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NEAFCS Greenwood Frysinger Award	Member 5 years or less	Opportunity to expand the professional's network.	**National winner will present Showcase of Excellence at Annual Session the year following award receipt OR present a webinar within 18 months of receiving award**. Received once.	One (1) Annual Session full scholarship for mentee Certificate for mentor(s)
NEAFCS Distinguished Service Award	Member 10 years or more	Recognizes Extension FCS Educators for leadership, outstanding programs, and personal & professional growth	Only awarded once per person. Award determined within Affiliate. Number of awards given determined by number of members. Has attended 2 or more Annual Sessions. Received once.	Plaque given at Annual Session
NEAFCS Continued Excellence Award	Member at least 12 years	Recognize active involvement in professional improvement programs, promotion of professional development, leadership.	Has attended 3 or more Annual Sessions Received NEAFCS Distinguished Service Award prior to the current session. Received once.	Plaque given at Annual Session
NEAFCS Educator of the Year	Member at least 12 years	To recognize a professional Extension FCS Educator who is conducting outstanding educational programs that demonstrate impact on families. Continued professional development activities involvement.	Must have received DSA & CE awards prior to submitting. Attended 4 or more Annual Sessions, letters of support from administration. **Showcase of Excellence display at annual session**. Received once.	Plaque given at Annual Session

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Florence Hall Award	Member	To recognize members who have been alert in recognizing emerging issues or new concerns and interests of families or individuals and have planned and implemented programs that benefit families/individuals.	Program conducted within the past 5 years by individual or team.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
NEAFCS Past President's New Professional Award	New Member	To recognize outstanding accomplishments of NEAFCS members within first three years of employment. Encourage member to attend Annual Session.	Must not have previously attended Annual Session. Must be in the first three years of employment with Cooperative Extension. Must attend Annual Session to receive award. Forfeited if unable to attend. No team awards.	One (1) $500 cash award given at Annual Session
Dean Don Felker Financial Management Award	Member	Given to FCS Educators who have developed an outstanding program on some aspect of family financial management. Program should provide training in budgeting, credit management, savings, etc.	Application may be submitted by individual or team. First place national winner will present a **concurrent Session at Annual Session year award received.**	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Mary W. Wells Memorial Diversity Award	Member	To recognize outstanding efforts and accomplishments of individuals and/or teams in diversity and pluralism for any Extension FCS program or activity, including staff development, advisory councils, programs, etc.	Application may be submitted by individual or team. Program or activity shall have been conducted within past year. First place national winner **will present a concurrent session at Annual Session the year award is received**. **Regional 1st place winners will jointly present a concurrent session.**	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships

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Program Excellence Through Research Award	Member	To recognize members as researchers and users of research. Emphasizes the use of research results to improve existing programs.	Application may be submitted by team or individual. Research shall have been conducted in the past three (3) years. **First place national winner will present a concurrent session on their research at Annual Session** the year award is received.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Early Childhood Child Care Training Award	Member	To recognize outstanding childcare professional training that addresses the needs of young children.	Application may be submitted by individual or team. Program must have been conducted with two years prior to applying. Application must contain a marketing and delivery piece as well as an evaluation tool. **First place national winner will participate in the Showcase of Excellence at Annual Session** the year award is received.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Food Safety Award	Member	To recognize outstanding innovative programming that has shown impact of significant food safety nature. Technology use a plus.	Application may be submitted by individual or team. Program or activity should have been conducted in the past 3 years. **First place national winner will present a concurrent session at Annual Session** the year award is received**.**	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Communications Newsletters Award	Member	To encourage excellence in communications in 9 categories, including newsletters.	Application may be submitted by an individual or team. Programs shall have been conducted within past three (3) years.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships

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Communications Written Press Releases Award	Member	To encourage excellence in communications in 9 categories, including Press Releases.	Application may be submitted by an individual or team. Programs shall have been conducted within past three (3) years.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Communications Radio/Podcast Program Award	Member	To encourage excellence in communications in 9 categories, including educational radio and/or podcast programs/spots.	Application may be submitted by an individual or team. Programs shall have been conducted within past three (3) years.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Communications Television/Video Program Award	Member	To encourage excellence in communications in 9 categories, including educational television and/or video programming	Application may be submitted by an individual or team Programs shall have been conducted within past three (3) years.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Communications Educational Technology Award	Member	To encourage excellence in communications in 9 categories, including educational technology.	Application may be submitted by an individual or team. Programs shall have been conducted within past three (3) years.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Communications Educational Curriculum Package Award	Member	To encourage excellence in communications in 9 categories, including educational curriculum packages.	Application may be submitted by an individual or team. Programs shall have been conducted within past three (3) years.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships

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Communications Educational Publications Award	Member	To encourage excellence in communications in 9 categories, including educational publications.	Application may be submitted by an individual or team. Programs shall have been conducted within past three (3) years.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Communications Photography Award	Member	To encourage excellence in communications in 9 categories, including photography.	Application may be submitted by an individual or team. Programs shall have been conducted within past three (3) years.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Communications Internet Education Technology Award	Member	To encourage excellence in communications in 9 categories, including internet education technology.	Application may be submitted by an individual or team. Programs shall have been conducted within past three (3) years.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Marketing Package Award	Member	For outstanding marketing package promoting a class, program or pertinent Family & Consumer Sciences issues.	Application may be submitted by an individual or team. Effort must have been successfully used by applicant within three (3) years. Application must contain a variety of marketing pieces. First place national winner will participate in the **Showcase of Excellence at Annual Session** the year award is received**.**	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Community Partnership Award	Member	Recognizes NEAFCS members for their efforts in building community partnerships to meet the educational needs and/or concerns of families.	Application may be submitted by an individual or team. Effort shall have been conducted within past three (3) years. **First place national winner shall present a concurrent session** the year award received.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships

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Extension Housing Outreach Award	Member	To recognize programming which enhances housing outreach to communities and special needs families.	Application may be submitted by an individual or team. Award money should be used to further develop Extension housing programs. Outreach shall have been conducted with last two years. **National winners will participate in the Showcase of Excellence at Annual Session** the year award is received**.**	Two (2) $300 cash awards given at Annual Session
Clean and Healthy Families & Communities Award	Member	Honor outstanding educational programming efforts that utilize any of ACI's educational materials. (Food safety, emergency preparedness or response, safe & effective use of cleaning products, etc.)	Application may be submitted by an individual or team. Activity or program shall have been conducted by an Extension Educator in the past two years. **National winner(s) will present a concurrent session at Annual Session** the year award is received.	Two National First places awarded each One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships. Each winner receives special recognition from ACI & recognition in *Cleanliness Matters*
Family Health & Wellness Award	Member	Recognize innovative programs that promote and improve the health and wellness of families including but not limited to nutrition, fitness, family meals, meal planning, time or stress management, and healthy lifestyle.	Application may be submitted by an individual or team. The program or activity shall have been conducted in the past three years. First place national winner will participate in **Showcase of Excellence at Annual Session** the year the award is received.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Environmental Education	Member	Recognizes NEAFCS members for outstanding educational programs conducted for families and/or communities on various environmental issues/concerns.	Application may be submitted by an individual or a team. The program or activity shall have been conducted in the past three years. First place national winner will participate in the **Showcase of Excellence at Annual Session** the year award is received.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships

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Human Development/ Family Relationships	Member	Recognizes innovative human development /family relationships educational efforts including child care, parenting, relationships through the life span, marriage enrichment, communications (parent/child), retirement, aging, stress management, and related issues.	Application may be submitted by an individual or a team. The program or activity shall have been conducted in the past three years. First place national winner will participate in the **Showcase of Excellence at Annual Session** the year award is received.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
School Wellness	Member	Recognizes outstanding school-based programs to promote and improve physical, emotional, and/or social wellness of students, staff or families of students in the school community. May include nutrition, fitness, garden-based nutrition education, health, character education, self esteem, farm-to-school and more.	Application may be submitted by an individual or a team. The program or activity shall have been conducted in the past three years. First place national winner will participate in the **Showcase of Excellence at Annual Session** the year award is received.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
SNAP-Ed/EFNEP Educational programming	Member	Recognizes outstanding nutritional education programs targeted to SNAP-eligible and EFNEP audiences.	Application may be submitted by an individual or a team. The network has been created within the past three years. **First place national winner will participate in the Showcase of Excellence at Annual Session** the year the award is received.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Master Family & Consumer Sciences Volunteer	Member	Recognizes exceptional implementation of the Master Family & Consumer Sciences Volunteer Program.	Application may be submitted by an individual or a team. Volunteer management data must be submitted to the national database. **First place national winner will present a Concurrent Session on the program at Annual Session the year the award is received.**	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships.

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Social Media Education	Member	Recognizes innovative social media education efforts	Application may be submitted by an individual or a team. The media has been created within the past three years. **First place national winner will present a concurrent session** the year the award is received.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Social Media Education – Online Video	Member	Recognizes innovative social media video efforts	Application may be submitted by an individual or a team. The media has been created within the past three years. **First place national winner will present a concurrent session** the year the award is received.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Excellence in Teamwork Award	Member	Recognizes outstanding FCS programming presented by a multi-disciplinary team	Application may be submitted by an individual or a team. The program has been created within the past three years. **First place national winner will participate in the Showcase of Excellence at Annual Session** the year the award is received	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Excellence in Multi State Collaboration Award	Member	Recognizes outstanding collaboration by Extension Professionals in two or more states	Application may be submitted by an individual or a team. The program has been created within the past three years. **First place national winner will participate in the Showcase of Excellence at Annual Session** the year the award is received	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships
Innovative Programming Award	Member	Recognizes innovation in FCS programming.	Application may be submitted by an individual or a team. The program has been created within the past three years. **First place national winner will present a concurrent session** the year the award is received.	National First place awarded One (1) annual session full scholarship. 2nd & 3rd places receive partial scholarships

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