



BIAI E-NEWS

*An electronic news source for members of the
Brain Injury Association of Indiana*

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SAVE THE DATE...

9. 17-18 .09 BIAI Annual Conference
(Marten House Hotel)

Register by [email](#) or call 317.356.7722

Come see topics like Advance in Brain Injury in IN: From Neuroimaging to Resource Facilitation; Participation and Productive Living- Return to work, leisure, driving, school; sports concussion, and much much more!

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NEW BRAIN INJURY RESOURCE DIRECTORY JUST RELEASED!

**BIAI Member
Benefit!**

BIAI just released an updated resource directory for brain injury services in Indiana. The directory has over 150 pages of helpful information such as financial resources, legal resources, providers, support groups, a glossary of brain injury related terminology, and much, much more! Members **MUST** download this or keep it on your desktop for reference!

Find the Resource Directory online [here](#)

BIAI PARTNERS FOR VEGAS FUNDRAISER!



Kathryn Hollars, daughter of longtime BIAI members Paul and Elaine Howard, is running to help our cause! The Desert Running Group in Nevada will be running the Rock n Roll Las Vegas Marathon and 1/2" on December 6th in support of the Brain Injury Association of Indiana. Please read about the event at [Rock n Roll Marathon](#). Please support their energy and mission by [making a donation](#) to the [Brain Injury Association of Indiana](#). Indicate your support of the Desert Running Group in the Comments box. Thank you for your support of the runners on a mission for the Brain Injury Association of Indiana.

INDIANA RECEIVES FEDERAL MONEY FOR BRAIN INJURY

The Federal Government recently **awarded the state of Indiana one of 16 total state grants** for 2009-2013. This is an enormous boost for Indiana and reflects the great strides we have taken over the past three years.

The Brain Injury Association of Indiana will be partnering with Indiana Vocational Rehabilitation Services and the Rehabilitation Hospital of Indiana Foundation to work toward the following grant objectives.

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Services and the Rehabilitation Hospital of Indiana Foundation to work toward the following grant objectives.

- ◆ Developing and translating a statewide system of support and collaboration into local support networks
 - ◆ Developing resource facilitation special population groups
 - ◆ Focus on youth and low socio-economic areas of the state
- This is a huge step forward for Hoosiers with brain injury and our Hoosier providers!!!**



2ND ANNUAL SAVE THE NOGGIN RIDE A SUCCESS!

On June 13, BIAI held its 2nd Annual Save the Noggin Bike Ride. It was a great day! The annual fundraiser raised over \$7000 for BIAI!

A special thanks to BIAI's Save the Noggin Committee, Robbie Schmidt, and Ceclia Forbes for working hard to plan such a great event.

Also, **special thanks to our sponsors:** Doehrman Chamberlain, Rehabilitation Hospital of Indiana, Indiana Neurosurgical Group, Center for Comprehensive Services, Young and Young Trial Lawyers, Rest Assured, Rehabilitation Associates of Indiana, Indiana Sports Concussion Network, and Blackburn & Greene.

We're working hard to update and increase our mailing list... please refer a friend to receive BIAI E-News Updates!!

[Click Here](#)

HAVE YOU PAID YOUR BIAI MEMBER DUES?

Take a few moments to think about how important your support could be to the next person who sustains a brain injury. Then, please join us at BIAI by mailing your membership form today. BIAI is a nonprofit 501(c)(3) organization; all donations are tax deductible.

Interested in becoming a part of a state and national organization advocating for the needs of persons with brain injuries and their families? To become a member, complete the [BIAI membership form](#)

To see more benefits of your BIAI Membership Click [Here](#)

BIAI SEEKING VOLUNTEERS FOR COMMITTEES

BIAI can't do it without you... We need your help!

If you're interested in giving back by volunteering your **time** and **energy** to a **great cause**, please [email](#) or call us (317.356.7722)!

- Needed:**
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| Membership Committee Members | Support Group Committee Members |
| Prevention Committee Members | Organizational Cap. Committee Members |

If you don't have time for a committee, **but you have an idea**, please [email](#) us that as well!

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