

2021 Affiliate Professional Awards - Nomination Procedures

Recognized Young Dietitian of the Year (RYDY)
Recognized Dietetic Technician of the Year (RDTY)
Emerging Dietetic Leader Award (EDL)
Outstanding Dietitian of the Year (ODY)

Packets and recommendations should be emailed or postmarked by March 1, 2021. Late or incomplete packets will not be considered.

Email/Mail packets to:

Kelly A. Morrison – CT AND Awards 160 Shore Ave. Groton, CT 06340 kellymorrison160@gmail.com Mobile – 215-512-7879

Award Selection Criteria

The following categories are considered in the evaluation process:

- Academic Education
- Work Experience
- Leadership Abilities
- Significant Accomplishments
- Involvement in AND/CT AND & Other Professional Associations

Responsibilities of Nominator:

- 1. Select a nominee for one of the awards listed above. They must be a member of the Connecticut Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics by 1/1/21. They must not previously have won the award nominated for from *any* affiliate.
 - For Recognized Young Dietitian of the Year the age is 35 years or younger (cutoff May 1st).
 - For Emerging Dietetic Leader Award, practice experience not less than 5 years and not greater than 10 years. In addition to EDL, they must not have previously won the RYDY or RDTY award.
- 2. Present this selection packet to the nominee. There is a template letter to the nominee included at the end of this document.
- 3. Complete a recommendation letter and provide to your nominee or send to CT AND Awards Chair emailed or postmarked by *March 1, 2021*. Please see the "Guidelines for Recommendations" included in this document.

Responsibilities of Nominee:

Your packet should include the following:

1. Resume

Suggested content:

- Education background
- · Job responsibilities and positions held
- Professional association involvements
- Publications or presentations or other professional data you feel may be pertinent
- 2. Information Sheet for your nominated category. (Provided in this packet)

All forms must be typed. Complete only the form that matches the category you are nominated for (RYDY, RDTY, EDL or ODY). Be sure to sign and date the certification section.

- 3. Leadership Form (Provided in this packet) All forms must be typed.
- **4. Self-evaluation** Please limit response to 1-2 typed pages.

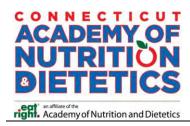
Suggested content:

- Experience(s) that led to selection of career.
- Personal objectives.
- Impact of contributions to profession re: professional involvement.
- Transition career has undergone since entering field.
- Most fulfilling aspect of your career.

5. Recommendation Letters (two)

- One from the person nominating you and one additional recommendation.
- Recommendation letters can be enclosed with your packet or mailed/emailed separately by author.
- Please provide "Guidelines for Recommendations" in this packet to person writing letter.

Submit complete packet to CT AND Awards Chair; emailed or postmarked by March 1, 2021.



2021 RECOGNIZED YOUNG DIETITIAN OF THE YEAR (RYDY) AWARD INFORMATION SHEET

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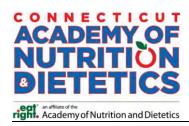
2021 RECOGNIZED DIETETIC TECHNICIAN OF THE YEAR (RDTY) AWARD INFORMATION SHEET

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2021 EMERGING DIETETIC LEADER (EDL) AWARD INFORMATION SHEET

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2021 OUTSTANDING DIETITIAN OF THE YEAR (ODY) AWARD INFORMATION SHEET

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LEADERSHIP FORM

Please list activities, memberships, positions held, etc. Consider the following areas: career guidance, education, legislation, management, clinical dietetics, public relations, research and community, and quality improvement initiatives. *Information from the past 3 years is accepted.*

CATEGORY	DATE(s)
National Academy	57.1.2(3)
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State Academy	
Other Professional	
Associations	
Other Projects	

Guidelines for Recommendations

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In your letter of recommendation, we would appreciate your including the following information.

- 1. The nominee's name.
- 2. How long and in what capacity have you known the nominee?
- 3. What do you consider the nominee's most outstanding strengths or characteristics?
- 4. Describe how well the nominee has demonstrated leadership and/or professional excellence in the dietetics?
- 4. In what ways has the nominee promoted the dietetic profession?
- 5. Additional comments.
- 6. Sign your name and please provide contact info (email/phone).

Please either give the recommendation to the nominee for inclusion in the applicant packet or mail/email it separately to:

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Recommendations should be emailed or postmarked by March 1, 2021.

Template LETTER TO NOMINEE (for Nominators use when notifying Nominee)

Dear ,
Congratulations, I would like to nominate you for a 2021 Connecticut Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Award in the category of:
Recognized Young Dietitian of the Year (RYDY) Recognized Dietetic Technician of the Year (RDTY) Emerging Dietetic Leader Award (EDL) Outstanding Dietitian of the Year (ODY)
To be considered for this award, you must submit a packet with the required materials to the CT AND Awards Chair emailed or postmarked by March 1, 2021 . Late or incomplete packets will not be considered.
Please review the enclosed documents which contain:
 The guidelines for submission of applicant packet. Your responsibilities regarding submission/required items. Forms to be completed. CT AND Award Criteria
I will be preparing one of the two required recommendation letters and
mailing/emailing it directly to the CT AND Awards Chair.
providing it to you for inclusion in your applicant packet.
Best of luck!