

**2025 DAND Annual Conference**  
**Tee Up for Wellness: Building Healthier Communities Through Nutrition**  
Deerfield Golf Club, Newark, DE  
May 2, 2025

Conference will begin at 8:00am and conclude around 5:00pm

**Speakers and Topics:**

Alissa Smethers, PhD, RDN, LDN

*Understanding Children's Food Intake: The Role of Environmental Factors and Different Food Classification Systems*

Bharathi Ramesh, MS

*Bridging the Gap: Overcoming Challenges in Clinical Research to Advance Nutrition Science*

Michell Fullmer, RDN, LDN, CSP

*Pediatric Oncology Fundamentals*

Megan Lautz, MS, RD, CSCS, TSAC-F

*Fueling America's Bravest: Nutrition Considerations for First Responders*

Rachel Stahl Salzman, MS, RDN, CDN, CDCES

*Tech Tools in Nutrition: Digital Health for Personalized Care*

Megan Breza Patchell, CPT, NDTR

*The Interplay of Yoga, Meditation and Nutrition: Enhancing Mindful Eating Practices*

Diane Oliver, MPH, RDN, LDN and Kimberly Moore, MS, RDN, LDN

*Cooperative Extension: Resources for You and Your Clients*

Bridget Storm, MA, RD, LDN, CNSC

*Nourishing Recovery: Cutting-Edge Strategies in Critical Care Nutrition*