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Current Maryland Licensees:

1,485—Licensed Dietitian-Nutritionists

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2009 Online License Renewals

Maryland licensed dietitian-nutritionists who are eligible to renew in 2009 will receive an instruction letter from the Board in late August. Please check if the expiration date on your license is October 31, 2009. If so, you will be able to go to the Board's website at www.dhmh.state.md.us/bodietpract starting September 8, 2009 to renew your license.

Please be advised that the instruction letter will be your only renewal notice. You may renew online between September 8, 2009 through October 31, 2009. Please note that online renewals between November 1, 2009 and December 31, 2009 will be assessed a \$100 late fee.

Before you begin, you will need the following:

- 1. Your Maryland Board of Dietetic Practice License Number and Social Security Number.
- Computer with Internet Access and a printer. You will print a copy of your application and invoice or receipt.
- 3. Continuing Education records.
- 4. Visa or MasterCard. You may also mail a check or money order to the Board.

To Renew Online:

- 1. Go to the Board's website at www.dhmh.state.md.us/bodietpract and click RENEW ONLINE.
- 2. Read the instructions and click **LOGIN** to proceed to the Logon Screen.
- 3. Enter your **Board of Dietetic Practice License Number**.
- 4. Enter the last 4 digits of your Social Security Number.
- 5. Fill in the information as requested. (Note that some fields may already be completed) Please note that when you renew online, no paperwork is required. You will list a minimum of **30 CEUS** electronically by category. The Board will conduct a random audit after the renewal period.
- 6. Prior to selecting a method of payment, you must certify that all information in the application is
- 7. Preview your application and then click **Submit Application**. Please note that once submitted the application cannot be changed. Print and maintain a copy of your application.

Payment Methods:

- 1. Select Visa or MasterCard credit card payment. The 2009 renewal fee is \$276. Only click once to confirm payment. Applications will be processed within 1-2 business days. **OR**
- Select PAYMENT BY MAIL. You may mail a check or money order in the amount of \$276 to the Maryland Board of Dietetic Practice. Your license will not be processed until payment is received. The Board must receive payment on or before October 31, 2009. Payments received between November 1, 2009 and December 31, 2009 will be assessed a \$100 late fee.

If you are unable to complete your application online for any reason, please contact the Board at (410) 764-4733.

If your license expires on October 31, 2009 and you do not renew by December 31, 2009, you are considered to be practicing without a license and are subject to a Cease and Desist order and disciplinary action. In addition, licensed dietitian-nutritionists who have not completed the entire renewal process by December 31, 2009, are required to apply for reinstatement and pay a reinstatement fee of \$576 in order to practice dietetics in Maryland.

INACTIVE STATUS

Licensees who are not planning to renew, may apply for inactive status before December 31, 2009. The inactive status fee is \$75. You may download the inactive status form from the Board's website at www.dhmh.state.md.us/bodietpract.

ETCETERA & SUNDRY

BOARD OPENINGS:

All Board members are appointed by the Governor and serve a four -year term. The Board currently has a Community or Public Health Dietetic Practice member vacancy. In addition, Charles A. Salter, Ph.D. will complete his term of Board service this year. Dr. Salter served in the Clinical Dietetic Practice member position. The Board would like to thank Dr. Salter for his service on the Board. If you are interested in serving on the Board, please contact us at (410) 764-4733 to request an application.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS:

Shannon Priest, RD

Licensees are required by law to give the Board written notice of any change of address within 30 days. There is a \$50 late fee for failure to notify the Board within 30 days of a change of address. Please remember to notify the Board in writing of any changes of address. This will ensure that licensees receive important notices and renewal information in a timely fashion from the Board.

NEW LICENSEES

Susanne Luchetti, RD Jennelle Hinck, RD Diana Frosell, RD Megan Sankey, RD Alysia Feuer, RD Amy Toscano, RD Nikita Goradia, RD Amanda Panas, RD Jennifer Ignacio, RD Kayleigh Brosi, RD Karen Manning, RD Heather Fliehman, RD Ashley Werring, RD Allison Kowalski, RD Mary Sheehan, RD Janell Walker, RD Anitra Zaske, RD Melissa Bosslet, RD Ryan Union, RD Vanessa Hoffman, RD Maria Bair, RD Meagan McClure, RD Julie Branham, RD Meredith Collins, RD Sarena Glenn, RD Samantha Daugherty, RD Rachel Sok, RD Debbie Webb, RD Courtney Perkins, RD Jennifer Himes, RD Jennifer Meder, RD Jennifer Miller, RD Rebecca Thomas, RD Kimberly Croteau, RD Bevin Clare, CNS Madeleine Said, RD Laryessa Worthington, RD Jinee Burdg, RD Amy Troutman, RD Melanie Berdyck, RD Wendy Cashman, RD Adrienne Walker, RD Scarlet Stout, RD Elizabeth DiBiase, RD Bonnie Stone, RD Sarah Kohley, RD Michelle Carter, RD Bridgette Gawrys, RD Melissa Stebbings, RD Leah Shriver, RD Catharine Clark, CNS Elizabeth Bartlett, CNS Harumi Reis-Reilly, CNS Elizabeth Clarke, RD

CONGRATULATIONS AND THE BOARD WELCOMES ALL NEW LICENSEES TO THE ROSTER!!!



Ingrid Beardsley, RD Allison Miner, CNS Wintana Kiros, RD Gina DeLoretta, RD Michelle Poling, RD Bettina Applewhite, RD Bobbie Henry, RD Sarah Fisher, RD Jessica Gainor, RD Amy Frady, RD Virginie Zoumenou, CNS Rae Jean Versagli, RD Teena Felton, RD Preety Rajbhandari, RD Suvi Einola, RD Florence Adetunji, RD Vicky Vrabel, RD Patricia Carulli, RD Anna Rozanova, RD Tiffany Fobes, RD Catherine Rowles, RD Sharmila Chakravarti, RD Stacey Allen, RD Sonja Cooke, RD Amy Cowder, RD Regine Dallosta, RD Andrea Markovitz, RD Stephanie Krimmel, RD Rick Weissinger, RD Jennifer Baclawski, RD Sheri Gordon, RD Sara Shaughnessy, RD Sayeeda Habib, RD Ana Rodriguez, RD Ann Thorp, RD Gina Lesako, RD Erin Braunscheidel, RD Danielle Belinski, RD Michelle Berman, RD Christine Manganiello, RD Emily Balea, RD Rebecca Myrowitz, RD Jennifer Overly, RD Alexandra Cossi, RD Shoshana Freedman, RD Meredith, Brown, RD Alesha Purnell, RD Cynthia Irizarry, RD Ashley Covell, RD Brittany Ray, RD Janet Schuch, RD Annie Kay, RD Courtney Drevo, RD Angela Brochu, RD Heidi Tymann, RD Joanne Kuchta, RD Lena Bezman, CNS Kelly Bliss, RD Jennifer Smart, RD Nastaran Zonozi, RD Tara Seymour, RD Holly Larson, RD Rachel Ojha, CNS