Utilizing the NAMI Web Site

Following a major re-design in 2003, the NAMI Web site has become increasingly more central to how NAMI works and accomplishes its mission.

NAMI's Web site is not only our public face for the thousands who visit us online each day, but also a major hub of resources for NAMI state organizations and affiliates, and their leaders.

Here are some of the things that you can accomplish through the NAMI Web site:

- Create your account at www.nami.org
- Manage your personal profile
- Choose your information preferences and receive automatic notice of updates
- Under the 'My Subscriptions' tab, subscribe to NAMI's e-publications including *Recovery for All*, the Multicultural Action Center quarterly e-newsletter
- Participate in online discussion groups (www.nami.org/discussion)
- Purchase resources in the NAMI Store (www.nami.org/store)
- Register for the national convention (www.nami.org/convention)
- Register and fundraise for NAMIWALKS (www.nami.org/walks)
- Contact your state and national representatives for advocacy

As a NAMI leader, you will also want to:

- Regularly consult the homepage, myNAMI, and "What's New" to stay abreast of all the latest information. On average, 75 new pages are added to the site each month.
- Use the "E-mail This" and "Print This" features to distribute information to your board, members, committees, the media, etc.
- Use the *Leaders section* (www.nami.org/leaders): The Leader's section of the Web site is the place to access resources from NAMI National on an ongoing basis for governing, managing, and leading your NAMI organization.
- **Any NAMI state organization or affiliate can use the NAMI "mail group" system on the NAM Web site to create a group list: mailgroups.nami.org**