

AATOD's Five - Year Plan **2022 - 2026**

Dear Colleagues,

I am releasing our Association's [five-year plan](#), which discusses our leading initiatives for the field. We will work with a number of our policy partners to achieve the goals of this plan as we have done throughout our history. I recommend that you review this plan as a companion to our recently [updated policy paper](#), uploaded to the AATOD website on March 2, 2022

The next several years will be challenging and we will use our resources to increase access to medication-assisted treatment through OTPs to ensure that patients receive the treatment that will improve their lives.

As always, feel free to let me know if you have any questions and I am grateful to our Board of Directors for their support in implementing these ambitious plans.

Best regards,

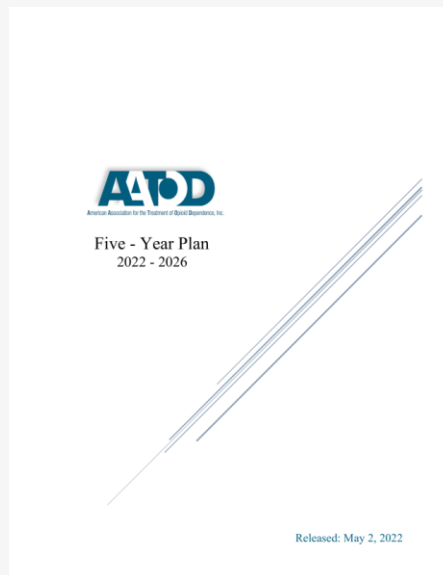
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The American Association for the Treatment of Opioid Dependence (AATOD) was founded in 1984 to enhance the quality of patient care in treatment programs by promoting the growth and development of comprehensive opioid treatment services throughout the United States. AATOD represents more than 1,200 Opioid Treatment Programs in the United States. AATOD has twenty-nine state chapters and is also a founding partner in the development of the World Federation for the Treatment of Opioid Dependence, which represents another 600 treatment programs throughout Europe. AATOD actively works with the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime and other agencies in order to provide access opioid addiction treatment wherever it is needed in the world.



