



California Dietetic Association

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ADA – CDA AWARDS DUE 10/26/2011 (earlier this year)

DATE: June 2011
TO : DISTRICT AWARDS CHAIRS, CDA EXECUTIVE BOARD, CDAF EXECUTIVE BOARD, MEMBERS COUNCIL, COMMITTEE CHAIRS, DIETETIC EDUCATION PROGRAM DIRECTORS, AND MEMBERS
FROM : 2011-2012 AWARDS COMMITTEE
RE: NOMINATION FOR THE CDA AWARDS

The Awards Committee request your assistance in soliciting nominations for the ADA and CDA Annual Awards. The names of previous CDA recipients of these awards are attached. Consider the criteria carefully and reply as soon as possible. Each packet shall include the nomination form, criteria form, the CV of nominee, (not required for RYDY, RDTY and Emerging Dietetic Leader) and three letters of recommendation. Each letter of recommendation must specifically relate to the defined criteria of the award. When individuals have award nomination packets submitted in a second consecutive year, the letters of recommendation may be retained (re-used) from the former (previous) year.

ONE PERSON IS REQUESTED TO COORDINATE AND SUBMIT ALL APPLICATION MATERIALS FOR THE NOMINEE. Individuals may submit their own nominations and coordinate all paperwork. Please submit all materials electronically to cdaawards@dietitian.org **Deadline 10/26/2011**

The awards will be presented at the CDA Annual Meeting Awards Ceremony. The deadline for submitting nominations by email to cdaawards@dietitian.org is **10/26/2011**

AWARDS TO BE CONSIDERED

Recommendations letter may be sent separately and should be emailed to cdaawards@dietitian.org. Subject Line: **AWARD (+Nominee's name)**. It will be the application coordinators responsibility to insure CDA receives the recommendation letters by **10/26/2011**

Please submit the application PACKET (form, letters, criteria for selection and cv if required), plus a picture (headshot) of each nominee in ONE pdf file per nominee to cdaawards@dietitian.org by **10/26/2011**.

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1. These awards can only be given to the same person one time in any one practice category.
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ADA OUTSTANDING DIETETIC STUDENT AWARD CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES

The purpose of the outstanding student awards program is to recognize the emerging leadership and achievement of students in ADA-accredited and approved dietetics education programs and encourage their participation in The American Dietetic Association. A student from each type of education program within a state will be selected by each state association (a maximum of 4 per state).

In addition to publishing the list of outstanding students in the Journal, each awardee will receive a certificate signed by the President of The American Dietetic Association and the Chair of the Council on Education.

Criteria for Selection of Outstanding Students

1. Member of the American Dietetic Association. Students must be members by Jan. 1 of the year in which they would receive the award. Students must supply their membership number; membership identification numbers **will not** be provided to a third party (i.e. educators).
2. Student enrolled in CADA-accredited or approved dietetics education program (CP, DI, DPD, DT).
3. Demonstrated academic achievement as documented by letters from program faculty or preceptor.
4. Demonstrated leadership and professional potential; e.g., honors, student dietetic association activities, community service activities, etc.

Selection Procedure

1. Nominations will be solicited from program faculty or preceptors by the State Associations.
2. Complete responsibility for the selection of outstanding students rests with the State Associations. Coordinator is the CDA Awards Committee Chair. A maximum of one student from each type of dietetics education program within the state may be selected by each state (maximum 4). States may choose not to participate or to select fewer than the maximum number.
3. CDA Central Office will forward individual data sheets for each awardee to the ADA education and accreditation staff by May 1

Award Procedure

1. A certificate and congratulatory letter will be sent to recipients from the ADA President. If a State Association wishes to receive the certificates for presentation at a formal meeting, the ADA Education staff must be notified of the meeting date in writing when data sheets are submitted. Certificates and letters will be sent to recipients in JUNE.
2. The list of outstanding students will be published in the September issue of the Journal.
3. Recipients will be invited to attend ADA Annual Meeting to be recognized during the ADA Business Meeting.

Email to: cdaawards@dietitian.org

Deadline: 10/26/2011

**ADA OUTSTANDING DIETETICS STUDENT AWARDS
DATA SHEET SELECTION FOR 2011**

Submitted by: The California Dietetic Association

Complete and email to cdaawards@dietitian.org

Submit name as you would like it to appear on a certificate should you be selected

Submit three letters of recommendations

Submit a picture (headshot) of nominee.

Student Name: First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	Credentials
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Home Street Address

City, Zip

ADA MEMBER #	Day Time Phone Number	Email Address
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STUDENT'S CURRENT EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM(Please check one)

<input type="checkbox"/> Coordinated Program	<input type="checkbox"/> Dietetic Internship	<input type="checkbox"/> Didactic Program in Dietetics	<input type="checkbox"/> Dietetic Technician
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Institution	City	State
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ACTIVITIES AND HONORS.	Date

Briefly list student's achievements including: honors (academic and other), student dietetic association activities, community service activities, etc.

Application Coordinator:

District or Committee:

California Dietetic Association Contact:

CDA CENTRAL OFFICE – 310/822-0177 cdaawards@dietitian.org

OUTSTANDING DIETETICS EDUCATOR AWARDS CRITERIA AND PROCEDURES

The purpose of the Outstanding Dietetic Educator Award program is to recognize the teaching, mentoring, and leadership activities of faculty and preceptors in CADE-accredited and approved dietetics education programs. One educator or preceptor will be selected from each program type in each geographic area (a maximum of 4 awardees from each of the 7 geographic areas for a total of 28).

In addition to publishing the list of outstanding educators in the *Journal*, *CADE Newsletter*, and *DEP-line*, each awardee will receive a certificate and congratulatory letter from the ADA president. Awards will be presented at the DEP area meetings for educators each spring. Award winners will also be recognized at the Recognition Ceremony and the CDA Awards program book.

Criteria for Selection of Outstanding Educators

1. Member of The American Dietetic Association.
2. Faculty with academic or supervised practice appointments or preceptors in CADE-accredited and approved dietetics education program (CP, DI, DPD, and DT).
3. Demonstrated innovative teaching skills and techniques.
4. Demonstrated mentoring as documented by letters from students (limit three letters per nominee).
5. Demonstrated leadership; e.g., national, state, or district dietetic association activities, community service, honors received, scientific and professional presentations, publications, employment, etc.

Selection Procedures

1. Nominations from peers or students will be made to the Education Council DEP Representative by December 1. A maximum of one educator for each type of dietetics education program in the state (maximum 4 will be selected and sent to the DEP Area Coordinator). The DI categories have been combined. Complete responsibility for selection at this stage rests with the state association. States may choose not to participate or to select fewer than the maximum number.
2. The Education Council DEP Representative will forward nominations to the respective Dietetic Educators of Practitioners DPG (DEP) area coordinator by **January 15**. Each of the seven DEP geographic areas will select a maximum of one educator for each type of dietetics education program (maximum 4 per area for a total of 28 awardees).
3. DEP area coordinators will forward individual data sheets for each awardee to ADA education and accreditation staff by **February 15**.

Award Procedure

- Recipients will be recognized at the DEP area meetings for educators each spring. Each will receive a certificate and congratulatory letter from the ADA president.
- The list of outstanding educator award recipients will be published in the spring issues of the *CAADE Newsletter* and *DEP-line* and the September issue of the *Journal*.
- Recipients will receive a name badge ribbon for use at the ADA Food and Nutrition Conference and Exhibition and state meeting following their selection.
- Award winners will also be recognized at the Recognition Ceremony and the CDA Awards program book.

Email to: cdaawards@dietitian.org

Deadline: 10/26/2011

California Recipients of ADA Outstanding Educator Award
(since it began in 1995)

Year	Recipient	Institution	Program Type
1996	Patricia Booth, MS, RD, FADA	Medical Center at UCSF	Internship
1996	Bert Connell, PhD, RD	Loma Linda University	Coordinated
1996	Eleanor B. Huang, MS, RD	Orange Coast College	Dietetic Technician
1996	Nancy Hudson, MS, RD	UC, Berkeley	AP4
1997	Teresa Bush-Zurn, MA, RD, FADA	Glendale Memorial Hospital & Health Center	Internship
1998	Sandra S. Witte, PhD, RD	CSU, Fresno	Didactic
1999	Audrey Spindler, PhD, RD	San Diego State University	Didactic
2000	June Payne-Palacio, PhD, RD	Pepperdine University	Didactic
2001	Kathy Sucher, ScD, RD	San Jose State Univ	Internship
2001	Cindy Bratten Wolff, PhD, RD	CA State Univ, Chico	Didactic
2002	Mary Mead, Med, RD	Univ. Of CA, Berkeley	Internship
2002	Laura Calderon, DrPH, RD	CA State Univ, LA	Coordinated Program
2002	Jacqueline Lee, PhD, RD	CA State Univ, Long Beach	Didactic
2004	Dana Wassmer, MS, RD	Consumnes River College, Sacramento	DPD
2004	Dorothy Chen Maynard, PhD, RD	CSU, San Bernardino	DPD
2004	Kathryn Sucher, ScD, RD	San Jose State	Internship
2005	Susan Houston, MS, RD	Merritt College in Oakland	DTP
2006	Debra Geary Hook, MPH, RD	California State University San Bernardino	
2007			
2008	Annette Besnilian, MPH, RD	CSU, Northridge	
2008	Marjorie Freedman, PhD	San Jose State University	
2009	Faye Johnson, EdD, RD	Chico State University, Chico	Didactic Program
2009	Jennifer Karp, MPH, RD	VA, Greater LA Health Care System	Dietetic Internship
2010	Terri Lisagor, EdD, MS, RD	CA State Univ. Northridge	Didactic Program
2011	Wanda Siu-Chan, MS, RD,	San Francisco State	Dietetic Internship
2011	Helenka Livingston, MS, RD	Merritt Colleg	Dietetic Technology
2011	Cindy L. Swann, MS, RD, CDE	Point Loma Nazarene U	Didactic Program

THREE ADA AWARDS OFFERED FOR YOUNG DIETETIC PROFESSIONALS

RECOGNIZED YOUNG DIETITIANS OF THE YEAR AWARD (RYDY)

The purpose of the Recognized Young Dietitian of the Year program is to recognize the competence and activities of younger dietitians in the American Dietetic Association and to encourage their continued participation in association affairs. This group will be an additional resource from which the leadership of the Association will develop - at the district, state, and national levels.

In addition to publishing the list of RYTYs in the *Journal of The American Dietetic Association*, each awardee will receive a formal certificate of recognition from the President of the Association.

A. Criteria for Selection of RYDY

1. Member of The American Dietetic Association and a Registered Dietitian.
2. Age limit as of **May 1 of deadline year**, 35 years or younger (year in which award is given)
3. Active participation in national, state, or district association.
4. Not Previously selected as an RYDY.
5. Demonstrated concern for the promotion of optimal health and nutritional status of the population.
6. Demonstrated leadership, e.g. in legislation, research, education, management, etc., either in the Association or employment.

RECOGNIZED DIETETIC TECHNICIAN OF THE YEAR AWARD (RDTY)

The purpose of the Recognized Dietetic Technician of the Year Award is to recognize the professional contributions of dietetic technicians in The American Dietetic Association and to encourage their continued participation in Association Affairs.

In addition to publishing the list of RDTYs in the *Journal of The American Dietetic Association*, each awardee will receive a formal certificate of recognition from the President of the Association.

A. Criteria for Selection

1. Technician Membership in The American Dietetic Association and a Registered Diet Technician.
Please verify with candidates.
2. Age limit as of **May 1 of deadline year** 35 years or younger (year in which award is given)
3. Active participation in national, affiliate, or district association.
4. Not previously selected for this award.
5. Demonstrated concern for the promotion of optimal health and nutritional status of the population.
6. Demonstrated leadership, e.g., legislation, research, education, clinical dietetics, food service management, public relations, career guidance, etc., in the Association or employment.

EMERGING DIETETIC LEADER AWARD

The purpose of the Emerging Dietetic Leader Award is to recognize the competence and activities of registered dietitians regardless of their age, who have made distinctive contributions early in their dietetics careers to The American Dietetic Association. The award encourages their continued participation in Association affairs. This group will be an additional resource from which the leadership of the Association will develop at the district, state, and national levels.

In addition to publishing the list of Emerging Dietetic Leaders in the *Journal of The American Dietetic Association*, each awardee will receive a formal certificate of recognition from the President of the Association.

A. Criteria for Selection

1. Membership in The American Dietetic Association. Please verify with candidates.
2. Practice experience not less than 5 years and not greater than 10 years.
3. Active participation in the national, state, or district association for at least 5 years.
4. Not previously selected as an RYDY or RDTY.
5. Demonstrated concern for the promotion of optimal health and nutritional status of the population.
6. Demonstrated leadership, e.g., legislation, research, education, management, etc., in the Association or employment.

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B. Procedure for Selection

1. The maximum number of RYDY, RDTY and Emerging Dietetic Leaders per affiliate, per year is based on the number of districts. An affiliate may choose one RYDY from each district, **but may not have more than one in a district.** (CDA may select 1 for each 10 districts)

C. Action Following Selection

1. A certificate of recognition will be sent to the selectees together with a congratulatory letter from the President of ADA. If a Affiliate Association wishes to receive the certificate for presentation at a formal meeting, national headquarters must be notified in writing when the data sheets are submitted. Certificates are generally ready for distribution each year in July/August.
2. RYDY, RDTY and Emerging Dietetic Leaders recipients will receive a name badge ribbon for use at the ADA Annual Meeting and state meetings following their selection.
3. The list of RYDY, RDTY and Emerging Dietetic Leaders selectees for the year will be published in a fall issue of the *Journal of The American Dietetic Association*.
4. Award winners will also be recognized at the Recognition Ceremony and the CDA Awards program book.

EEmail to: cdaawards@dietitian.org

Deadline: 10/26/2011

DATA SHEET SELECTION FOR 2011 NOMINATION FORM

>>>PLEASE INDICATE WITH A (X) FOR THE APPROPRIATE AWARD<<<

<input type="checkbox"/>	RECOGNIZED YOUNG DIETITIANS OF THE YEAR (RYDY)
<input type="checkbox"/>	RECOGNIZED DIETETIC TECHNICIAN OF THE YEAR AWARD (RDTY)
<input type="checkbox"/>	MERGING DIETETIC LEADER AWARD (not previously selected as RYDY or RDTY)

Submitted by: California Dietetic Association Affiliate Association

ADA AWARDS

___ Nomination Form ___ Demonstrated Leadership Form ___ 3 letters of recommendation picture (headshot) electronically to cdaawards@dietitian.org

Note: Letter of recommendation may be sent separately with subject line: **Award (+ nominee's name).**

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	Credentials

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Home Street Address	City	State	Zip

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
ADA MEMBER #	Day Time Phone Number	Email Address

<input type="text"/>
Business

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Business Street Address	City	State	Zip

EDUCATION

Highest Degree Completed:		Date:
Institution:	City	State
Current Education in Process:		
Institution:	City	State

WORK EXPERIENCE Please begin with most current position:

<u>Dates</u>	<u>Title of Position</u>	<u>Organization</u>	<u>City</u>	<u>State</u>
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Nomination made by: (Please check)					
<input type="checkbox"/>	Individual	<input type="checkbox"/>	District	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other specify)

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
District Association	Contact Person	Phone Number

Email to: cdaawards@dietitian.org

Deadline: 10/26/2011

DEMONSTRATED LEADERSHIP

(Please indicate and consider the following areas in your comments: Career Guidance, Education, Legislation, Management, Clinical Dietetics, Public Relations, Research and Community)

Submitted by: California Dietetic Association Affiliate Association

Area		Date
National Association		
State Association		
District Association		
Other Professional Association		
Comments		

Use of this information by The American Dietetic Association is approved:

State Association President	RYDY Signature

Email to: cdaawards@dietitian.org

Deadline: 10/26/2011

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF NOMINEES (to be filled out by nominee or coordinator)

**DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD FOR
OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT**

This is the highest award that a CDA member can receive in honor of the late Dolores Nyhus.

Must be a Registered Dietitian and a member of ADA. The following CDA members are not eligible for the current year: CDA paid employees, Award Committee members, President and President-elect, and recipients of the Distinguished Service Award within the last year
Has lived and worked professionally in California for a minimum of 15 years.
Has had significant impact in the field of nutrition and dietetics.

Has made a significant contribution that improved the standards of dietetic practice and/or the goals of the profession I) in the workplace or II) within CDA.

Has given outstanding service to the professional association through active participation as a committee member, officer, or evidenced action beyond general participation.

Has been a mentor to nutrition professionals or students:

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF NOMINEES (to be filled out by nominee or coordinator)

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

This award is given to an outstanding dietitian in California who has given exemplary service to CDA via district, or state.

Must be a Registered Dietitian and a member of ADA. The following CDA members are not eligible for the current year: CDA paid employees, Award Committee members, President and President-elect.
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Has demonstrated at least five years (not necessarily continuous) of active service and leadership in California as an officer, committee or member in District and State activities.

Exhibits outstanding professional performance.

Has made significant contributions to CDA.

Has been mentor to nutrition professionals or students.

CRYSTAL AWARDS

Awarded to state volunteer(s) for the development and progress toward a state goal or activity. The project should be of a significant nature to the state and involve over 100 hours of volunteer work. The volunteer(s) must be a Registered Dietitian and a member of ADA. A maximum of 2 awards will be given annually.

___ "Nominations Form" ___3 letters of recommendations ___CV ___ Picture of nominee

Note: Letter of recommendation may be sent separately with subject line: **Award (+ nominee's name)**.

CRYSTAL AWARD NOMINATION FORM

First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	Credentials

Home Street Address	City	State	Zip

ADA MEMBER #	Day Time Phone Number	Email Address

Business

Business Street Address	City	State	Zip

DESCRIBE THE PROJECT AND THE ROLE OF THE VOLUNTEER:

District:

Nomination made by: (Please check)			
	Individual		District
			Other specify)

Application Coordinator: First Name	Last Name	Credentials

Home Street Address	City	State	Zip

Day Time Phone Number	Email Address

E Mail to: cdaawards@dietitian.org

Deadline: 10/26/2011

PRACTICE AWARDS NOMINATION FORM

Each packets to be submitted must include:

___ “Nominations Form” ___ “Criteria for Selection” ___ 3 letters of recommendations

___ CV ___ Picture of nominee

Note: Letter of recommendation may be sent separately with subject line: Award (+ nominee’s name).

PLEASE INDICATE A (X) FOR THE APPROPRIATE PRACTICE AREA

	Carol Hayes Torio Excellence in Management		Excellence in Education
	Excellence in Clinical Dietetics		Excellence in Research
	Excellence in Community Nutrition		Excellence in Technical Practice
	Excellence in Private Practice, Business or Communication		

First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	Credentials

Home Street Address	City	State	Zip

ADA MEMBER #	Day Time Phone Number	Email Address

Present or most recent position:

DESCRIBE THE PROFESSIONAL BACKGROUND, LEADERSHIP AND CONTRIBUTIONS WHICH MERIT THIS AWARD. Please relate to the “Criteria for Selection of Nominee”. Cite supporting documentation for each of the criterion. The nominee must meet ALL of the criteria to be considered for this award. Three letters of endorsement must specifically relate to the defined criteria.

Nomination made by: (Please check)			
	Individual		District
			Other specify)

District:

Application Coordinator: First Name	Last Name	Credentials

Home Street Address	City	State	Zip

Day Time Phone Number	Email Address

E Mail to: cdaawards@dietitian.org **Deadline: 10/26/2011**

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF NOMINEES (to be filled out by nominee or coordinator)

CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE IN MANAGEMENT AWARD

This award is given to a CDA member for professional excellence in the practice of management dietetics in one of the following areas of practice: clinical nutrition management, college and university food service, school food service, hospital food service, business/industry/management. The criteria are:

Must be a Registered Dietitian who is an active member of ADA and who has completed a minimum of five years in the practice of management dietetics.

Registered Dietitian since:		Years of Practice:	
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Has demonstrated leadership in ADA/CDA and other professional associations concerned with management of food service and nutrition care services. This includes active participation in a district or state dietetic association.

Has demonstrated leadership in: a) establishing and participating in innovative approaches to the management of food and nutrition support/care services; and b) teaching others about management of food and nutrition support/care services.

Has presented one or more talks, seminars and other educational events concerning management of food service and nutrition care services to a professional group and has published one or more refereed articles or other refereed publications concerning management of food service and nutrition care services.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF NOMINEES (to be filled out by nominee or coordinator)

EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS AWARD

This award is given to a CDA member for professional excellence in the practice of clinical dietetics. The criteria are:

Must be a Registered Dietitian who is an active member of ADA and who has completed a minimum of five years in the practice of clinical dietetics.

Registered Dietitian since		Years of Practice	
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Has demonstrated leadership in ADA/CDA and other professional associations related to an area of clinical dietetics. This includes active participation in district or state dietetic association.

Has demonstrated leadership in: a) establishing and participating in innovative approaches to clinical dietetics; and b) has participated in the training of staff and student interns in clinical dietetics.

Has presented one or more talks, seminars or other educational events concerning clinical dietetics to a professional group or has published one or more refereed articles or other publications concerning clinical dietetic practice.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF NOMINEES (to be filled out by nominee or coordinator)

EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION AWARD

This award is given to a CDA member for professional excellence in the practice of community nutrition in one of the following areas of practice: clinical nutrition policy development, nutrition programs, nutrition education or community-based research. The criteria are:

Must be a Registered Dietitian who is an active member of ADA and who has completed a minimum of five years in the practice of community dietetics.			
Registered Dietitian since		Years of Practice	

Has demonstrated leadership in ADA/CDA and other professional associations related to an area of community dietetics. This includes active participation in district or state dietetic association.

Has demonstrated leadership in: a) establishing and participating in innovative approaches to community nutrition policy, programs education or research; and b) teaching others about community nutrition policy, programs, education or research.

Has presented one or more talks, seminars or other educational events concerning community nutrition policy, programs, education or research to a professional group or has published one or more refereed articles or other refereed publications concerning community nutrition policy, programs, education or research.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF NOMINEES (to be filled out by nominee or coordinator)

EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE, BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION AWARD

This award is given to a CDA member for professional excellence in the private practice, business or communication in one of the following areas: private practice/patient counseling, health care facilities, business or communications. The criteria are:

Must be a Registered Dietitian who is an active member of ADA and who has completed a minimum of five years in the practice of private practice, business or communications dietetics.			
Registered Dietitian since		Years of Practice	

Has demonstrated leadership in ADA/CDA and other professional associations related to an area of private practice, business or communications dietetics. This includes active participation in district or state dietetic association.

Has demonstrated leadership in: a) establishing and participating in innovative approaches to private practice, business or consultation with health care facilities, business or communications; and b) teaching others about private practice, business or consultation with health care facilities, business or communications.

Has presented one or more talks, seminars and other educational events concerning health care facilities, business or communications to professional group; or has published one or more refereed articles or other publications concerning private practice, business or consultation.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF NOMINEES (to be filled out by nominee or coordinator)

EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION AWARD

This award is given to a CDA member for professional excellence in the practice of education in one of the following areas: educating the dietetic practitioner, teaching within medical/dental or nursing schools, teaching of nutrition-related courses in the post-high school setting or developing educational media for these groups. The criteria are:

Must be a Registered Dietitian who is an active member of ADA and who has completed a minimum of five years in the practice of education dietetics.			
Registered Dietitian since		Years of Practice	

Has demonstrated leadership in ADA/CDA and other professional associations related to an area of education dietetics. This includes active participation in district or state dietetic association.

Has demonstrated leadership in: establishing and participating in innovative approaches to education or other area of higher education or administration.

Has presented one or more talks, seminars or other educational events related to dietetic or nutrition education at the higher education level to a professional group or has published one or more refereed articles or other refereed publications concerning the practice of dietetic education.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF NOMINEES (to be filled out by nominee or coordinator)

EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH AWARD

This award is given to a CDA member for professional excellence in dietetic/nutrition research. The criteria are:

Must be a Registered Dietitian who is an active member of ADA and who has completed a minimum of five years in the practice of research dietetics.			
Registered Dietitian since		Years of Practice	

Has demonstrated leadership in ADA/CDA and other professional associations related to an area of research dietetics. This includes active participation in district or state dietetic association.

Has demonstrated leadership in: a) contributing to the body of knowledge of dietetics/nutrition via research, and b) teaching others in a specialized field of research.

Has presented one or more talks, seminars and other educational events on research conducted to a professional group and has published one or more refereed articles or other refereed publications on area of research.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF NOMINEES (to be filled out by nominee or coordinator)

EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE AWARD

This award is given to a CDA member for professional excellence in technical practice of dietetics in one of the following areas: management of food service, nutrition care of patients or community nutrition education. The criteria are:

Must be a Registered Dietitian who is an active member of ADA and who has completed a minimum of five years in the practice of technical dietetics.			
Registered Dietitian since		Years of Practice	

Has demonstrated leadership in ADA/CDA and other professional associations related to an area of technical dietetics. This includes active participation in district or state dietetic association.

Has demonstrated leadership in: a) establishing and participating in innovative approaches to technical practice and b) teaching others about technical practice of dietetics.

Has presented one or more talks, seminars and other educational events on technical practice of dietetics or has published one or more articles on the technical practice of dietetics.

MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD NOMINATION FORM

Packets to be submitted must include:

___ "Nominations Form" ___ "Criteria for Selection" ___ 3 letters of recommendations
 ___ CV ___ Picture of nominee

Note: Letter of recommendation may be sent separately with subject line: **Award (+ nominee's name).**

First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	Credentials
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Has nominee been nominated for this award in the past?	
List Years Nominated	

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CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF NOMINEES

MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD

This award is given to a non-ADA/CDA individual or company for exceptional service or support of the profession. Previous winners are not eligible for this Award.

Known to dietitians for service to the profession throughout the State or in a considerable portion of the State.

Outstanding contribution to the profession from one who is an (Check one)			
<input type="checkbox"/>	allied health professional	<input type="checkbox"/>	health science faculty or research member
<input type="checkbox"/>	belongs to a business group	<input type="checkbox"/>	advisory board.

FRIENDS OF CDA AWARD

Awarded to corporation, media or others who have made exceptional contribution to CDA, but are not eligible for the Meritorious Service Award. Contributions may be in the form of product, financial support, advertising or any other support of CDA projects and activities. Please specify whether the company employs dietitians and their connection to the profession of dietetics. A maximum of 2 awards will be given annually.

FRIENDS OF CDA NOMINATION FORM

Email application packet (form and letter), plus company logo to cdaawards@dietitian.org.

___ "Nominations Form" ___ 3 letters of recommendations ___ Picture of nominee or Company Logo

Note: Letter of recommendation may be sent separately with subject line: **Award (+ nominee's name).**

Business

Company Contact - List Person who will accept award on behalf of this company

First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	Credentials

Home Street Address	City	State	Zip

Day Time Phone Number	Email Address

DESCRIBE THE PROJECT AND THE ROLE OF THE VOLUNTEER:

Nomination made by: (Please check)			
	Individual		District
			Other specify)

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CDA AWARD RECIPIENTS

DOLORES NYHUS

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE

MERITORIOUS SERVICE

1975 Helen Walsh

Clara-Beth Bond
Henrietta Henderson
Gertrude Miller
Corinne Williams
Nell Woodward

Dairy Council of CA
Velma Johnson
Fred Kolstad
Marion Kosht

1976 Leona Shapiro

Jean Sturdevant
Jane S. Pirkey

Mead Johnson Labs.
Roslyn Alfin-Slater

1977 Mary Lou South

Jesse Obert Fred

1978 Kathleen Zolber

Jewel Swindle

George Cunningham

1979 Ruth Huenemann

Bernice Aarons
Carolyn Gustafson

Ross Laboratories
George Moscone

1980 Helen Torbet

Betty Bolton
Barbara B. Swantz

Sunkist Growers

1981 Jane S. Pirkey

Carol Torio

Rose Dosti
American Dietary Products

1982 Patricia Kelly

Donna Williams

William Jarvis

1983 Jewel Swindle

Ann Coulston

1984 Corinne Williams

Doris Derelian

Nick Medeiros/Advocation, Inc.

1985 Doris Constenius

Phyllis Ullman

Joe Carcione

1986 Eileen Peck

Pauline Schatz

Rus Shortridge

1987 Nell Woodward

Mary Jo Feeney

Roger Clemens

1988 Leona Biro

Lucille Fleming

David Blankenhorn
Peter Wood

CDA AWARD RECIPIENTS

<p align="center"><u>1989 AWARDS RECIPIENTS</u></p> <p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Jessie C. Obert, Ph.D., R.D.</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Lois Borgmann, R.D., MPH</p> <p><u>MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD</u> Kerry Tucker</p> <p><u>CAROL HAYES TORIO AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE</u> Sister Alice Marie Quinn, D.C., R.D.</p>	<p align="center"><u>1990 AWARDS RECIPIENTS</u></p> <p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Cheryl L. Loggins, M.S., R.D.</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Betty E. Nowlin, M.P.H., R.D. Rita Storey, R.D.</p> <p><u>MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD</u> Wayne R. Bidlack, Ph.D.</p> <p><u>CAROL HAYES TORIO AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE</u> Jerome Berman, R.D., M.B.A. Audrey Paulbitski, R.D.</p>
<p align="center"><u>1991 AWARD RECIPIENTS</u></p> <p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Linda Dahl, R.D.</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Joan R. Hudiburg, M.S., R.D.</p> <p><u>MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD</u> Sysco Food Service of L.A.</p> <p><u>CAROL HAYES TORIO AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE</u> Cecilia A. Follis, R.D.</p>	<p align="center"><u>1992 AWARDS RECIPIENTS</u></p> <p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Ann M. Coulston, M.S., R.D.</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Susan Semion Kennedy, R.D.</p> <p><u>MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD</u> Safeway Inc.</p> <p><u>CAROL HAYES TORIO AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE</u> June Payne-Palacio, Ph.D., R.D.</p>
<p align="center">1993 AWARDS RECIPIENTS</p>	
<p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Barbara Emison Gaffield, MS, RD</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Sheryl Edson Harding, M.A., R.D.</p> <p><u>MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD</u> Mike Belote/California Advocates</p> <p><u>CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE IN MANAGEMENT</u> Judy Pinegar, MS, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS</u> Peggy C. Papathakis, RD</p>	<p><u>EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION</u> Carla J. Bouchard, MS, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION</u> Pauline E. Schatz, EdD, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE. BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION</u> Deralee R. Scanlon, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH</u> Marylynne Rice-Acero, MS, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE</u> NO AWARD GIVEN</p>
<p align="center">1994 AWARDS RECIPIENTS</p>	
<p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Susan B. Foerster, MPH, RD</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Charlotte M. Mosqueira, MA, RD</p> <p><u>MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD</u> Southern California Gas Company</p> <p><u>CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE IN MANAGEMENT</u> Caryl Fairfull, MBA, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS</u> Gail Farmer, MS, RD</p>	<p><u>EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION</u> Bettye J. Nowlin, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION</u> Lucy McProud, PhD, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE. BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION</u> Judy Fields, MHS, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH</u> Kenneth I. Burke, PhD, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE</u> Linda Jaeckels, DTR</p>

1995 AWARDS RECIPIENTS

DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD

Sharon Long McNerney, RD

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

Jacqueline Saracino, RD

MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD

Ross Products Division,
Abbott Laboratories

**CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE
IN MANAGEMENT**

Clara Browning-Baity, MS, RD

EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS

Stephanie Sanders, RD

EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION

Doris Disbrow, RD

EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION

Joan Hudiburg, RD

EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE.

BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION

Ellen Coleman, RD

EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH

Janet King, RD

EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE

Lurese LeVoir, DTR

1996 AWARDS RECIPIENTS

DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD

Mary Jo Feeney, MS, RD, FADA

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

Judith Ashley, PhD, MSPH, RD

MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD

Dean Adell, MD

**CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE
IN MANAGEMENT**

Charlotte Mosqueira, MA, RD

EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS

Kathleen M. Lynch, RD, CNSD

EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION

Doris Fredericks, Med, RD

EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION

Patricia Johnston, DrPH, RD

EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE

BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION

Dorothy Terrill, MS, RD

EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH

Judith S. Stern, ScD, RD

EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE

Ana Burnett, DTR

LEGISLATIVE AND PUBLIC POLICY

Senator Hilda L. Solis

1997 AWARDS RECIPIENTS

DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD

Pauline E. Schatz, EdD, RD

DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD

Mary Ann Burkman, MPH, RD

MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD

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**CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE
IN MANAGEMENT**

none

EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS

Linda Ann Gardner, MS, RD, CNSD

EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION

Susan D. Conner, MS, RD

EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION

Patricia Booth, MS, RD, FADA, CNSD

EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE

BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION

Kay Kuntz-Igoa, MHEc, RD, CDE

EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH

Geeta Sikand, MA, RD, LD

EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE

none

LEGISLATIVE AND PUBLIC POLICY

Representative Lynn Woolsey

1998 AWARDS RECIPIENTS	
<p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Doris Derelian, PhD, RD, FADA</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Deborah Lasker, MS, RD</p> <p><u>MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD</u> Healthy Dining</p> <p><u>CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE IN MANAGEMENT</u> Rebecca Pellechi, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS</u> Martha Gonzales, RD</p>	<p><u>EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION</u> Lisa Ann Ploss, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION</u> Teresa Bush-Zurn, MA, RD, FADA</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION</u> Evelyn Tribole, MS, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH</u> Michelle Zive, RD</p> <p><u>LEGISLATIVE AND PUBLIC POLICY</u> none</p>
1999 AWARDS RECIPIENTS	
<p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Jacqueline G Saracino, RD</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Clara M Browning-Baity, MS, RD</p> <p><u>MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD</u> None</p> <p><u>CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE IN MANAGEMENT</u> Stacy A Steinberg, MS, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS</u> Lorri Buch, MA, RD, CDE</p>	<p><u>EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION</u> Marcy N Fenton, MS, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION</u> Nancy R Hudson, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION</u> Bettye I Nowlin, MPH, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH</u> Audrey A Spindler, PhD, RD</p> <p><u>LEGISLATIVE AND PUBLIC POLICY</u> none</p>
2000 AWARDS RECIPIENTS	
<p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Caryl Fairfull, RD, MBA</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Doris Fredericks, Med, RD</p> <p><u>MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD</u> California Milk Advisory Board</p> <p><u>CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE IN MANAGEMENT</u> Jill Barrett, MS, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS</u> Karen Amorde-Spalding, MS, RD, CSP</p>	<p><u>EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION</u> Gail Frank, RD, LDN, MPH, DrPH, CHES</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION</u> Jana D. Kelley, MS, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION</u> Diane Machcinski, Med, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH</u> Cheryl Rock, PhD, RD, FADA</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE</u> Debbie Gudzin, DTR</p> <p><u>LEGISLATIVE AND PUBLIC POLICY</u> Deborah Ortiz, California State Senate</p>
2001 AWARDS RECIPIENTS	
<p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Sheryl Harding, MA, RD, DHFA</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Teresa Bush-Zurn, MA, RD, FADA, CDE</p> <p><u>MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD</u> Dean Adell, MD</p> <p><u>CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE IN MANAGEMENT</u> Olga Jize, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS</u> Shirley Hack, RD</p>	<p><u>EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION</u> Monica McCorkle, MS, RD, CDE</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION</u> May-Choo Wang, Dr.PH, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION</u> Martin Yadrick, MS, MBA, RD, FADA</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH</u> Dena Herman Mendes, RD, PhD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE</u> Polly Butler, DTR</p>

2002 AWARDS RECIPIENTS

DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD
Bernice R. Aarons, RD
DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD
Ruth Greene, EdD, RD
OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD
Sally Cohenour, MS, RD
**CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE
IN MANAGEMENT**
Doris C. Fredericks, Med, RD, FADA
EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS
Denise B. Schwartz, MS, RD, FADA, CNSD

EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION
Kathryn J. Wahl, MA, RD, CLE
EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION
Kara Caldwell-Freeman, DrPH, RD
**EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE
BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION**
Eileen D. Cowles, MS, RD
EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH
Kathryn Silliman, PhD, RD
EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE
Phyllis Lawless, DTR
CDA LEGISLATOR OF THE YEAR
The Honorable Ken Maddox

2003 AWARDS RECIPIENTS

DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD
Deborah L. Lasker, MS, RD
DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD
none
OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD
none
**CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE
IN MANAGEMENT**
Charlotte Roberts, RD
EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS
Patricia Schaaf, MS, RD, CDE

EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION
Comfort Ogbunamiri, MS, RD
EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION
Jan Schultz, MS, RD
**EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE
BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION**
Stephanie D. Brooks, MS, RD
EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH
none
EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE
Phyllis Lawless, DTR

2004 AWARDS RECIPIENTS

DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD
Rita Mitchell, RD
DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD
Patricia Booth, MS, RD, FADA
Diane Machcinski, Med, RD
OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD
none
**CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE
IN MANAGEMENT**
none
EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS
Elizabeth Lake, MS, RD, CNSD

EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION
Tawni Holmes, PhD, RD
EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION
Dorothy Chen-Maynard, PhD, RD, CNS
**EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE
BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION**
Lisa Mosing, MS, RD, FADA
EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH
Diane Hyson, PhD, MS, RD
EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE
None
CDA LEGISLATOR OF THE YEAR
Jackie Speier

2005 AWARDS RECIPIENTS	
<p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Clara Browning Baity, MS, RD</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Mary Elaine Keegan, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS</u> Heidi Kiehl, MS, RD, CNSD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION</u> Kathleen Sweeney, RD, CLE</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION</u> Wendy Mueller-Cunningham, PhD, RD, ETT</p>	<p><u>Not Awarded this year:</u> <u>OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD</u> <u>CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE</u> <u>IN MANAGEMENT</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE</u> <u>BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE</u> <u>CDA LEGISLATOR OF THE YEAR</u></p>
2006 AWARDS RECIPIENTS	
<p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Suzanna, Nye, MS, RD, CTM, FADA</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Martin Yadrick, MS, MBA, RD, FADA</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION</u> Dianne Hyson, PhD, MS, RD</p> <p><u>CDA LEGISLATOR OF THE YEAR</u> Senator Martha Escutia</p>	<p><u>Not Awarded this year:</u> <u>OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD</u> <u>CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE</u> <u>IN MANAGEMENT</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE</u> <u>BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE</u></p>
2007 AWARDS RECIPIENTS	
<p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Kara Caldwell Freeman, RD, DrPH</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Debra Lucus, CDE, RD, MS</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION</u> Susan Magrann</p> <p><u>CDA LEGISLATOR OF THE YEAR</u> Senator Sheila Kuehl</p>	<p><u>Not Awarded this year:</u> <u>OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD</u> <u>CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE</u> <u>IN MANAGEMENT</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE</u> <u>BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE</u></p>
2008 AWARDS RECIPIENTS	
<p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Teresa Bush-Zurn, MA, RD, FADA, CDE</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Lorri Holzberg, MA, RD, CDE</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION</u> Turusew Gedebu-Wilson, MS, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE</u> <u>BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION</u> Lee Tincher, MS, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS</u> Brenda O'Day</p> <p><u>CDA LEGISLATOR OF THE YEAR</u> Senator Elaine Alquist</p>	<p><u>Not Awarded this year:</u> <u>OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD</u> <u>CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE</u> <u>IN MANAGEMENT</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE</u></p>

2009 AWARD RECIPIENTS

<p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Lisa E. Gibson, MS, RD</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Soniya M. Perl, MS, RD</p> <p><u>CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE IN MANAGEMENT</u> Linda S. Heller, MS, RD, CSP, CLE</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS</u> Dalia Perelman, MS, RD, CDE</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION</u> Kathryn (Mandy)Graves Hillstrom, EdD, RD, CDE</p>	<p><u>EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE</u> Chrystine B. Higgins, DSS, DTR</p> <p><u>CDA LEGISLATOR OF THE YEAR</u> Alex Padilla</p> <p><u>Not Awarded this year:</u> <u>OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE</u> <u>BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION</u></p>
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2010 AWARD RECIPIENTS

<p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Diane M. Machcinski, M.Ed, RD</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Carol Berg Sloan, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS</u> Rhonwyn L. Curtis-Nicholson, MS, RD, CNSD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION</u> Marie F. Ambrose, MS, RD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE</u> <u>BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION</u> Suzanne A. Ousey</p>	<p><u>EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE</u> Nancy M. Nagle, DTR</p> <p><u>CDA LEGISLATOR OF THE YEAR</u> Tom Torlakson</p> <p><u>Not Awarded this year:</u> <u>CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE IN MANAGEMENT</u> <u>OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH</u></p>
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2011 AWARD RECIPIENTS

<p><u>DOLORES NYHUS MEMORIAL AWARD</u> Carol L. Ceresa, MHSL, RD</p> <p><u>DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AWARD</u> Shannon Duffy-Goff, MPH, RD, CNSD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN CLINICAL DIETETICS</u> Kelly Horton, MPH, RD, CNSD</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY NUTRITION</u> Melissa Halas-Liang, MS, RD, CDE</p> <p><u>EXCELLENCE IN EDUCATION</u> Annette A. Benlian, MPH, RD</p> <p><u>CDA LEGISLATOR OF THE YEAR</u> State Senator Mark Leno</p>	<p><u>Not Awarded this year:</u> <u>CAROL HAYES TORIO EXCELLENCE IN MANAGEMENT</u> <u>OUTSTANDING SERVICE AWARD</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN PRIVATE PRACTICE</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN RESEARCH</u> <u>EXCELLENCE BUSINESS OR COMMUNICATION</u> <u>EXCELLENCE IN TECHNICAL PRACTICE</u></p>
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