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## Public Attendance at Discipline Hearings

- Any member of the public who wishes to attend a hearing of CADA should contact the CADA Hearings Director.
- Hearing attendance will be accepted on a first come – first served basis due to limited available seating in the hearing venue. Once available seats are filled, no further public attendees will be admitted.
- Public attendees are asked to arrive at least 15 minutes early to review the guidelines for attendees.
- Any expenses incurred by a public attendee are the sole responsibility of the public attendee and will not be reimbursed by CADA.
- Public attendees must keep confidential any and all information related to a hearing.
- Public attendees will not be permitted to bring cell phones, recording devices, cameras or any other devices into the hearing.
- It is recommended that a public attendee who has indicated their desire to attend a hearing confirm the date and time of the hearing the day prior as hearings may be cancelled, adjourned or delayed on short notice. CADA assumes no responsibility for informing public attendees of schedule changes.
- Public attendees will not be admitted to any portion of a hearing deemed to be private or closed by the Hearing Tribunal. Public attendees are advised that a Hearing Tribunal may declare a hearing closed on the day of the hearing. In the event that a hearing is declared closed, public attendees will not be admitted to the hearing. There is no compensation for time, travel, or any other expenses incurred by a public attendee in the event that a hearing is declared closed by the Hearing Tribunal.