



ADAP Advocacy Association

On November 4th, Barak Obama was elected President with 53% of the popular and 364 electoral votes. When Obama announced his candidacy for President nearly two years ago, all of the odds were overwhelmingly stacked against him. But through his perseverance, determination and strong organization and message he prevailed on election day with a mandate from the voters.

Now it is "**Our Time**" to prevail with a new day for AIDS advocacy in America and declare our mandate: **Improve access to care for all living with HIV/AIDS!** There is no better time for HIV/AIDS advocates to assemble and discuss how best to work constructively with an Obama Administration and the 111th Congress to implement needed reforms and secure additional federal funding. **The first 100 days are critical for setting the tone of Obama's first term as the 44th President of the United States.** Collectively, we need to be prepared to hit the ground running if the serious issues confronting people living with HIV/AIDS in America are going to be addressed in a meaningful way.

Wall Street has their high-powered lobbyists. The auto-makers have their big guns. ***But who will speak for you?***

The answer???

YOU!!!

So what's next for us? A simple message...

"Yes We Can!" Let's take Obama's own slogan and translate it into action in Washington, DC!

So please join the **ADAP Advocacy Association (aaa+)** and **Title II Community AIDS National Network (TIICANN)** in Fort Lauderdale, Florida on December 3-5, 2008. We're invited all stakeholders interested in improving access to care to come to Florida and help us formulate an action plan that will result in CHANGE!

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The **aaa+ Annual Conference is being headlined
by the following keynote speakers:**

Dr. Mike Magee

Dr. Magee is a nationally-recognized advocate and speaker on health care reform who will offer practical advice on how to make the health care system work for all of us

Ben Tesdahl, Esq.

Tesdahl is a leading non-profit attorney who will discuss how HIV/AIDS nonprofits can maximize their advocacy efforts under the law without jeopardizing their tax-exempt status

Jeff Crowley

Crowley is a top scholar on HIV/AIDS policy who will review key issues of improving access to care important to people living with HIV/AIDS in America

Steven Lutzky, Ph.D.

Lutzky is leading researcher and systems developer who will discuss the interplay between several major federal programs, including Ryan White, Medicare, Medicaid and others