

National Braille Association

80th Anniversary Event

2025 Professional Development Conference
Cincinnati, Ohio

Trip Planner

Dates of Event

10/29/25- 10/31/25: The conference begins Wednesday the 29th and ends on Friday the 31st. On the 29th and 30th, workshops begin at 9:00 a.m. and end at 4:00 p.m. On the 31st, workshops begin at 9:00 a.m. and end at 11:30 a.m. Following the final workshops on the 31st, there will be a closing luncheon. After the luncheon there will be an optional group tour (details of the tour are yet to be determined).

Location

[The Summit](#)

5345 Medpace Way
Cincinnati, Ohio 45227

Lodging

- \$185.00 per night
- Additional taxes at the time of this writing are 19.3%
- Cost per night including tax = \$220.71

Parking

Complimentary Self-Parking

Travel by Air

[Cincinnati and Northern Kentucky International Airport \(CVG\)](#)

Ground Transportation to and from Airport

- Taxi service provided by [zTrip](#)
- Ride share ([Lyft](#), [Uber](#), and [Wridz](#))
- On-Demand Shared Ride Shuttle provided by [Executive Transportation](#)

Conference Registration

- Early Conference Registration = \$250.00
- On Time Conference Registration = \$300.00
- Late Conference Registration = \$350.00
- Optional Meal Plan = \$100.00 (Includes a luncheon on Wednesday, a banquet on Thursday, and a luncheon on Friday.)
- Non-Member Fee = \$25.00 (If you're interested in avoiding this fee, become a member today. For only \$25.00 more, you will receive a year's worth of membership benefits. A summary of what that includes can be found [here](#).)

Meals and Incidentals

The [Government Services Administration](#) sets the daily meals and incidentals rate for federal employee travel. This information can be used as a guide to estimate these expenses. The rate at the time of this writing for Colorado Springs, Colorado, is:

- \$64.50 for the first and last day of travel, and
- \$86.00 for all other days.

[Note: If you purchase the optional Meal Plan (and we hope you do!), that should be factored into your total meals and incidentals expense.]

Special Tour

Although the details are yet to be finalized, the NBA is planning an optional tour for Friday the 31st. The tour would begin immediately following the conclusion of the closing luncheon. If you think you would like to attend, we suggest budgeting \$75.00.