



2023 Gettin' in the GameSM Junior National Championship (JNC)

CSL Behring has just announced the 2023 Gettin' in the GameSM Junior National Championship (JNC) will be held **October 6-8 in Henderson, Nevada.**

Young athletes between the ages of 7 and 18 from each chapter are invited to apply to participate in the event. At this point, we do not know how many participants each chapter will be able to send. During the program, nominees will have the opportunity to participate in baseball, golf, swimming and basketball – a new addition this year - activities to learn the fundamentals and enhance their skills in that sport; learn the importance of physical fitness in managing a bleeding disorder; and show off their abilities in a national competition with their peers. The JNC features accomplished Gettin' in the Game athletes who themselves have been diagnosed with bleeding disorders.

Individuals interested in being nominated for the program by the Hemophilia Association of the Capital Area should complete the application below. Applications are due to the HACA office by Friday, July 7.

Winners will be notified by July 31st if they have been chosen to represent HACA at this event. Families will then be given a packet of information to help them with the registration process.

GOOD LUCK!!

Reminders:

- *Nominees must be 7-18 years of age and have a bleeding disorder to participate*
- *Each participant must be accompanied by one adult (parent or caregiver)*
- *CSL Behring will sponsor each Chapter-selected nominee and one accompanying adult to participate in the program. This sponsorship 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).*

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HACA Application

Name of Applicant: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address of Applicant: _____

Applicant's Date of Birth: _____

Diagnosis: Hemophilia A Hemophilia B vWD Other

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

Sport Preference: Golf Baseball Swimming Basketball

Are you applying for Getting in the Game through another chapter? Yes No
If so, which chapter: _____

In 500 words or less, on a separate sheet of paper, explain why physical activity is important to you, and how by attending this program, you will be able to assist HACA in encouraging physical activity among members of the bleeding disorders community.

Essays will be rated based on content, neatness, and grammar.

Applications and essays may be mailed to the HACA Office at 6412 Brandon Avenue, Suite 412, Springfield, VA 22150 or emailed to director@hacacares.org. Applications must be received by **Friday, July 7**, for consideration.

Questions? Call the Hemophilia Association of the Capital Area at 703-352-7641 or email us at director@HACAcare.org.