



## Sponsorship Prospectus June 2022 - May 2023

Reach an Influential Group of Registered Dietitian Nutritionists (RDNs) and Nutrition and Dietetic Technicians, Registered (NDTRs) leading practice in post-acute and long-term care, private practice, industry, corrections, and transitional care.

Dietetics in Health Care Communities' (DHCC) almost 2,200-member strong group of Registered Dietitian Nutritionists and Nutrition and Dietetic Technicians, Registered, are decision makers and key influencers. Practice areas include:

C – Suite Executives

**Corporate and National Directors** 

**Local and Regional Consultants** 

In -House Dietitian Nutritionists and Food Service Directors

Acute, Post-Acute, Long Term Health Care

Home Care and Hospice

**Corrections and Community Programs** 

#### **DHCC** sponsorship opportunities include:

- Hosting and/or participating in special events highlighting your products, messaging, and services
- Branded advertising in our Connections newsletter, member eblasts and on our website
- Lectures, seminars, webinars, and experiential learning activities centered on food, nutrition, and member interest
- DHCC Executive Committee and/or general membership focus group and/or presentation

#### All opportunities include:

- Deliverable metrics provided to sponsor
- Opportunity to connect directly with the audience
- Logo and content placement on our website
- Recognition in the DHCC annual report
- Optional opportunity to build your subscriber/mail list

#### For more information, please contact DHCC:

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DHCC Executive Director: Barbara J. Pyper, MS, RDN, SNS, FAND

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## **Member Communications and Advertising Opportunities**

**Sponsored e-blast message:** Sponsors may send a stand-alone e-blast message through DHCC (up to 750 words, 4 hyperlinks and 3 graphics), subject to DHCC/Academy review. The eblast is sent to all members and is archived on our website for one year.

Metrics available two weeks post eblast launch.

Sponsorship Fee: \$ 2,000

#### **Sponsored E-updates**

Your message is part of our monthly enews (or other DHCC-driven eblast). Content reaches all DHCC members. Sponsorship of the e-update includes up to 1 graphic, 2 hyperlinks links and 150 words.



Sponsorship Fee: \$500 for one e-update; \$1,350 for 3 e-updates

#### **CONNECTIONS NEWSLETTER**



**Connections**, our newsletter, reaches our entire membership with timely articles on the practice of dietetics in health care communities.

#### **Advertising Opportunities**

We offer full, half or quarter page ads or inserts—either color or black-and-white reproducible materials with educational messaging. Advertiser is responsible for developing content and design of the electronic insert (subject to DHCC and Academy approval). The insert is also posted in the members section of our website. Inserts must be reviewed and approved by DHCC and the Academy at least one month prior to publication date.

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#### **Advertising costs:**

Full page, electronic - \$ 1,000 Half page, electronic - \$ 500 One fourth page, electronic - \$ 250

DHCC welcomes a "bundled" package of advertising at a 10% discount.

## Member Communications and Advertising Opportunities (continued)

#### **Sponsored Member Product Mailing**

DHCC welcomes the opportunity to send product samples and/or information to all or geographic groups, subject to DHCC/Academy review. Product samples and up to three handouts are sent in bulk to the DHCC office for mailing. You can include information on providing product feedback or requesting additional samples (this includes a post-mailing email and survey, subject to review). Ideal for new product launches to get your brand in front of influential Registered Dietitian Nutritionists who are decision-makers in food service.

• Sponsorship Fee: To be determined, based on weight and size of materials to be mailed and number of recipients.

Estimated sponsor cost is \$25 –\$50 per recipient.

#### **Sponsored Focus Group/ Virtual Session**

Interested in presenting your product/service information to DHCC DPG members? Consider these new opportunities!



#### **Executive Committee Virtual Focus Group**

- 30 minutes to showcase your product(s) and/or service(s) via an electronic platform on a mutually agreeable day/time
- Interact with key influential leaders and decision makers in the food and nutrition management arenas
- Interactive discussion and conversation during the session
- Opportunity to send a follow-up survey to participants (up to 7 pre-approved questions)

Sponsorship Fee: \$750

#### **DHCC DPG Member Virtual Presentation**

- 30 minutes to showcase your product(s) and/or service(s) via an electronic platform on a mutually agreeable day/time
- Present to DHCC DPG members invited to participate (up to 100)
- Interactive discussion (via Q and A and/or polling) during the session
- Opportunity to send a follow-up survey to participants (up to 7 pre-approved questions)
  Sponsorship Fee: \$1,000

## **Member Professional Development Opportunities**

DHCC offers two different ways to support our one-hour, on-line educational webinars.



## Option 1: Provide general support to a DHCC-planned webinar.

- Sponsor name included in email promotions
- Sponsor name and logo included in the online education section on website
- Notes/slides posted in the Members Only section of our website
- One additional handout, provided by the sponsor (subject to review/approval by DHCC/Academy)
- Recorded education event posted in the Members Only section of our website and available for CPEU for 3 years
- Sponsor recognized during the educational event by host
- Up to two (2) custom questions in the webinar evaluation (Note that results can be used only internally by the company)

Sponsorship Fee: \$1,000.00

# Option 2: Provides an opportunity for sponsors to work with DHCC regarding educational content and speaker selection while DHCC fully manages the logistics.

Sponsor benefits include:

- Sponsor name included in email promotions
- Sponsor name and logo included in the online education section on website
- Sponsor name in the education event listing
- Notes/slides posted in the Members Only section of our website
- One additional handout, provided by the sponsor (subject to review/approval by DHCC/Academy)
- Recorded education event posted in the Members Only section of our website and available for CPEU for 3 years
- Sponsor recognized during the educational event by host
- Logo and speaker recognition at the start of the webinar
- Up to three (3) custom questions in the webinar evaluation (Note that results can be used only internally by the company)

Sponsorship Fee: \$2,500, plus speaker fee

## **Sponsorship Guidelines**

DHCC DPG works with companies and organizations to develop opportunities that deliver credible, science-based food, nutrition, and health messages to consumers and to Academy members.

DHCC sponsors are limited to those who promote products and services that support the advancement of the food, nutrition, and culinary profession. DHCC is in alignment with the Academy's sponsorship approval requirements which include:

- The sponsor's vision and mission align with the Academy's Vision, Mission, and Strategic Goals.
- The sponsor's product portfolio is broadly aligned with the Academy's Vision:
  A world where all people thrive through the transformative power of food and nutrition.
- All aspects of the sponsorship (such as research, consumer messaging or professional education for members) align with the Academy's Scientific Integrity Principles.
- The Academy does not endorse any company, brand or company products, nor does the Academy's name or logo appear on any product.
- The Academy maintains final editorial control and approval of all content in programs/materials bearing the Academy name or logo.
- There is clear separation of Academy messages and content from brand information or promotion.

All opportunities developed will be reviewed in detail for conformance with sound evidence-based science and with DHCC member needs and the Academy's positions, policies, and philosophies.

Sponsors making product statements of properties, performance, nutrient values, beneficial results, etc., should be such that they can be verified by adequate data available in well-accepted, peer-reviewed literature, which is subject to Academy/DHCC approval.

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