

BIANM's Public Policy Page

The Brain Injury Association of New Mexico was founded in 1984 by family members and concerned professionals to help survivors return home, re-enter the community and live as satisfying a life as possible. The organization is comprised of a central office in Albuquerque. The organization employs a fulltime Executive Director and two parttime staff. Volunteers are crucial to the success of the organization.

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General Background

The Brain Injury Association of New Mexico actively supports progressive public policy for persons with brain injury on both the state and federal levels. We invite you to be active in public policy efforts by writing or contacting either your state or national legislators or congressmen. To find out more information you can visit our Public Policy page at:

<http://www.braininjury.org/pubpolicy.html>

New Mexico Legislature

Search for or contact your New Mexico state legislature Senator or Representative by visiting the New Mexico State Legislature Website at:

<http://legis.state.nm.us/senate.asp>

Grassroots change starts by having your voice heard.

United States Congress

Our U.S. Congress is fairly Internet friendly these days. Search for or contact your New Mexico U.S. Representative at Congress' website:

<http://www.congress.org/congressorg/home/>

You can also petition your cause by writing an email to Senator Bingaman at:

<http://bingaman.senate.gov>

or

Senator Domenici at:

<http://domenici.senate.gov>

Brain Injury Association of America

The BIA of America - located in Alexandria, Virginia - provides extensive online news about nationwide TBI concerns. To learn more about the traumatic brain injury act of 1996 or about federal legislation visit their main site at:

<http://www.biausa.org/Pages/splash.html>

Or view their Legislative Action Center at:

<http://www.capwiz.com/bia/home/>

Advocacy & Public Policy

Explore recent 2003 state legislation supported by the Brain Injury Association of New Mexico:

● 2003 Session: House: Bill 52

Link: <http://legis.state.nm.us/session03.asp?chamber=H&type=JM&number=52&Submit=Search>

● 2003 Session: Senate: Bill 155

Link: <http://legis.state.nm.us/session03.asp?chamber=S&type=++&number=155&Submit=Search>

● 2003 Session: Senate: Bill 362

Link: <http://legis.state.nm.us/session03.asp?chamber=S&type=++&number=362&Submit=Search>

● 2003 Session: House: Bill 404

Link: <http://legis.state.nm.us/session03.asp?chamber=H&type=++&number=404&Submit=Search>

● 2003 Session: House: Bill 50

Link: <http://legis.state.nm.us/session03.asp?chamber=H&type=++&number=501&Submit=Search>

● 2003 Session: House: Bill 664

Link: <http://legis.state.nm.us/session03.asp?chamber=H&type=++&number=664&Submit=Search>

Leadership Training

Leadership training is available from the Brain Injury of New Mexico once a year. Candidates are chosen by application. Application is closed for 2003, as this year's class has already been selected. If you would like to be notified for next year's application, please email or phone us.

Take action for the 21st Century!

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Who is the Brain Injury Association of New Mexico, Inc?

We are a private, non-profit agency that provides support for survivors and family members of persons with traumatic brain injuries (TBI). Our main office is located in Albuquerque, New Mexico. There are several affiliated groups which conduct support meetings across the state.

In addition, we provide educational materials, host conferences and offer workshops. We are also

active politically with the motive to bring awareness to legislators and the public about prevention, support and other TBI issues. To find out more about TBI, our organization, contact a support group representative, volunteer, make a donation, or discover what we are doing in public policy lobbying, contact us. We want to hear from you!

Like What We Do?

Join Us Now!

Sign up at our website

<http://www.braininjurynm.org/>

Or support us with your tax-deductible donation.

Everyone is welcome to attend our business meetings held quarterly in Albuquerque.

If you'd like to volunteer, we'd love to have you.

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