

## SSEP Board of Directors & Advisory Board Members

The SSEP Board of Directors and Advisory Council Members are experts in the field of diabetes and pregnancy on implementing the Sweet Success Model in a variety of health care settings. The members are committed to improving the standards of care for women with diabetes related to pregnancy.

### SSEP Board of Directors 2010

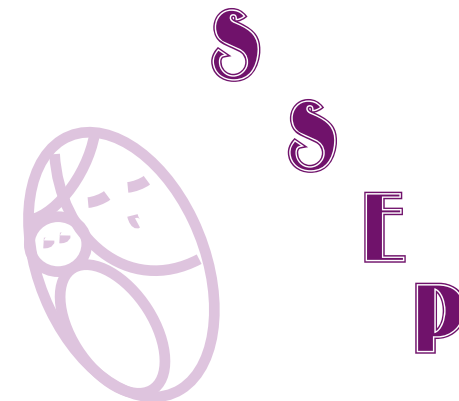
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## Membership Brochure

For Health Care Professionals

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## SSEP Mission

The mission of SSEP is to assist in establishing cost-effective, national diabetes and pregnancy standards of care directed towards improving pregnancy outcomes through preventative health education for women with pre-existing or gestational diabetes mellitus. Education is directed toward improving long-term outcomes, preventing diabetes related complications and preventing the onset or decreasing the incidence of type 2 diabetes in women who develop gestational diabetes and their children.

## What we do

SSEP promotes the California Sweet Success model of care by making it available and accessible to diabetes and pregnancy programs nationwide.

This progressive model of care provides current diabetes and pregnancy guidelines that have been successfully implemented in various settings including managed care, primary care, clinics, offices, medical centers and hospitals at all levels of care in numerous states, and at Indian Health Service facilities.

SSEP also develops education materials, assisting in conference development and providing support services for health care providers nationwide. Education materials focus on the long-term health of the mother and her family in the during preconception, pregnancy, postpartum and interconception periods.

## Who are members

SSEP Individual Members are professionals or students in nursing, social work, nutrition and many medical specialty fields. Organizational Members are health care maintenance organizations, hospitals, clinics and schools.

## Membership Benefits

### INDIVIDUAL

- ❖ One Guidelines-at-a-Glance
- ❖ Quarterly newsletters and conference brochures
- ❖ Periodic electronic mailings
- ❖ Limited online consults with experts
- ❖ Discounts on SSE conference registrations
- ❖ Discount on SSEP & Sweet Success materials
- ❖ Receive a SSEP membership card
- ❖ Resource for national contacts
- ❖ Eligible to participate in membership drive and annual drawing for free membership, cash & other prizes

### ORGANIZATION

- ❖ All of the above for 3 team members

## WIN FREE Membership

A current SSEP Member that refers the most new members will receive one year's membership free

- ❖ Insert your name and member # in "Referred by" and "Member #" in the provided space, copy application and distribute to colleagues
- ❖ Winner is decided each June, winner is notified by mail and published in the Sweet Success Update newsletter
- ❖ Winner's membership time is extended by 1 year

## ANNUAL Drawing

### WIN Cash and Prizes

- ❖ Associate Programs receive one entry each for 4 members
- ❖ Organizations receive one entry for each for 3 members
- ❖ Individual Members each receive one entry
- ❖ Receive extra entries for contribution (3 for \$100 or 25 for \$500)
- ❖ Drawing is held in June - winners are notified by mail, listed on website and published in Sweet Success Update newsletter

<b>FIRST PRIZE:</b>	Registration to 2 day Annual Sweet Success Conference
<b>SECOND PRIZE:</b>	\$150 Cash
<b>THIRD PRIZE:</b>	\$100 Cash
<b>FORTH PRIZE:</b>	\$75 Gift Certificate toward SSEP Materials
<b>FIFTH PRIZE:</b>	\$50 Gift Certificate toward SSEP Materials

**Membership Fees and Contributions are tax deductible to the extent of the law (Taxes due on winnings are the responsibility of the recipients)**

## Contributions to SSEP

❖ Contributions are tax deductible to the extent of the law. SSEP funds assist in making quality care available and accessible to women with diabetes related to pregnancy. **Make a contribution today and help build teams and dreams - be a winner in more ways than one.**



## SSEP

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## Application Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Credentials: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/St/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Facility: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Referred by: \_\_\_\_\_

Member #: \_\_\_\_\_

### Cost of Membership:

#### INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP

- ❖ 1 year (1 drawing entry) \$55
- ❖ 1 year + \$50 Contribution (3 entries) \$100

#### ORGANIZATION MEMBERSHIPS

- ❖ 1 year (3 drawing entries) \$125
- ❖ 1 year + \$100 Contribution (6 entries) \$225

(Organizations are allowed 3 individuals to receive benefits- each name will receive one drawing entry)

#### CONTRIBUTIONS

- ❖ Receive 3 entries for each \$100
- ❖ Receive 25 entries with \$500
- ❖ Receive 50 entries with each \$1,000

Contributions only: Complete information above for receipt and drawing

Membership Indiv. \_\_\_\_\_ Org. \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Contribution to SSEP \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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THANK YOU (Fed. Tax ID# 34-2044369)

### Complete Form and Mail to:

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