

Admission Criteria

The admission process to Florida International University as a freshman or transfer student, including deadlines, is described on the FIU website at <http://admissions.fiu.edu/apply/index.html>. Students are eligible to apply for all three semesters, spring, summer, and fall.

Admission Criteria for DPD program

Requirements to be accepted into the Didactic Program in Dietetics are

- 1) Completion of the university core curriculum
- 2) Minimum cumulative 2.7 GPA, and
- 3) Grade of “C” or higher in General Chemistry I & II and the labs *(CHM 1045/L and CHM 1046/L), Survey of Organic Chemistry and lab (CHM 2200/L), Introduction to Microbiology and lab (MCB 2000/L), Biology and lab* (BSC 1010/L), and Principles of Nutrition* (HUN 2201).

**Indicates minimum prerequisite course completion for admission.*

Admissions Requirements for Transfer Students

Students seeking to transfer to FIU must follow regular University Transfer Student admission procedures.

Students are encouraged to complete all Common Prerequisite courses found in Program Requirements as part of their 60 credit hours of lower-division Associate of Arts coursework prior to transferring to FIU.

In order to declare a major in Dietetics and Nutrition, transfer students are evaluated on meeting the following requirements for admission:

- (1) Associate of Arts degree from a Florida public institution or completion of FIU's University Core Curriculum;
- (2) Minimum cumulative GPA of 2.7;
- (3) Grade of “C” or higher earned in the following courses:
 - [CHM1045](#)/[CHM1045L](#) General Chemistry 1 & Lab *
 - [CHM1046](#)/[CHM1046L](#) General Chemistry 2 & Lab *
 - [CHM2200](#)/[CHM2200L](#) Survey of Organic Chemistry
 - [BSC2010](#)/[BSC2010L](#) General Biology & Lab *
 - [MCB2000](#)/[MCB2000L](#) Introductory Microbiology
 - [HUN2201](#) Principles of Nutrition *

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Please visit the Department of Dietetics and Nutrition website at <https://stempel.fiu.edu/academics/dietetics-and-nutrition/bachelor-degree-in-dietetics-nutrition-didactic-program-in-dietetics/index.html>, visit us at the Modesto Maidique Campus (MMC), Academic Health Center 5 (AHC5-305), or you can contact us at 305-348-2878.

More information may be found on the [Transfer and Transition Services website](#).

Admission Criteria for International Students

Information for transfer students seeking admission as freshmen or transfer students can be found on the FIU International Admissions [webpage](#).

- Foreign transcripts will need to be translated and evaluated course by course by a member of the National Association of Credential Evaluation Services ([NACES](#)).
- The student must meet with the DPD Program Director for a review of transcripts and requirements.
- Please note, all international students are required to have health insurance.