



DIETETICS

DEPARTMENT OF FOOD, NUTRITION,
DIETETICS AND HEALTH

KANSAS STATE
UNIVERSITY
College of Health and
Human Sciences

OUR PROGRAM

Registered dietitian nutritionists, or RDNs, translate the science of food and nutrition to enhance the well-being of individuals and groups. K-State offers two professional programs in dietetics, a didactic program and a coordinated program. Both programs are accredited by the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics.

In 2024, the degree requirement for eligibility to take the registration exam for Registered Dietitian Nutritionists, RDN, will be elevated to a graduate degree. The Food, Nutrition, Dietetics and Health department offers several options to fulfill this graduate degree requirement.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

Completion of a Bachelor of Science in dietetics qualifies the graduate to apply for the required post-baccalaureate dietetic internship · Upon completion of the internship, the graduate is eligible to take the Registration Examination for Dietitians · 97% acceptance rate to supervised practice programs (2020-2022) · 95% RDN Exam pass rate (2020-2022)

POTENTIAL CAREER SETTINGS

- Medical Centers
- Health Departments
- K-12 Schools
- Correctional Facilities
- Extended-Care Facilities
- Retail Grocery
- Consulting Firms
- Self-Employment
- Government Programs

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Sample course sequence guide

Fall

Basic Nutrition
Careers in Nutrition and Dietetics
Expository Writing I
Principles of Biology
College Algebra

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Spring

Well-being I: You and Community
Chemistry I
Public Speaking
Humanities Elective
Principles of Macroeconomics
Unrestricted Elective

14 hours

16-17 hours

Fall

General Psychology
Chemistry II
General Microbiology
Introduction to Statistics
Well-being 2: Mind and Body

2

Spring

Dietetics Servsafe Manager Certification
Human Body I and II
OR
Anatomy and Physiology
Science of Food
Unrestricted Elective

14 hours

14 hours

Fall

General Organic Chemistry
Expository Writing II
Research in Health Sciences
Well-being 3: Money and Meaning
Unrestricted Elective
Humanities Elective

3

Spring

General Biochemistry
Nutritional Assessment
Food Production Management
Human Nutrition
Nutrition Education and Program
Planning

14 hours

14 hours

Fall

Public Health Nutrition
Nutrient Metabolism
Clinical Nutrition I
Financial Management in Dietetics
Management in Dietetics
Unrestricted Elective

4

Spring

Life Span Nutrition
Clinical Nutrition II
Counseling Strategies in Dietetic Practice
Dietetics Supervised Practice Program
Unrestricted Elective
Unrestricted Elective

16-18 hours

14-15 hours

120 hours are required for degree completion. The College of Health and Human Sciences requires a "C" or higher in Professional Studies courses. The K-State-8 requirements are automatically calculated through this program of study.