



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: New Mexico Date: December 17, 2019
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What accomplishments/progress has your Affiliate made in the past year? (Consider member resources, awards and recognition, public affairs, etc.)

A team of six agents received first place in the television/video communication category. This award recognizes excellence in an educational or promotional feature in a regular broadcast or special program.

Laura Bittner received second place awards for two programs she conducts in Valencia County.

The programs received first place honors at the state and Western Region prior to being submitted for the national award.

One member attended JCEP and PILD.

The first annual "Empowering People and Enhancing Lives" professional development meeting.

We had 8 people attend the National Conference.

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

- 1) Increasing member involvement in State and National Committees.
- 2) Increasing overall submissions for awards, impacts and possible presentations.
- 3) Communicating the value of NEAFCS.

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

- 1) Our communities don't understand what FCS agents do and what they can offer as services and programming.
- 2) The downsizing of FCS agent positions.

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

- 1) Lack of marketing for our profession and FCS that can be used at a local level.
- 2) Increase benefits or incentives for young professionals.
- 3) Engage members at the local level for members who can't attend National meetings.