

## **Affiliate Annual Report Form**

Submit this form to your Regional Director and the NEAFCS National Office, 325 John Knox Rd. Suite L103 Tallahassee, FL 32303 Fax: (850) 222-3019 Email: djessup@executiveoffice.org

Please return this form by December 31<sup>st</sup> 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:	Missouri	Date:	11/17/2025
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What accomplishments/progress has your Affiliate made in the past year? (Consider member resources, awards and recognition, public affairs, etc.)			
National, Hall of Fame, Kathy	<sup>y</sup> Dothage		
National, Continued Excellen	ce Award, Bethany Bachmann		
1 <sup>st</sup> National, 1 <sup>st</sup> Central Region, SNAP-Ed/ EFNEP Educational Program Award: Produce for Seniors, Rachel O'Hallorar and Team			
1 <sup>st</sup> National, Multi-State Colla	boration Award, Carrie Elsen		
<sup>2nd</sup> National, 1 <sup>st</sup> Central Region, Excellence in Teamwork Award, Nourish & Connect: A Community- Driven Response to Food Insecurity, Christina Edholm			
<sup>2nd</sup> Central Region, Innovation in Programming Award, Walking for better healthy by elevating tech, Eden Stewart			
<sup>3rd</sup> Central Region, Florence Hall Award, From Sidewalks to Solutions, Sara Bridgewater			
Ambassador's Choice, Show	case of Excellence Poster, Amber Allen		
Showcase of Excellence Poster, Elizabeth McGinnely & Rachel O'Halloran			
Showcase of Excellence Pos	ter, Carrie Elsen and Team		
Four - Concurrent Sessions a	at Annual Session		
Multiple members of the MEAFCS were involved in the Mentee/Mentor Leadership Experience.			

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

Build membership moral

Explore Lincoln University membership and Associate membership

Successful fundraiser with the University of Missouri Health and Human Sciences colleagues.

Encourage webinar applications

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

Responding and reconciling with the downsizing of FCS Extension staffing across the state.

Building interest in new membership in serving in leadership positions

A lack of recognition and celebration of FCS programs among the public and decision-makers. Building the brand of FCS programming and its value. Need to reintroduce the FCS branding to the public.

Tightening of non-profit funding, grants, and support in local communities.

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

The cost of the National Annual Session may exceed the national organization's ongoing budget.