



Gwendolyn Rossell Memorial Continuing Education Award Application Information

This award provides funding for Academy members to attend short-term educational programs related to the field of public health/community nutrition that enhance the contributions of public health nutritionists to health care. Such programs must meet CDR's criteria for continuing education hours for the RD. This award will pay up to 70% of estimated expenses with a maximum of \$500 for a single event. No applicant will receive funding more than once a year.

Applicant requirements:

1. Be a member of Academy
2. Be a current member of the Public Health Community Nutrition Practice Group (PH/CN DPG) for at least 3 years
3. Be a registered dietitian (RD) or dietetic technician, registered (DTR)
4. Not be presently enrolled in graduate school
5. Intend to apply the knowledge gained through the educational program to the practice of public health/community nutrition

Application instructions:

1. Write a letter of request to the Academy Foundation Board Chair naming the program you plan to attend and explaining how it will benefit you
2. Include a printed copy of the program announcement
3. Include a budget of expenses
4. After attending the program you must provide evidence of attendance and a written critique and summary of the program. The report may be published in an Academy Foundation or PHN DPG newsletter.

Send your letter of request to:

Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Foundation
Attn: Awards Program Manager
120 South Riverside Plaza, Suite 2000
Chicago, IL 60606-6995

Any questions may be directed to Beth Labrador at the Academy Foundation at 800/877-1600, ext. 4821 or blabrador@eatright.org.