



As one of the Guideline International Network's (G-I-N) regional communities Guidelines International Network North America (G-I-N/NA) enhances and promotes relationships between G-I-N and the North American guideline community, interacts with other G-I-N regional communities and workgroups, and encourages membership in G-I-N. It partners with the Section on Evidence Based Health Care (SEBHC) of the New York Academy of Medicine (NYAM). The NYAM Section serves as the organizational secretariat of G-I-N/NA and contributes its networks and expertise as an innovator in education and training in evidence-based healthcare to the combined effort.

Aims and Objectives of G-I-N/NA

1. Provide a network for North American guideline users, developers, implementers and other stakeholders to form partnerships and discuss regional guideline issues
2. Facilitate partnerships, collaborations and ongoing information sharing through educational webinars, regional training conferences, social media opportunities and special events
3. Improve the effectiveness, rigor and efficiency of guideline development, adaptation, dissemination, implementation and performance measurement
4. Enhance and promote relationships between G-I-N and the North American community
5. Interact with G-I-N groups to encourage feedback and avoid duplicating efforts

Activities

A highly attended, monthly webinar series, initially co-sponsored with Kaiser Permanente, was launched in January 2012, followed by a series of two-day E-GAPPS (Evidence-based Guidelines Affecting Policy, Practice, and Stakeholders) conferences at the New York Academy of Medicine (NYAM) beginning in December 2012 (link to all E-GAPPS materials: <https://tinyurl.com/lflgka8>). To date, three successful conferences in the E-GAPPS series have been held at NYAM, the most recent of which took place March 20-21, 2017. G-I-N NA remains vibrant with monthly webinars, social media links and other activities related to network building and to the facilitation of collaborative relationships pertinent to enhancing the quality and uptake of trustworthy clinical guidelines throughout Mexico, the United States and Canada.

Requests for information about G-I-N NA can be sent to ebmny@nyam.org or via 212-419-3610.

To join the G-I-N NA mailing list, go to:

<http://www.g-i-n.net/regional-communities/g-i-n-na/expression-of-interest>

Other Links:

G-I-N (main website):: <http://www.g-i-n.net/>

G-I-N/ NA page:: <http://www.g-i-n.net/regional-communities/g-i-n-na/about-g-i-n-n-a>

G-I-N/ NA Webinars: <http://www.g-i-n.net/library/webinars>