Nominee Bio Questions

1. Name & credentials:

   Abbie Hebron, MS, RD, CSP, LD, CNSC

2. Current residence (city/town, state):

   Summerville, SC

3. Education:

   BS in Dietetics, Missouri State University

   MS in Dietetics, University of Rhode Island

4. Present position:

   Pediatric Oncology Dietitian at Shawn Jenkins Children's Hospital (MUSC)

   Pediatric Dietitian at Brittany Jones Nutrition Group (part-time)

5. Previous positions:

   General Pediatric Dietitian at Shawn Jenkins Children's Hospital (MUSC)

6. Professional activities (current):

   Charleston-Trident Dietetic Association President

   South Carolina Dietetic Association Membership Committee

   American Society for Parenteral and Enteral Nutrition

7. Honors and awards:

   ASPEN Pediatrics GI Dieticians Grant Recipient 2024

   South Carolina's Recognized Young Dietitian of the Year 2020

8. Certifications:

   Certified Specialist in Pediatric Nutrition (2021-2026)

   Certified Nutrition Support Clinician (2022-2027)

9. Publications: n/a

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10. Statement of purpose:

   After serving on the local Charleston-Trident Dietetic Association board in three different positions over the past five years and recently joining the Membership Committee for SCAND, I am looking forward to the opportunity to lead the state's incredible group of dietitians as SCAND President. Understanding that SCAND's members deserve an eager and optimistic leader, I will bring new perspective, optimal communication, and creative solutions to the board that will benefit the members first and foremost. As President, I want to honor the accomplishments of our members, advocate for the profession within the state and beyond, and contribute to creating a culture where nutrition is prioritized within the South Carolina healthcare system. With a passion for clinical nutrition, education, and wellness, I will lead with the goals to uplift the profession and increase awareness for dietitians throughout the beautiful state.