



CAUDS Workshop Invite List

CAUDS workshops emphasize collaboration and collective action towards creating a healthier drinking culture and helping people understand alcohol use disorder as a treatable health condition. Inviting a diverse and representative audience to your workshop is crucial for creating meaningful change within your community.

Workshops generally last a full day with lunch provided. The morning session is dedicated to providing information and education about AUD. CAUDS will coordinate presenters that represent:

- Health Authority
- Health Care Provider
- Someone with lived or living AUD experience
- A CAUDS member

The afternoon is a facilitated community conversation. While CAUDS will help identify attendees and assist with facilitating the community conversation, consider who you would like to invite from the following key community sectors (and feel free to tailor this list based on the specific needs and dynamics of your community).

Medical

- Clinical
- Nursing
- Emergency & First Responders
- Health Authorities
- Health Practitioners/Prescribers

Specialized Treatment

- Recovery Services
- Addiction Services
- Employment Programs (EAPs)

Private Health Providers

- Psychiatrists & therapists
- Health insurance providers
- Long-term Care Facilities

Knowledge and Learning

- Local Library Branch
- Student Leaders
- School Boards & Administrators

Justice & Legal

- Government Agencies
- Law Enforcement & Corrections
- Solicitors & Legal Counsellors

Youth & Family Agencies

- Family Services
- Sport or recreation clubs
- Youth Outreach Programs

Community Development

- Neighbourhood Associations
- Housing Advocacy Groups
- Community Outreach Programs

Diversity & Inclusion

- LGBTQ+ Groups
- Immigrant Support Services
- Diaspora Community Leaders

Cultural & Spiritual

- Faith-based Groups
- Indigenous Leaders
- Wellness Instructors

Local Business

- Industry Employers
- Business Owners & Associations
- Local Media Outlets