

Dietetics-Nutrition Program, Food and Nutrition

College of Health and Human Services

Accomplish the next step toward becoming a registered dietitian-nutritionist.

Complete the two-year IUP Dietitian-Nutritionist Program (DNP) through the Department of Food and Nutrition's Master of Science in Food and Nutrition. Enrolled students will earn their master's degree as well as earn eligibility to sit for the national examination for registered dietitian-nutritionists upon successful program completion.

PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

For convenience, all curriculum-based master's courses are 100 percent online with both synchronous and asynchronous interactions with faculty and peers.

Enrolled Students come to campus 1-2 times through the program to participate in simulation experiences and networking related to the field experience.

- **Relevant**—Classes utilize experiential learning through case studies and simulation to reinforce a strong knowledge foundation.
- **Supportive**— Faculty are committed to your success.
- **Inclusive**—Applicants holding a bachelor's degree in a closely related field can also apply. *
- **Field-ready** - practicum-based courses allow students to work directly with field professionals at on- and off-site locations to practice skills as a preprofessional.

CAREER OUTCOMES

Successful graduates are ready to sit for their national exam for registered dietitian-nutritionist and start their careers. While most graduates go into the clinical nutrition, food service management, or community nutrition sectors, there are endless opportunities to use your education and customize a career path, such as entrepreneurship, home health, or a dietitian in the food industry. If you can dream it, you can achieve it, with the help of IUP faculty, field preceptors, and fellow peers.



GET IN TOUCH

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*For more information visit,

iup.edu/foodnutrition/grad/dietitian-nutritionist-program



3 REASONS TO CHOOSE IUP

QUALITY

- **Faculty mentors.** Our professors will do more than teach you. They serve as mentors, working right beside you on research and engaging you in one-on-one learning experiences.
- **A professional network.** Tap into the experience and connections provided by our network of more than 150,000 alumni around the world.

Admissions Requirements

	Application (\$50 fee)
	Goal Statement
	Undergraduate Transcript
	Two letters of recommendation

For step-by-step instructions, visit <https://www.iup.edu/admissions/graduate/howto/index.html>

This program does not have an application deadline; however, we encourage you to complete your application by February 1, especially if you are interested in a graduate assistantship.

QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR APPLICATION?

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VALUE

- **A smart investment.** Our tuition rate helps make earning a graduate degree affordable. Visit IUP.edu/cost to calculate your tuition rate.
- **Financial assistance.** Take one of more than 500 graduate assistantship opportunities or get our help in finding scholarships, grants, and loans to afford your education.

EXPERIENCE

- **Research Opportunities.** IUP is proud to be classified as the only public doctoral/professional institution in Pennsylvania. At IUP, you'll have opportunities to present your research at conferences, symposiums, and exhibits.
- **Resources.** Get help with statistics at our applied research lab, editing assistance in the Kathleen Jones Writing Center, and more thanks to the wide range of free resources for IUP graduate students.