



**New York State**  
Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics

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## **RECOGNIZED DIETETIC TECHNICIAN OF THE YEAR (RDTY) AWARD**

This award is an Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics Award that recognizes the professional contributions of dietetic technicians in the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics and to encourage their continued participation in association affairs.

*The winner will be invited to NYSAND's Annual Meeting and Exposition. Registration Fee will be waived.*

**The completed application must be submitted on the Awards Page of the NYSAND website by 11:59pm EST February 1. No late entries will be accepted. District or self-nominations are acceptable.**

This award will only be given in a year when there is an outstanding candidate as defined by being awarded 75 points or more. The NYSAND Awards Committee will determine eligibility and a winner.

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SCORING INFORMATION FOR APPLICATION PACKET**

| CATEGORY                      | CRITERIA   | YES/NO<br>(If "no" to any of the following,<br>the applicant will be disqualified) |                       |
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|                               |  | YES  | NO                    |
| <b>Eligibility</b>            | Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics member<br>(Students must be members by January 1st of the<br>year in which they would receive the award.)   | Member #:  |                       |
|                               | Is a Dietetic Technician, Registered   |  |                       |
|                               | Has not previously received this award   |  |                       |
|                               | Current Resume/Vitae is attached   |  |                       |
|                               | Application was received by 11:59 EST, February<br>1st   |  |                       |
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|                               |  | <b>Possible Points</b>   | <b>Awarded Points</b> |
| <b>Letters of<br/>Support</b> | <b>Maximum of Three Letters</b> (up to 5 points/letter)<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Letter of support demonstrate professional contributions</li> </ul>  | 15 points  |                       |
|                               |  |  |                       |
| <b>Narrative</b>              | <b>Two Page Maximum</b><br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Narrative describes how candidate demonstrates professional contributions</li> <li>Demonstrates concern for the promotion of optimal health and nutritional status of the population.</li> </ul>   | 30 points  |                       |
|                               |  |  |                       |
| <b>CV/Resume</b>              | <b>Five Page Maximum</b><br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Professional Experience:</b> Include area(s) of contribution throughout career (clinical, clinical specialist, community nutrition, consultant, educator, generalist, manager, private practice)</li> <li><b>Demonstrated Leadership:</b> List all held offices in association at district, state, and national levels <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Examples of committee participation</li> <li>Include positions where you were active in other Professional Associations</li> <li>Examples of exceptional service to dietetic association(s)</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | 15 points<br><br>20 points   |                       |

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|              | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Other Accomplishments (suggested examples):</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Legislative activities</li> <li>○ Media Presentations (TV, Radio, Newspaper, Social Media)</li> <li>○ Printed publications</li> <li>○ Community service</li> <li>○ Career guidance activities</li> <li>○ Informal educational activities prepared</li> <li>○ Efforts to promote the status of dietetics and the practice of dietetics in areas other than one's job scope</li> <li>○ List awards and accomplishments</li> <li>○ Presentations</li> <li>○ Role model positions</li> <li>○ Other (i.e. DPG's)</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | 20 points  |  |
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| <b>TOTAL</b> |   | 100 points |  |

**Additional Notes:**