



Maryland State Board of Dietetic Practice

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Current Maryland Licensees:

1,505—Licensed Dietitian-Nutritionists

Board Members

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- * Paul E. Araujo, Ph.D.—Education
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- * Vacant—Licensed Nutritionist
- * Judith Feola-Gordon — Community & Public Health Dietetic Practice
- * Sharon Bunch—Consumer
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2010 Online License Renewals

Maryland licensed dietitian-nutritionists who are eligible to renew in 2010 will receive an instruction letter from the Board in late August. Please check if the expiration date on your license is October 31, 2010. If so, you will be able to go to the Board's website at www.dhmh.state.md.us/bodietpract starting **September 8, 2010** to renew your license.

Please be advised that the instruction letter will be your only renewal notice. You may renew online between September 8, 2010 through October 31, 2010. Please note that online renewals between November 1, 2010 and December 31, 2010 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.
2. 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 accurate.
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 2010 renewal fee is \$276. Only click once to confirm payment. Applications will be processed within 1-2 business days. **OR**
2. 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, 2010. Payments received between November 1, 2010 and December 31, 2010 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, 2010 and you do not renew by December 31, 2010, 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, 2010, 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, 2010. 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 & SUNDAY

WELCOME NEW BOARD MEMBERS:

The Board welcomes Melanie Brooks, CNSC, RD, LDN and Judith Feola-Gordon, MBA, RD, LDN to the Board. Ms. Brooks is the Clinical Dietetic Practice representative on the Board. Ms. Feola-Gordon is the Community and Public Health Dietetic Practice representative on the Board.

USE OF "LDN":

Code of Maryland Regulations (COMAR) 10.56.07.03 authorizes Licensed Dietitian-Nutritionists to advertise their services. However, an advertisement shall include the following:

- (1) Name of licensee;
- (2) Address or telephone number of practicing location; and
- (3) Type of license ("LDN")

Please make sure that advertisements comply with Maryland regulations.

BOARD OPENINGS:

All Board members are appointed by the Governor and serve a four-year term. The Board currently has two nutritionists openings on the Board. The Board would like to thank Dr. Daisy Miller and Dr. Gwendolyn Pla for their 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:

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

Kavita Poddar, CNS	Dorothy Clancy, CNS
Robyn Urbach, CNS	Margo Gladding, CNS
Allegra Hamman, CNS	Barbara Grose, CNS
Franklin Oiler, RD	Sharla Jennings, CNS
Porsche' Klemm, CNS	Lauren Mirkin, RD
Joseph Coover, RD	Jan Ruemke, RD
Antoinette Maraglino, RD	Jane Brouse, RD
Christina Lewis, RD	Jamie Larson, RD
Rebecca Smith, RD	Kathryn Colver, RD
Katie Sherman, RD	Jennifer Toth, RD
Heather Machado, RD	Emily Louden, RD
Sara McClean, RD	Karen George, RD
Alice Rajakumar, RD	Sandra Koehler, RD
Margo Gladding, RD	Jessica Swift, RD
Ellen McCormick, RD	Robin Rudner, RD
Suzanne Ishak, RD	Nancy Baverman, RD
Jane Marshall, RD	Samantha Mollica, RD
Katherine Cornelius, RD	Patricia White, RD
Kimberly Wong, RD	Brandy Baxter, RD
Courtney Haney, RD	Lorilyn Hansen, RD
Nadine Braunstein, RD	Jenna Freeman, RD
Elizabeth Page, RD	Elisabeth Roussel, RD
Mariya Fox-Rabinovich, RD	Amy Reed, RD
Karin Karlsson, RD	Angela Pipitone, RD
Natalie Nicolas, RD	Hokyung Roh, RD
Katherine Flickinger, RD	Fenqlih Chu, RD
Devon Noellert, RD	Megan Theuerkorn, RD



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Stephanie Wicke, RD	Amy Reaman, RD
Susan Robbins, RD	Angela Sutphin, RD
Progya Banerjee, RD	Clayton Cates, RD
Alamaze Hood, RD	Amy McHale, RD
Malorie Blake, RD	Sara Hauck, RD
Frances Taccone Griffith, RD	Yi Li, RD
Meridith Wolff, RD	Jennifer Carlson, RD
Julia Howley, RD	Kristin Schmitt, RD
Natosha Jackson, RD	Jeneta Culton, RD
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Brittany Smith, RD	Dawn Croft, RD
Judith Levin, RD	Stephanie Pysher, RD
Mellissa Mahoney, RD	Rachel Leung, RD
Betty Simon-Ogan, RD	Crystal Johnson, RD
Dorothy Havens, RD	Nicole Acle, RD
Caitlyn Dagna, RD	Shannon Meadows, RD