

# NADA International Conference 2026

## Conference Agenda

Saturday, June 27, 2026

9:00 AM – 4:00 PM

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<b>8:30 AM</b>	Doors Open
<b>8:30 AM – 9:15 AM</b>	Check-In & Registration
<b>9:30 AM</b>	<b>Welcome &amp; Opening Remarks</b> Presented by Lisa Hillary Johnson  Introduction of Umi Hankins Umi Hankins will provide opening remarks and introduce the first speaker.
<b>9:40 AM – 10:00 AM</b>	<b>Speaker Session 1</b> Guest Politician Topic: Welcome to Detroit & Community Healing Initiatives
<b>10:00 AM – 10:20 AM</b>	<b>Jeff — Acupuncture Board Representative</b> Licensed Acupuncturist  <b>Discussion Topics:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Michigan State Acupuncture Laws</li><li>• The Impact of the NADA Protocol</li><li>• The Future Vision of NADA</li></ul>
<b>10:20 AM – 10:40 AM</b>	<b>Geo</b> Michigan Licensed Acupuncturist
<b>10:40 AM – 11:00 AM</b>	<b>Rachael B</b> Book Presentation & Discussion Author table/signing area requested.

<p><b>11:00 AM – 12:00 PM</b></p>	<p><b>Panel Discussion</b>  Panel Setup: 2 Six-Foot Tables</p> <p><b>Featured Panelists:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Dr. Leggett</li> <li>• Dr. Carter</li> <li>• Julie Olsen</li> <li>• Jeff</li> <li>• Geo</li> <li>• Claudia</li> <li>• Additional Speakers To Be Announced</li> </ul> <p><b>Discussion Topics:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Acupuncture in Community Health</li> <li>• The NADA Protocol</li> <li>• Veterans Affairs (VA) Programs</li> <li>• Criminal Justice Applications</li> </ul>
<p><b>12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</b></p>	<p><b>LUNCH</b></p>
<p><b>1:30 PM – 2:15 PM</b></p>	<p><b>Claudia &amp; Julia Volyes</b>  Presentation Topic:  VA Research &amp; Integrative Healing Approaches</p>
<p><b>2:15 PM – 2:30 PM</b></p>	<p><b>BREAK</b></p>
<p><b>2:30 PM – 2:45 PM</b></p>	<p><b>Dr. Bryant</b>  Website &amp; More</p>
<p><b>2:45 PM – 3:45 PM</b></p>	<p><b>Dr. Carter</b>  NADA: Past, Present &amp; Future</p> <p><b>Presentation Topics:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The Evolution of NADA</li> <li>• Current Impact &amp; Community Outreach</li> <li>• Vision for the Future</li> </ul>
<p><b>4:00 PM</b></p>	<p><b>Closing Remarks &amp; Conference Adjournment</b></p>