

Appendix A

COMMERCIALISM POLICY/DUALITY OF INTEREST DISCLOSURE FORM

This form must be completed to verify that you understand the Academy’s policies related to commercialism and duality of interest.

Commercialism Policy

The Academy maintains full control over the planning, content and implementation of all programs presented during {xyz *meeting*} including the selection of speakers, panelists, moderators, and faculty. The intent of {xyz *meeting*} is to provide evidence-based sessions focused on educational content free from commercial influence or bias. The Academy prohibits presentations that have as their purpose or effect promotion and/or advertising. This specifically includes pervasive or inappropriate use of brands, trademarks, or logos. Presentations designed primarily as describing commercially marketed programs, publications, or products will not be accepted or tolerated. To this end, program planners, session participants and sponsors are prohibited from engaging in scripting or targeting commercial or promotional points for specific emphasis, or other actions designed to infuse the overall content of the program with commercial or promotional messages. Statements made should not be viewed as, or considered representative of, any formal position taken on any product, subject, or issue by the Academy. It is the responsibility of the program planner to ensure compliance by all speakers.

I acknowledge that I have read and will adhere to the Academy Commercialism Policy

Duality of Interest Disclosure

I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge, no aspect of my current personal or professional circumstances place me in the position of having a duality of interest with any interest of the Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics (Academy) and/or relating to this presentation.

I hereby certify that, to the best of my knowledge, neither I (including any member of my immediate family) nor any individual or entity with whom or with which I have a significant working relationship have (has) received something of value from a commercial or other interested party related directly or indirectly to the subject of this presentation.

While an interest or affiliation with a corporate entity or other interested party does not prevent you from making a presentation, the relationship must be made known to attendees. **Failure to fully complete and return this form will require the Academy to identify a replacement speaker for your presentation.** Failure to disclose accurate information will negate your ability to participate in future Academy events.

- The foregoing statements are true without exception.
- The foregoing statements are true except as reported in detail below.

<u>Affiliation/Financial Interests</u>	<u>Corporation Entity or Other Interested Party</u>
Grants/Research Support	
Consultant	
Stock Shareholder	
Honorarium	
Financial, Material, or Other Support	

Name (please print):	
Signature:	Date: