

Pre-Nutrition/Dietetics Emphasis

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This program is for students who are interested in the dietetics or medical nutrition therapy areas. The program entails 5 semesters of coursework in CSU-Pueblo courses (74-78 credits), followed by application, acceptance and transfer of credits to complete three additional semesters for a Bachelor's degree program in Nutrition at another institution. There are three Nutrition programs in Colorado, and we have transfer agreements with the first two:

- UCCS Health Science Nutrition Program in Colorado Springs <http://www.uccs.edu/~bethel/nutrition.htm>
- CSU-Fort Collins Nutrition and Food Science program <http://www.caahs.colostate.edu/fshn/programs1.asp>
- UNC Nutrition program in Greeley <http://www.unco.edu/nhs/dietetics/>

These didactic programs of courses are approved by the American Dietetics Association and prepare students for the 6-12 month internship necessary for Registered Dietitian certification. The Commission on Dietetic Registration (CDR) administers the certification exam for Registered Dietitians.

Registered dietitians work in hospitals, HMOs or other health care facilities, sports nutrition and corporate wellness programs, food and nutrition-related businesses and industries, private practice, community and public health, universities and medical centers.

American Dietetics Association Info: <http://www.eatright.org/Public/Careers/94.cfm>

CDR certification of Registered Dietitians Info: <http://www.dcrnet.org/certifications/rddtr/rdindex.htm>

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Pre-Nutrition courses for transfer to Either UCCS or CSU-FC

ENG 101 & 102	English Composition	6
MATH 121	College Algebra	4
MATH 156	Intro to Statistics	3
Humanities/SocSci/Gen Ed		9
PSYCH 100	General Psychology	3
SOC 101	Intro to Sociology	3
CIS 101, 103, & 104	Computer modules (word, ppt, excel)	3
BIOL 223/L & 224/L	Anatomy and Physiology I & II	8
BIOL 206/L	Microbiology	4
CHEM 121/L & 122/L	General Chemistry I & II	10
CHEM 211/L or 301/L	Survey Organic(S) or Organic Chemistry I	4-5
CHEM 311	Survey of Biochemistry (F)	3
		60-61 credits CSU-Pueblo

UCCS Health Science (Nutrition) program Specific additional courses

BIOL 100/L	Principles of Biology	4
CHEM 302/L	Organic Chem II (if CHEM 301/L was taken)	(5)
NSG 207	Pathophysiology (S, SS)	3
ACCTG 201	Principles of Financial Accounting	3
MKTG 340	Principles of Marketing	3

13-18 additional credits CSU-Pueblo

46 more credits to complete Health Science degree at UCCS:

HSCI 207, 392, 394, 395, 401, 402, 420, 443, 444, 452, 463, 492, 493, 494, 496

CSU-Fort Collins Nutrition/Dietetics program Specific additional courses

BIOL 112	Nutrition	3
BIOL 191/L & 192/L	College Biology I & II	10
BIOL 220	Medical Terminology (S)	2
SPCOM 103	Speaking and Listening	3
MGMT 201	Principles of Management	3
Electives		3
		24 additional credits CSU-Pueblo

45 more credits to complete Nutrition degree at CSU-FC:

FSHN 300, 301, 350, 360, 386, 428, 450, 451, 459, 470, 492, 496 A-I		33
RRM 310, 311	6	
Electives		6