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## Georgia Dietetic Foundation (GDF) Scholarship Application

Thank you for your interest in applying for a Georgia Dietetic Foundation (GDF) Scholarship. Each year GDF awards at least two scholarships. Please review the scholarship guidelines listed here:

- 1) The deadline for submitting the application is June 1st. Applicants will be notified by July 1st.
- 2) Applicants may apply for the Supervised Practice Scholarship or the Undergraduate Scholarship.
  - a) SUPERVISED PRACTICE - applicant must be accepted into an Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND) accredited program (dietetic internship, coordinated program) at the time of the award presentation (June). Applicants must be either entering a supervised practice program or have at least 5 months or more remaining in the program. This scholarship is now named the Ellen Jurgens Memorial Scholarship.
  - b) UNDERGRADUATE — applicants must be enrolled in an accredited Didactic Programs in Dietetics (DPD) program at the time of the award (June).
- 3) To qualify, applicant must:
  - a) Be a student member of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics
  - b) Have a cumulative grade point average of 3.0 or greater on a 4.0 system
  - c) Be enrolled in or accepted into an ACEND-approved program in Georgia
- 4) Applicants will be evaluated in the following ways:
  - a) Scholarship - Grade point averages at all academic levels, publications, academic honors, etc.
  - b) Professional potential - Reference forms, resume, applicant's essay
- 5) We are requesting two references. Please share this separate link with the individuals you have chosen. One reference should be a professor who can comment on your academic and volunteer activities. The other reference may also be from school or may be from a work supervisor who can comment on your work ethic and potential for professional success.

IF YOU RUN INTO ISSUES WITH THE FORM, PLEASE CONTACT: [ellenks@bellsouth.net](mailto:ellenks@bellsouth.net)

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