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A NEWSLETTER FOR PROFESSIONALS

## NA PARTICIPATES IN UN, NGO EVENTS

We regularly take part in international gatherings of policy makers, researchers, and care providers in the fields of drugs, addiction, and treatment. Our goal is to inform attendees about what Narcotics Anonymous is (and is not) and what we can offer to them and the addicts in their communities. In addition to staffing an information booth at these events, we provide workshop and plenary session presentations on the NA program. The three events in which we took part last year [1994] were:

- ICAA Prague Institutes, June 1994
- 15th IFNGO conference, Hong Kong, December 1994
- 2nd UNDCP NGO drug demand reduction forum, Bangkok, December 1994

As this issue is being prepared, an NA representative is presenting at the 6th International Conference on the Reduction of Drug-Related Harm in Florence, Italy, running 26-30 March 1995.

Later this year we will present at the 37th International Congress on Alcohol and Drug Dependence in San Diego, California, USA, organized by the International Council on Alcohol and Addictions, being held 20-25 August 1995.

If you have an upcoming event and would like a Narcotics Anonymous representative to make a workshop or plenary session presentation, please contact us as soon as possible. We cannot accommodate every request, but we will try.