

Assessment of Prior Learning & Recency of Education

The Department of Dietetics & Nutrition will consider equivalency of courses transferred from a program accredited by the Accreditation Council for Education in Nutrition & Dietetics (ACEND). This will require that the student submit syllabi for previous coursework to aid in the assessment of content against ACEND competencies (KRDN). This policy ensures a strong current academic foundation in the areas pertinent to a contemporary and evidence-based dietetics and nutrition education. A prospective student will be notified of courses that will transfer by the program director and be provided with a plan of coursework required to complete the DPD in coordination with the academic advisor.

- All core dietetics i.e. DIE, HUN and FOS courses, must have been taken no more than 5 years prior for consideration.
- Prerequisite dietetics and nutrition courses must have been taken within the previous 10 years for consideration.

The DPD program does not accept prior work or volunteer experience in lieu of coursework.