

# Tatjana T. Walker, RD, CDE

## EDUCATION:

*Current studies:* Enrolled in Master of Public Health with The University of Texas School of Public Health—San Antonio Regional Campus. Received *Outstanding New Student Scholarship*.

*June 2002:* Dietetic Internship University of the Incarnate Word, San Antonio

*May 1998:* Nutrition BS The University of Texas at Austin

*August 1996:* Radio-TV-Film AAS San Antonio College

## CURRENT REGISTRATION AND CERTIFICATION:

Registered Dietitian #861594 (Commission on Dietetic Registration)  
Certified Diabetes Educator # 2061-0411 (National Certification Board for Diabetes Educators)

## HEALTHCARE AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:

*June 2007 to present:*

Health Careers Program Coordinator – Medical Dean’s Office and Department of Family and Community Medicine (F&CM), The University of Texas Health Science Center San Antonio (UTHSCSA).

*March 2006 to June 2007:*

Research Associate II - Department of F&CM, UTHSCSA.

*May 2003 to August 2006:*

Department of Medicine, Division of Clinical Epidemiology, UTHSCSA - Lifestyle Coach for Diabetes Prevention Program Outcomes Study and Lifestyle Interventionist for Look AHEAD (Action for Health in Diabetes) Study

*June 1997 to August 1997:*

Nutritionist for cardiologist in San Antonio and surrounding communities

*May 1996 to June 1997:*

UT Austin Student Health Center - Teaching assistant/outreach coordinator for Student Nutrition Advising Program

## PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES AND SERVICE:

Member of San Antonio, Texas, and American Dietetic Associations and affiliated dietetic practice groups including Women’s/Reproductive Health, Complementary Care, and Hunger and Environmental Nutrition.

*2008 to present:* San Antonio Dietetic Association – Chair, Council on Professional Issues

*2007 to present:* Continuing Education presentation and guest lecturer on Pesticides, Organics, and Sustainable Food Systems.

*2006 to 2008:* San Antonio Dietetic Association Board of Directors — Nominating Committee Chairman

*2002 to 2003:* San Antonio Dietetic Association Scholarship/Fundraising Chair

*2003:* Food and Nutrition Conference and Expo Advisory (FNCE) Committee (national convention host committee)

*2007 to present:* Member of Texas Dietetic Association FNCE Research and Education Committee

*May 2006 and November 2004:* continuing education presentations for the Alamo Area Diabetes Educators

## VOLUNTEER WORK:

**(current)** Secretary of Save the Laja, Inc. A Texas-based non-profit supporting community-based initiatives to improve the sustainability and biodiversity of the Laja River watershed (near San Miguel de Allende, GTO Mexico). Member of Olmos Park Terrace Neighborhood Association.

**(past)** President and Chair-Investment Committee of Bexar Audubon Society, Board of Directors of Texas Audubon Society, Government Canyon Natural History Association Board Member, Neighborhood Resource Center Board Member. Judge for Alamo Area Regional Science and Engineering Fair 2005, 2006, 2007.