local Attractions

- [Lucas Oil Stadium](#)
  - Tours typically offered on Fridays, tickets must be purchased two weeks in advance
- [Gainbridge Fieldhouse](#)
- [Victory Field](#)
- [Eiteljorg Museum](#)
- [Indianapolis Zoo](#)
- [Indiana State Museum](#)
- [Indianapolis Motor Speedway](#)
- [NCAA Hall of Champions](#)
- [Canal & White River State Park District](#)



## Other Events

- [Haunted Indianapolis Downtown Ghost Walk – Eclipse Weekend](#)
  - Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup>
- [Indianapolis Indians Minor League Baseball Games](#)
  - Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup> & Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup>
- [Miami Heat vs. Indiana Pacers](#)
  - Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup>
- [The Mind Tripping Show](#)
  - Saturday, April 6<sup>th</sup>

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