



Florida Department of Health in Pasco County Dietetic Internship

University of North Florida Master of Science in Nutrition and Dietetics Online Program – Condensed for Dietetic Internships

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.
- Location:** All courses are offered through distance learning online.
- 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.
- 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. Application deadlines and admission requirements are found here: <https://www.unf.edu/brooks/nutrition/onlinems/>

Course Sequence (subject to change)

Summer B Semester 1

HUN	5265	Methods of Nutrition Assessment	1 credit hour
DIE	6248	Clinical Nutrition	3 credit hours
DIE	6940	Clinical Practice in Nutrition and Dietetics I	3 credit hours
Total:			7 credit hours

Fall Semester

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



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Spring Semester

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

Summer A Semester II

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

MS Total: 35 credit hours

Cost

Item	Amount
UNF Application for Graduate Degree	\$30
UNF Cost per Credit Hour includes most fees	\$493.35 for Florida Residents* \$1044.27 for Non-Florida Residents**
Distance Learning Fee	\$30 per credit hour
State Tuition Waiver***	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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. • The internship courses are not covered under state tuition waiver.

Please Note: All fees subject to change

*A full breakdown of tuition and fees for the graduate program can be found here:
https://www.unf.edu/controller/cashiers/Graduate_Tuition.aspx



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** Out-of-state students with a GPA >3.0 qualify for a reduced rate that is close to in-state tuition

*** The Florida Educational Assistance Program (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 to complete to for tuition waiver. Find more information here: https://www.unf.edu/controller/cashiers/University_Waivers.aspx

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/brooks/nutrition/onlinems/>

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

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