



2017 Gettin' in the GameSM Junior National Championship (JNC)

CSL Behring has just announced the 2017 Gettin' in the GameSM Junior National Championship (JNC) to be held **November 3-5, 2017 at the Sheraton Wild Horse Pass, Phoenix, Arizona.**

Bleeding Disorder Chapters throughout the United States are invited to participate by nominating two individuals from their Chapter to attend the event. During the program, participants will take part in either golf, baseball, or swimming activities and clinics to learn the fundamentals and enhance their skills in that sport. They will learn about the importance of physical fitness in managing a bleeding disorder and receive instructions on proper stretching techniques and good athletic form. They will show off their baseball, golf and swimming abilities in a national competition with fellow participants from around the country. More importantly, they will connect and build relationships with fellow members of the bleeding disorder community by sharing their personal experiences with one another.

Individuals interested in being nominated for the program by Hemophilia of South Carolina should complete the application below. Applications are due to HSC by Friday, September 1, 2017. Winners will be notified no later than September 15th if they have been chosen to represent HSC at this event. We encourage all eligible participants to apply even if you have participated before. We would be happy to have you talk with individuals who have participated in the past years should you need additional information. GOOD LUCK!!

Reminders:

- *Nominees must be 7-18 years of age and have a confirmed bleeding disorder to participate*
- *Chapters can nominate up to two participants for their area to participate in either golf, baseball or swimming.*
- *Each participant must be accompanied by one adult (parent or caregiver)*
- *The selection of the participants is the sole responsibility of each Chapter. CSL Behring will have no involvement in the participant selection process.*
- *CSL Behring will sponsor each Chapter-selected nominee and one accompanying adult to participate in the program. This sponsorship is free to participants and will include the coordination and cost of airfare, ground transportation in the program city and hotel arrangements (attendees will be responsible for transportation to and from their hometown airport). Scheduled meals will be provided on site.*

2017 Gettin' in the GameSM Junior National Championship (JNC) Hemophilia of South Carolina Application

Name of Applicant: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address of Applicant: _____

Applicant's Date of Birth: _____

Bleeding Disorder Diagnosis: Hemophilia A Hemophilia B vWD other bleeding disorder
(circle one)

Name of Parent or Caregiver who will accompany Applicant to program if applicant is
nominated: _____

Sport Preference: Golf Baseball Swimming
(circle one)

Please provide us with an essay in your own words on a separate sheet of paper, explaining why physical activity is important to you, and how by attending this program, you will be willing to assist HSC in encouraging physical activity among members of our bleeding disorders community by sharing with the chapter your experience. In your essay, please tell us about your experiences playing baseball, golf or swimming and feel free to add any letters from a coach, teammate, or certificate of achievement you received for great sportsmanship, most improved player, certificate of participation, etc. Please list any volunteer services you have participated in at your local chapter.

Essays must be written in your own words by the applicant and signed. Please fax, email or mail with any supporting documents to:

Hemophilia of South Carolina / Attn: GITG
439 Congaree Road, Suite Box #5
Greenville, SC 29607

EMAIL: info@hemophiliasc.org Subject line-- JNC Application
FAX: 864-244-8287

Applications must be received by **Friday, September 1, 2017** for consideration. No late applications will be considered.

Questions:

Contact Sue Martin, Executive Director at: 864-350-9941 or email at sue.martin@hemophiliasc.org. Good Luck!!!

For additional questions about the program, please call the event agency (East West Connections) at 1-877-401-6268 ext. 1.