

Individualized Supervised-Practice Pathway Program (ISPP)

The Individualized Supervised-Practice Pathway Program (ISPP) with a concentration in Medical Nutrition Therapy (MNT) provides quality education designed to prepare graduates to be eligible to pass the National Registration Examination for Dietitians.

This MNT concentration will provide interns with additional experience in their specialty before entering their professions. The MNT sites can be a long term care or an inpatient/outpatient setting, which could also be the site of a community rotation. Up to twenty-five (25) interns will be accepted each year.

The program is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition and Dietetics (ACEND) and under the Didactic Program in Dietetics (DPD) of the Nutrition and Food Sciences Program in the Department of Health Science and Human Ecology.

Duration- August-June

- 11 months for full-time interns
- 22 months for part-time interns



Orientation

The ISPP Program requires that you complete a week-long orientation, which is held on campus at CSUSB during the first week of September. Details regarding lodging arrangements are provided upon acceptance to the program.

Clinical Sites

Interns are responsible for choosing sites and preceptors. For minimum requirements regarding preceptors and sponsoring facilities visit the program website.

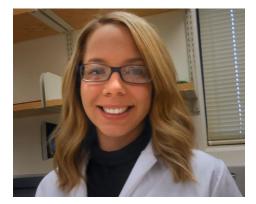
Admission Requirements

All interns must meet and complete the following core requirements to be considered for admission into the CSUSB ISPP Program:

- Application fee—\$75, check or money order (payable to CSUSB College of Extended and Global Education)
- Supplemental application form Baccalaureate degree from an accredited university and completion of Didactic Program in Dietetics (DPD) courses with a minimum overall and DPD GPA of 2.8 on a scale of 4
- Has, or will receive, a Verification Statement from an accredited dietetics program and was not matched to a dietetic internship (DI)
- Relevant work or volunteer experience within the dietetics profession
- Three letters of recommendation
- A Resume
- Personal Statement

Assessment of Prior Learning

The program has established specific guidelines for interns regarding credit for prior learning, including



program specific limitations and documentation needed. For more information regarding these specific guidelines, visit the program website.

Who is Eligible?

Qualified DPD graduates with a Verification Statement from DPD who were not previously matched to a Dietetic Internship program.

Completing the Program

Interns must complete a minimum of 1000 hours of supervised practice and pass all three online program modules, in addition to an exit exam before a Verification Statement for ISPP can be issued. This signed Verification Form documents that the individual is eligible to sit for the national registered dietitian (RD) exam; no additional graduate credits are needed.

Financial Information

For information regarding program fees, loans, grants or scholarships, visit our website at pace.csusb.edu

Application period begins on: April 06, 2023

Track Tentative dates	Rotation	Hours
Orientation: July 28: 9 to 1 & all	Virtual via zoom. Interns will complete the pretests over the	
day on July 31 to Aug 4, 2023 (Friday to Friday)	weekend.	
August 7 - Sept 29, 2023	Community	200
October 2 – to January 5, 2024	Management (school district,	320
	long term care, hospital and/or others)	
January 8- April 20, 2024	MNT, renal/dialysis,	400
April 22 – June 29, 2024	Electives	80
Total		1,000*

