

**Name: Peggy Turner, MS, RD/LD**

**Session Title: Sync, Don't Swim: Using Mobile Technology to Manage Information**

**Bio Attached:**

**While pursuing her Master's degree from Oklahoma University, Peggy's interest focused on the role of technology in dietetics. Her thesis entitled, "Use of Personal Digital Assistants Among Dietitians in Oklahoma," is the only statewide survey involving dietetic professionals and their use of PDA technology. As a result of her thesis, she has been invited to many state and local dietetic associations, hospitals and universities to share her expertise. The results of her survey are also due to be published *Journal of Allied Health*.**

**Peggy is an active member/volunteer for both ADA and her state association. She has served on the ADA Nutrition Informatics work group, given teleconferences for DPGs and acted as program chair for the Oklahoma Dietetic Association. Her awards include the ADAF Award for Excellence in the practice of Dietetic Technology in 2006 and the Oklahoma's Emerging Dietetic Leader in 2005.**

**Since graduation, Peggy has worked as a research specialist, in the clinical setting, as a consultant, and as clinical supervisor. She has also taught various courses at Oklahoma universities and community colleges. When not teaching or doing research, her spare time is devoted to sharing her nutrition knowledge and PDA expertise with other healthcare professionals**