

Florida Department of Health in Pasco County Dietetic Internship

University of North Florida Master of Science in Nutrition and Dietetics Dietetics Internship Online Concentration

For interns who do not already have a graduate degree, the University of North Florida (UNF) provides them the opportunity to earn a Master of Science (MS) degree concurrently with the internship.

Program:

- Credit hours: The program is 35 credit hours. Twenty-three of the credit hours satisfy UNF's
 Major Requirements for the MS in Nutrition and Dietetics program. The remaining 12 credit
 hours are earned through participation in the dietetic internship as Concentration
 Requirements.
- 2. **Location:** All courses are offered through distance learning online.
- 3. **Length of program**: Twelve (12) months. The MS program will start in the Summer B semester (June) prior to the internship and will end after Summer A semester (June) after the internship.
- 4. **Application**: Students who are accepted into the internship without a graduate degree must apply to the MS program via UNF graduate school by April 15th and start courses in June. Graduate Record Examinations (GRE) is waived for applicants coming to UNF through the internship. Letter of intent and recommendation letters are also waived when acceptance into the internship letter is provided instead.

Information about the graduate school nutrition and dietetics programs including the dietetics internship online concentration can be found here:

https://www.unf.edu/graduateschool/academics/programs/nutrition-and-dietetics.html#

Course Sequence (subject to change)

Summer B Semester 1

		Total:	7 credit hours
DIE	6940	Clinical Practice in Nutrition and Dietetics I	3 credit hours
DIE	6991	Clinical Nutrition/Assessment	4 credit hours

Fall Semester

		Total:	10 credit hours
DIE	6941	Clinical Practice in Nutrition and Dietetic II	3 credit hours
HUN	6249	Nutrition and Metabolism 4 credit	
HUN	6612	Nutrition Education and Counseling	3 credit hours

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Spring Semester

		Total:	9 credit hours
DIE	6942	Clinical Practice in Nutrition and Dietetics III	3 credit hours
PHC	6050	Public Health Biostatistics	3 credit hours
HUN	6910	Nutrition and Dietetics Research	3 credit hours

Summer A Semester II

		Total:	9 credit hours
DIE	6943	Clinical Practice in Nutrition and Dietetics IV	3 credit hours
HUN	6911	Nutrition and Dietetics Seminar	3 credit hours
HUN	6916	Advanced Concepts in Nutrition and Dietetics	3 credit hours

MS Total: 35 credit hours

Cost

Item	Amount
UNF Application for Graduate Degree	\$30
UNF Cost per Credit Hour includes most fees	\$493.53 for Florida Residents* \$1044.27 for Non-Florida Residents**
Distance Learning Fee	\$30 per credit hour
State Tuition Waiver*** It is the responsibility of the student/intern to know the guidelines and deadlines related to the state employee tuition waiver. The internship does not assist in this process.	 State employee tuition waiver can be used for up to 6 credits per semester. With the state employee tuition waiver, students can only register for courses during the State Employee registration dates. If a student registers for a course prior to the state employee registration date, they will waive their right to use the state tuition waiver, even if they drop the course and re-register on the appropriate date. The internship courses (DIE 6940-6943) are not covered under state tuition waiver.

Please Note: All fees subject to change

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- *A full breakdown of tuition and fees for the graduate program can be found here: https://www.unf.edu/controller/student-financial-services/
- ** Out-of-state students with a GPA >3.0 may qualify for a reduced rate that is close to in-state tuition. Contact UNF for details.

*** The Florida Educational Assistance Program (State Employee Tuition Waiver) allows each state funded university and state funded college to waive tuition and fees for full-time salaried employees (excludes OPS) who enroll in up to six credit hours per semester on a space-available basis. UNF has the form you'll need for tuition waiver. Find more information on all available waivers here: https://www.unf.edu/controller/student-financial-services/university-waivers.html#

Estimated Tuition (with tuition waiver and Florida residency):

Summer B Semester I (3 credits): \$1570

Fall Semester (4 credits): \$2093

Spring Semester (3 credits): \$1570

Summer A Semester II (3 credits): \$1570

Total Cost: \$6803

For more information regarding the University of North Florida online graduate degree program, please visit: https://www.unf.edu/graduateschool/academics/programs/nutrition-and-dietetics.html#

To apply to the MS program, go here: https://www.unf.edu/graduateschool/admissions/index.html

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