



Affiliate Annual Report Form

Submit this form to your Regional Director and the
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Please return this form by December 31st of each year to your Regional Director and a copy to the National Office.
This report should cover anything that has occurred between January 1 and December 31 of the current year.

State/Territory: Indiana/Central Date: December 18, 2018
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What accomplishments/progress has your Affiliate made in the past year? (Consider member resources, awards and recognition, public affairs, etc.)

Awards

Excellence Multi State Collaboration category titled "Strengthening Co-parenting Education through A Multi-State Approach" was selected a 1st Place National Winner and 1st Place Central Region Winner

Enhancing Engineering Play Behaviors in Children" was accepted to present as a concurrent session at Annual Session

Two DSA Award Winners

One CEA Award Winner

Members

In 2018 NEAFCS-IN had 64 renewing members + 10 new members

Our Vice-President Jennifer Cannon attended JCEP and our Secretary Nancy Manuel attended PILD.

We had 30 NEAFCS members, including two guests, attend Annual Session in San Antonio.

We recognized 13 new HHS Educators at our Spring Conference with a goodie bag and individual introductions.

Professional Development

Our Affiliate began hosting quarterly lunch-n-learn professional development webinars on topics ranging from how to apply for awards to what to expect from attending Annual Session

What are your Affiliate's goals for the next 12 months?

1. Encourage members to apply for awards and to present at Annual Session
2. Examine Indiana HHS Update roundtable and presentation presenters for 2020 awards
3. Continue with quarterly lunch-n-learns
4. Increase participation in NEAFCS national committees

What challenges do Cooperative Extension and/or Family & Consumer Sciences pose in your state?

1. Persuading HHS Educators of the benefits of joining NEAFCS in conjunction with their credentialed organization. Some Educators feel they get more out of joining their dietetics organization, for example, than in joining NEAFCS.
2. Persuading NEAFCS-IN members of the importance of attending Annual Session.

To assist NEAFCS in future planning and communication, please list concerns your Affiliate has for the NEAFCS Board to address:

N/A