

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS

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Hello General Service Conference Members!

I have received word that there is some misinformation being broadly shared that all the hotel rooms are already sold out for the 2025 International Convention in Vancouver.

As your 2025 International Convention Coordinator, I can assure you that this is NOT true.

Let's collectively take a deep meditative breath.

An important reminder is that online registration and housing will open on <u>September 10, 2024.</u> In addition, our print registration and housing forms are being prepared for distribution during the summer.

For all the latest information about the 2025 International Convention please visit the original source of communications coming from your General Service Office by visiting our website at https://www.aa.org/international-convention. The following is from our current FAQs.

1. Can I book housing on my own?

As for previous international conventions, we have blocked and negotiated rates for our convention hotel and dorm rooms. For the 2025 International Convention some of our policies and procedures have changed to accommodate specific conditions in Vancouver and to facilitate overall fairness in access to convention housing. You may still try to make your own private housing arrangements but would not have access to our convention housing block unless you book through the convention site on September 10, 2024.

As in past conventions, registration and housing are linked. Meaning that you cannot request convention housing without being registered and you cannot request or reserve more than 2 rooms of our convention housing inventory.

We strongly suggest you book housing as you register for the convention to take advantage of our special convention room rates.

We look forward to being together again in Vancouver, Canada at the 2025 International Convention.

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