Application Form for the AFMTE, Biofreeze and BonVital’
Educators of the Year Award: Teachers in a Massage School



The Alliance for Massage Therapy Education published our [Core Competencies for Massage Therapy Teachers](http://www.afmte.org/wp-content/uploads/2013/02/AFMTE-Core-Competencies-Jan2013-F) on January 2013. This document includes ten standards, each of which describe the knowledge, skills and attitudes which form the basis for effective and successful teaching. As part of this, we have also established the Educators of the Year Award (1 for a teacher in a school setting and 1 for a continuing education provider). This award honors excellence in massage and bodywork education and serves to foster a culture that supports raising the standards of excellence in massage and bodywork education. The recipients are chosen based on their experience, teacher training taken, and how well they meet the core competency standards.

**Winners will be recognized at the 2017 Conference in Tucson, AZ.

Each nominee is required to complete an application and return it to** **awards@afmte.org** **on or before April 15, 2017\*. You will receive an email notification when your completed application has been received. Winners will be announced and contacted directly on June 1, 2017.**

Two winners will be chosen

One Teacher at a Massage School

One Continuing Education Provider

Winners will receive the following:

1. 1 year Teacher Membership in the AFMTE
2. 1 free registration to the 2017 AFMTE Conference
3. $1,000 Stipend (for travel, lodging and miscellaneous expenses) to be reimbursed at the conference
4. Award
5. Over $500 in Free Product packages from Biofreeze & BonVital’ featuring
their top product lines

\* You can nominate yourself or another educator. If nominating someone else, you most likely will need them to help fill out the application.

**Teachers in Schools: Every section must be completed and emailed to** awards@afmte.org

**Name of Nominee** Click here to enter text. Phone number: Click here to enter text.

Phone number: Click here to enter text.

Address: Click here to enter text.

Email: Click here to enter text.

List name of administrator

Name: Click here to enter text. Phone number: Click here to enter text. Email: Click here to enter text.

**List 2 peers at current school**:

First Reference Name: Click here to enter text.

First Reference Phone Number: Click here to enter text.

First Reference Email: Click here to enter text.

Second Reference Name: Click here to enter text.

Second Reference Phone number: Click here to enter text.

Second Reference Email: Click here to enter text.

**List the formal and informal teacher training that the nominee has taken (i.e., specific classes that helped develop the nominee’s skills as a teacher). Please list the title of training course, name of trainer and date of training (when possible). For example, “Learning to be an effective teacher,” by my I.M.Teacher, on 5/10/15.** Click here to enter text.

List nominee’s teaching experience: length of time teaching, hours per week teaching, areas of expertise, location(s) Click here to enter text.

**Submitted by:**Name Click here to enter text.

Phone Click here to enter text.

Email Click here to enter text.

**Self-Evaluation Form**

**1. Rate yourself on 4 of the 10 standards: For each standard provide the following:
\* Calculate the percentage of competencies in which you are proficient in Level 1 (e.g., 80%)
\* Calculate the percentage of competencies in which you are proficient in Level 2 (e.g., 60%)
Example: *Standard #: 2 Level 1 = 85% Level 2 = 70%***

***Standard #: 5 Level 1 = 81% Level 2 = 56%* [do this for 2 additional standards]**

Standard #:Click here to enter text. Level 1 Click here to enter text.% Level 2 Click here to enter text.%

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**2. Describe how you demonstrate competency in those 4 standards.
 (each much be completed, 250 max words each)**

Standard #: Click here to enter text.
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