

FY 2025-26 NCDA State CDA Planning Calendar (updated 11/6/25)

Oct 1	First Day of New Fiscal Year- NCDA
October 30	State Leaders Chat (Zoom)- 9am PT
Nov	National Career Development Month
Nov 17-21	National Career Development Week
Nov 19	National Career Development Day Virtual Event
Nov 30	"In the States" submission
Dec 8	Deadline for articles: <i>Career Developments Magazine</i> – spring issue
December 18	State Leaders Chat (Zoom)- 9am PT
Jan 5	"In the States" submission
January 29	State Leaders Chat (Zoom)- 9am PT
Jan 30	"In the States" submission
Jan 31	Awards Nominations Deadline for NCDA National Awards
Feb 10	Early Bird Registration Deadline for NCDA Conference
Feb 26	National Poetry and Art Contest Online Submission to National
Feb 28	"In the States" submission
Mar	<i>Career Developments</i> Spring Issue and CDQ Spring Issue
Mar 8	Deadline for articles: <i>Career Developments Magazine</i> – summer issue
Mar 11-13	Career Practitioners Institute– Hilton Orrington Evanston, Chicago Area
March 26	State Leaders Chat (Zoom)- 9am PT
March 31	"In the States" submission
April	No State Leaders Chat scheduled
April 30	"In the States" submission
May 28	State Leaders Chat (Zoom)- 9am PT
May 29	"In the States" submission
June	<i>Career Developments</i> Summer Issue and CDQ Summer Issue
June 8	Conference Registration Deadline
June 8	Deadline for articles: <i>Career Developments Magazine</i> – fall issue
June 30-July 2	**NCDA Global Career Development Conference – Minneapolis
June TBD	State Leaders Training at the Annual Conference- Minneapolis
Aug 17	State Division Leadership Report Due to Headquarters
August 27	State Leaders Chat (Zoom)- 9am PT
Aug 28	"In the States" submission
Sep	<i>Career Developments</i> Fall Issue and CDQ - Fall Issue
Sep 8	Deadline for articles: <i>Career Developments Magazine</i> – winter issue
Sep 30	End of Fiscal Year- NCDA