



What courses does the program consist of?

The program consists of the following six courses (16 credits)

Course #	Course Name	Credit Hours
DIET 1630	Sanitation and Management of Food Systems	3
DIET 1631	Nutrition Therapy	2
DIET 1632	Human Resource Management	3
DIET 1633	Field Experience in Sanitation and Management of Food Systems	3
DIET 1634	Field Experience in Nutrition Therapy	3
DIET 1635	Field Experience in Human Resource Management	2

^{**}If you already have a degree and 2 years of foodservice management experience you may only have to take a portion of these courses to earn your credential. Please ask our program coordinator about this.

When do I take the courses? / How long does the program last?

For students working full time it is recommended that it be taken as pairs of courses, i.e. Nutrition Therapy and the Field experience in Nutrition therapy. The program is typically completed in three semesters but can be completed in less time. All six courses are available every Fall and Spring semester and two courses are offered every summer. Once completed you are eligible to sit for the nationally-recognized CDM, CFPP exam.

Where do I take the courses?

These courses are all available online via BARTonline. The field experience courses include time in a healthcare facility.

How much does the program cost?

BARTonline classes are currently \$150 per credit hour and the whole program is 16 credits long. The program has a total of two textbooks. . All students are also eligible to apply for financial aid.

Tell me more about the field experience courses.

Students enrolled in the field experience courses should be employed by a healthcare facility. If not, the student must secure a healthcare facility that is willing to allow the student to complete the field experience coursework. The student will also need a Registered Dietitian preceptor. A Certified Dietary Manager or Dietetic Technician may also be used for some field experience courses. The program includes a total of 180 hours of field experience.

How do I get started?

First step is to apply to the college. Once you apply and indicate your interest in the dietary manager certificate, you will be assigned to the appropriate advisor who will help you get enrolled in the courses. Applying is free, easy, and online that can be found at bartonccc.edu/admission/apply.

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