

GARDEN THERAPY BOOK CONTEST Date Received: _____

APPLICATION & SCORECARD Score Received: _____

Club(s) are allowed up to 20 pages front and back (for a total of 40 sides), on which to document the year's therapy work during the past program year (October 1 of last year through September 30 of this year). When compiling the entry, use of page protectors is suggested. Send the project folder/binder to the state club contest chair; must be postmarked by December 15. Late entries will be docked a late penalty of 1 point per day, not to exceed a 5 point late penalty. Entries postmarked after January 1 will not be considered for competition. Use this scorecard as a guide when planning the therapy project.

Club Name: _____ Club Code & Region: _____

President's or Therapy Chair's Name: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

County: _____ Phone: () _____

Email: _____

A. GENERAL MAKE-UP OF GARDEN THERAPY PROJECT BOOK 20 points

1. Cover: club/s name, site of therapy, club code, region, town, county, year 5

2. Table of Contents with page numbers 5

3. Schedule of therapy visits listed, include dates 5

4. Folder/binder: neatness, creativity, secure pages 5

B. PROOF OF GARDEN THERAPY SESSIONS 30 points

1. Therapy Report Forms, six (6) visits minimum (found on following page) 10

2. Photographs 10

3. Pre/post event publicity (newspaper, newsletter, bulletin, flyers, etc) 10

C. QUALITY OF ACTIVITIES 50 points

1. Clear descriptions of activity sessions 20

2. Projects show gardening, horticulture, and/or use of natural materials 15

3. Participants involved in activity 10

4. Visit series tied together by theme, program titles, type of program, etc. 5

Total score possible: 100 points